



# Maintenance Guidelines

## Welcome!

Congratulations on your investment in Playground Grass™ by ForeverLawn®! We are excited to have you as a part of the ForeverLawn family.

We want to ensure that your experience with Playground Grass is as enjoyable and successful as possible. Defining and following specific maintenance guidelines for your unique situation is important, but these rules serve as a valuable guide for maximizing the functionality of your space. For more distinct maintenance directives, please contact your local ForeverLawn dealer.

## General Playground Grass Maintenance

Regular maintenance with a blower, brush, and/or sweeper should be performed to remove dirt or debris that accumulates from regular use. To keep grass looking fresh, pull a plastic rake, stiff-bristled push broom, or power broom against the lay of the turf to lift the blades.

In order to maintain the integrity of your synthetic grass, it is best to avoid mowing or using other power lawn equipment on the turf, use of fertilizer and/or

or harsh chemicals, and directly exposing the turf to excessive heat (e.g., fire, coals, hot equipment). Weed killer and insect repellent will not harm your surface.

While not required, an occasional rinse with water will help keep your synthetic grass clean. If there are questions on specifics for your installation, please contact your local ForeverLawn dealer.

## Foreign Substances and Spills

If a spill occurs, clean up quickly with water, mild detergent, and a stiff-bristled nylon brush (if needed).

Semi-permanent items such as paint can be removed, but may require more effort. Use of harsh or damaging cleaning chemicals, solutions, or solvents may limit the liability claim. Further information regarding cleaning materials is available upon request.

## Pets

Pet waste should be cleaned up promptly to maintain grass cleanliness and attractiveness. If your space consistently faces pet or animal waste, regular cleaning should be performed to keep the grass free from residue.



## High-Traffic Areas

Due to the nature of play spaces and the constant heavy use they undergo, certain areas in playgrounds or parks may be susceptible to exaggerated wear or damage.

High-traffic areas (such as zones under or around equipment, walking or running paths, etc.) that are exhibiting signs of advanced deterioration or damage should be monitored and cared for. Only approved ForeverLawn installers should perform extensive maintenance or repairs on weathered turf. Be sure to contact your local ForeverLawn dealer should such an issue arise.

## Use of Power Equipment and Motorized Vehicles

When maintaining natural grass near the synthetic grass, take care to avoid direct contact between the blades or wire of power equipment and your ForeverLawn product.

Do not mow or use power lawn care equipment on the turf. ForeverLawn is not responsible for damage caused by personal equipment, such as vacuum sweepers, heaters, or snow blowers.

If a vehicle must traverse the turf, extreme caution should be taken in starting, stopping, and turning. The surface should be properly protected from sharp or pointed edges of any objects or equipment placed on the grass. Standard protective mats are recommended for this purpose.

## Repairs and Replacement

Only ForeverLawn-approved infill should be used in ForeverLawn products. Infill replacement should only be done under the direction and approval of an authorized ForeverLawn dealer.

If a repair is needed, such as in the event of a loose edge or a tear in the turf, please contact your local ForeverLawn dealer.

We are happy to have you as part of the ForeverLawn family! For additional questions or comments regarding the care and maintenance of your ForeverLawn synthetic grass, please do not hesitate to contact your local authorized ForeverLawn dealer. We are glad to assist you!

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**PLEASE NOTE:** Due to a rise in the use of low-E windows and reflective siding, there has been an increase in damage to exterior vinyl and plastic household items including artificial turf. Care should be taken to ensure that your ForeverLawn is not exposed to intense light reflections that may cause curling or melting of the grass fibers. Items that may cause magnified light issues include, but are not limited to: low-E windows, reflective siding, glass tables, clear plastic toys, and other translucent or reflective surfaces.

