

# Consultation on Ulverscroft Play Area Upgrade

The play area in Ulverscroft was built around 25 years ago, for children up to 7 years old. The main climbing frame is beginning to rot. The see-saw has rotted and been removed. The soft surface is worn and damaged and the springers for toddlers are not well used. The swings are more recent and will stay, but the Parish Council is aiming to replace the other equipment to make it a good play area again.

We've received some estimates, and it will cost around £30,000. MK Council, and the ward councillors will pay part of those costs, but the Parish will pay for most of it. We'll be trying local companies to see if they can help too. At the same time, we'd like to know what you think of the proposals put forward. And then we'll try to match up the money available with your preferences and choose the best equipment. It will take time; it will probably be late this year before the new equipment is installed.

Please complete the Answer sheet with this leaflet, and **return it as shown on the sheet, by the 23<sup>rd</sup> March**. Thank you.

**QUESTION 1.** We have received a mix of quotes for assemblies of equipment, and for individual items on them. Which assemblies attract you? Please pick one or two. Why do you prefer them?

A



B



C



**QUESTION 2:** What would you most like to have on the climbing frame? Please pick up to five.

1 Ladder



2 Platform ladder



3 Firemans Pole



4 Spiral Pole



5 Climbing net



6 Climbing wall



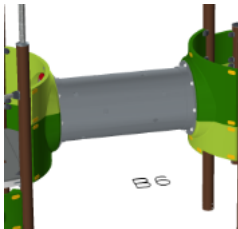
7 Single slide



8 Double slide



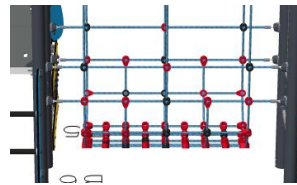
9 Tunnel bridge



10 Bridge



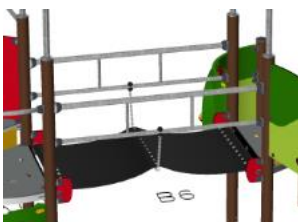
11 U-rope bridge



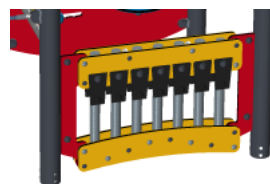
12 Rope Climber bridge



13 Membrane bridge



14 Xylophone



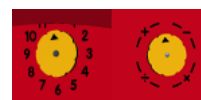
15 Pipes/tubes



16 Flowers or balls in groves to move around



17 Calculator/counter panel



18 And there's a tic tac toe game

## Overall Equipment and Layout

At present the equipment consists of:

Swings

Climbing Frame

(seesaw was removed)

Springers

It's proposed to replace it with:

The existing swings

A new climbing frame

A new seesaw

A new roundabout

**QUESTION 3:** Are you happy with that mix? Any comments?

The space for the roundabout is somewhat restricted, but this is the best one we can find to fit in the space.



**QUESTION 4:** We have found two designs of a seesaw for the space. Which do you prefer?

4A



4b



This is the layout that is most likely for the new equipment



**QUESTION 5:** Do you have any comments on the layout?



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## ANSWER SHEET

Please mark your answers and then return the questionnaire by **March 23<sup>rd</sup> 2021** to either:  
**Monkston School office**                      or

**Parish Clerk, Kents Hill & Monkston Parish Council**  
**PO Box 6293, Milton Keynes MK10 1ZG**

**The play area is intended for children aged 0-7 years. If you have children in both the pre-school age group and the school age group, please fill in a form for each age group. Thank you.**

**FIRST, a little about you:**

Are you a child or an adult?	Child <input type="checkbox"/> Adult <input type="checkbox"/> Boy <input type="checkbox"/> Girl <input type="checkbox"/>
If child how old are you? If adult, what age are the children you are thinking of?	
Which estate do you live on?	

**QUESTION 1 for children.**

Which one or two play assemblies do you prefer?	A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/>
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What do you particularly like about them?

**QUESTION 2 for children.**

Which 5 items of equipment do you most want us to include?

1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	

**QUESTION 3 For everyone:**

Are you happy with the proposed mix of equipment? (climbing frame, roundabout, swings, seesaw). Any comments?

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**QUESTION 4:**

Which seesaw do you prefer?	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	
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**QUESTION 5:** Any comments on the site layout? Or any other comments?

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**Thank you!**