



## ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT TEMPLATE REFERENCE GUIDE

The following checklist is to give additional information when using the VI Environmental Audit template.

- When completing an environmental audit, think about the child or young person who is going to be moving through the environment.
- Look at the route to be travelled and think about the different implications of entering and existing a room or area.
- The lighting should not change between transitions of areas and environments.
- Weather can have implications on the physical environment:
  - 1. Audits should be revisited through the seasons.
  - 2. Metal walking surfaces can be slippery and a potential hazard when they are wet.
  - 3. Audits should be carried out at different times of day, so that natural lighting factors can be assessed.