Matrix for grading play units					highpeaks.ca, 416-712-5399		
score each category that applies 1 to 5	category						
price per component.	**balane of components**	**age appropiatness**	**size of decks and components.**	**compliance with CSA**	**use by children.**	**mulitple unit playground**	
Divide price by number of useable components, do not count bridges, decks, roofs, decorative items,. If for ages 5 to 12. do not count activity panels or slides 4' and under,	Balance of up and down units. i.e. more ups than slides, usually 2 to 3 ups to one down, look at climbers relative to age group, rung climbers are not good for ages 2 or 3.	If in a general area and not age related then no fire pole, upper body or log roll, these are only for ages 5 to 12. upper body units are for 5 to 12 years.if for ages 18 months to 5 years rung climbers are not really suitable.	Some companies use 9 Sq Ft decks other use 16 Sq Ft ones. Plus usually the stairs and climbers could be narrower.	Uses 3rd party inspection and impact attenuation, layouts are pre approved re CSA and traffic flows. Are functionally linked actually useable by age group? 8 year old has step of 470 mm. 4 year old 388 mm	Most used by children, moving items, balances, challenges age related climbing, surveys at schools have shown slides do not come in the top 10.	Separation of age groups, flow of traffic,open at at ends of swings, good sight lines for parents, room for older children to run around, variety of equipment,	totals
							name 1
							name 2
							name 3
							name 4
							name 5
							name 6