How to get to the Inclusive Playground @ Bishan-Ang Mo Kio Park

Distance to facilities
Marymount Rd to Playground: 350m (7mins)
Ang Mo Kio Ave 1 to Playground: 100m (2mins)
Car Park to Playground: 300m (6mins)
Toilet to Playground: 200m (4mins)

Food & Beverage
Toilet
Car Park (2 accessible parking lots are available)
Lifestyle Hub
Bus Stop

WAB: Wheelchair accessible bus services

Official Launch on
22 August 2015, 9am

Guest-of-Honour
Mr Tan Chuan-Jin
Minster for Social and Family Development

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Children with special needs, like other children, need play for their physical, social and cognitive development. However, existing public playgrounds can be difficult for children with special needs to use.

An inclusive playground is designed to be used by all children. Through such inclusive play, children of different abilities can come to better understand and accept one another.

**Features**

- Equipment designed to enhance strength, control and senses.
- The merry-go-round and swing have locking mechanisms for wheelchairs, the first of their kind in Singapore.
- Sensory experiences where children can play with bells and embossed diagrams.
- Colour contrast between the ground and equipment to guide people with visual impairment.
- Barrier-free access from the car-park and bus-stops to the playground.
- Disability-friendly washrooms nearby.

**Wheelchair swing** challenges and stimulates sense of balance and eye movement.

**Merry-go-round** stimulates different parts of the brain and improves cognition.

**Roller slide** enhances body control. The rollers on the slide promote the sense of touch.

**Sand-table** exercises and develops the sense of touch through the sand’s granular texture.

For more details, please visit [ncss.gov.sg/InclusivePlay](http://ncss.gov.sg/InclusivePlay)