## **TIP SHEET**

for the installation of a play structure with poured concrete anchoring and in bulk protective surfacing material.

- Check the condition of pallets on receipt: pre-identify your products through the packaging film. Unpack products gradually as the job progresses.
- Using the layout plans, mark out the future play area.
  (The play area)
- Lay out the play area using stakes, string lines or spray paint.
- Excavate to the depth indicated on the plan, and level the bottom of the play area. (Make sure your site is well drained to ensure the product's longevity.)
- If you install the peripheral borders at this stage, plan to leave a section open to still be able to bring heavy materials to the play area.
- Working in accordance with the plan, after orienting it correctly, mark the position of each post and its corresponding number on the bottom of the play area.
- Excavate the holes for the posts, usually using an auger. Lay out the geotextile membrane and cut it at each post hole.
- Place the numbered posts in the holes you made in the ground, following their position and orientation.

- Place the platforms on the posts, following the assembly plan and using the proper hardware provided. Do not over-tighten, as the final tightening will take place at the very end. (Small tip for the hardware: you can sort it by size into individual boxes and write down the size on each box. Once labelled, fewer mistakes are possible.)
- Continue assembling the play components according to plans, such as fences, railings, roofs, etc.
- Once the play structure is assembled, check that the final positioning is correct and make any necessary adjustments. At the same time, check your protective surfacing zones. (Around the play structure, from another play structure, slide exit, etc.)
- If everything is in accordance with the plan, you can now proceed with the final tightening. Try to do this one section at a time, so as not to forget anything. Ideally, have another of your teammates carry out a second tightening check.
- 13 You can now proceed to pour the concrete.
- Before laying down the protective surfacing material, make sure the perimeter of borders is correctly positioned and complete.
- A clean and tidy jobsite can prevent many falls and injuries. Sort and collect waste as you go. Sort properly depending on materials to be recycled.

## **Important**

The hardware is counted and sorted for each play structure.

