

Where to Buy Sand and What to Use for Sandbox, Rubber Mulch for Playground, Ogden & Salt Lake City, Utah

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Summer is the perfect time to build the sandbox or playground your kids have been begging you for. So how do you decide **what sand to use for a sandbox** or what material to place under a playground? Do you know [where to buy sandbox sand in Utah?](#)

The experts at Staker Parson Companies Landscape Center answer all your questions about sand. With a variety of materials, textures and colors, Staker Parson Companies Landscape Centers in Utah have the materials you need to build the perfect play area for your kids.



Q: What is the best sand to use for a child's sandbox?

A: Our mortar sand is perfect for a child's sandbox. Mortar sand is a fine sand that we mine locally. Stepping into this soft sand will remind you of stepping in the sand at the beach. Mortar sand is available for purchase at most Staker Parson locations in Utah and at landscape centers in Ogden, Salt Lake City, Spanish Fork and Lehi. Mortar sand comes in two different colors, brown and white.



Q: What is the best material to put under a swing set?

A: We have several options for material to place under a swing set or in a child's play area. White or brown mortar sand can be placed under a swing set and used as a sandbox. We also recommend using **rubber mulch for playground** bases. Rubber mulch is a shredded, soft rubber that comes in bright colors of blue, green, purple, blue, redwood and black.

Another material to place under a playground is Sof' Fall, an engineered wooden mulch that is blonde in color. Sof'Fall is tumbled and soft so the children don't get slivers that may come from regular wood mulch.

Q: How deep should I place sand for sandbox or rubber mulch for playground?

A: We recommend placing sand two to three inches deep in a sandbox. We recommend placing material deeper, at least six to eight inches, if you are placing it under a playground or swing set. Staker Parson Companies Landscape Center can help you calculate the amount of sand you need. Just measure the length and width of the area,

determine how deep you will place your material, and call today at 888-90ROCKS. You can also go to our website to use our materials calculator.

Don't wait any longer to build the sandbox or playground your kids are dreaming of. The experts at Staker Parson Landscape Centers can provide you with the materials you need to get started today. Whether you decide to use mortar sand, Sof'Fall or [rubber mulch for your playground in Ogden or Salt Lake City Utah](#), Staker Parson Companies Landscape Center will make sure the material in your new sandbox or playground area fits your needs. **Mention this article and receive 15% off your next order of sand or mulch.** Offer expires December 2011. Call 888-90ROCKS or visit www.stakerparsonlandscape.com today.