Preschool & Educational Facility Janitorial Walkthrough Checklist & Success Reminders

Reminders for a Successful Walkthrough (Preschools & Educational Facilities)

Be Prepared: Confirm appointment, bring tools (measuring tape, checklist, camera), dress professionally (uniform, ID badge), research the facility type (preschool, K-12, private, daycare, etc.).
Engage the Client (Director, Principal, Facilities Manager): Introduce yourself, listen carefully, ask about major cleaning and sanitization concerns (allergies, illness outbreaks, parent concerns).
Clarify Scope: Determine frequency of cleaning, classroom-to-cleaner ratio, specific exclusions (locked rooms, art materials), preferences for green/non-toxic products.
Be Thorough & Observant: Walk all learning spaces, restrooms, cafeterias, play areas. Take note of touchpoints, shared materials, sinks, cubbies, classroom furniture, and storage.
Health & Safety Focus: Ask about illness prevention protocols, disinfection procedures, and any licensing or state requirements for cleaning materials or documentation.
Estimate Accurately: Include time for thorough surface disinfecting, floor care, restocking, and supply needs. Consider unique student schedules or nap times.
Follow Up: Thank the client, summarize your understanding, share proposal delivery timeline, and highlight commitment to safe, healthy learning environments.
Facility Information
Facility Name:
Contact Person:

Title:

Phone:
Email:
Address:
Type of Facility (Preschool, Elementary, etc.):
Approx. Total Square Footage:
Desired Cleaning Frequency:
Cleaning Hours Restrictions/Access Times:
Specific Licensing / Health Requirements:
Classrooms
Number of Classrooms:

Average Sq. Ft. per Room:
Floor Type(s):
Condition:
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Desks / Tables:
Chairs:
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Cubbies / Storage Units:
Whiteboards / Chalkboards:
Sinks / Dispensers:
Number of Dispensers:

Trash / Recycling Bins:
Number of Trash Cans:
Shared Equipment / Touchpoints:
Specific Client Requests:
Restrooms (Student & Staff)
Number of Student Restrooms:
Number of Staff Restrooms:
Avg. Sq. Ft. per Restroom:
Toilets / Urinals / Sinks:
Floor Type:

Condition:
Partitions / Privacy Walls:
Soap / Paper Dispensers:
Trash / Sanitary Bins:
Number of Trash Cans:
Grab Bars / Accessibility:
High-Touch Points Protocol:
Specific Client Requests:
Cafeteria / Kitchen Areas Cafeteria Size (Sq. Ft.):

Floor Type:
Tables / Chairs:
Counters / Serving Areas:
Sinks / Food Prep Surfaces:
Trash / Compost / Recycling Bins:
Number of Trash Cans:
High-Touch Points Protocol:
Food-Safe Disinfectant Required?:
Specific Client Requests:

Offices / Staff Rooms **Number of Offices / Meeting Rooms:** Staff Lounges: Floor Type(s): Desks / Chairs / Tables: Appliances (Microwave, Fridge): Trash / Recycling Bins: **Number of Trash Cans: High-Touch Points Protocol: Specific Client Requests:**

Gym / Multi-Purpose Rooms Room Size (Sq. Ft.): Floor Type: Benches / Mats: Doors / Handles: **Trash Bins: Number of Trash Cans: High-Touch Points Protocol: Specific Client Requests:**

Playgrounds / Outdoor Areas **Outdoor Cleaning Expectations:** Playground Equipment to Sanitize: Surface Type (Rubber, Grass, Wood Chips): **Trash Receptacles: Number of Trash Cans: Specific Client Requests: Common Areas / Hallways / Entrances** Total Estimated Sq. Ft.: Floor Type(s):

Handrails:
Entry Mats:
Glass Doors / Partitions:
Drinking Fountains:
Trash Bins:
Number of Trash Cans:
High-Touch Points Protocol:
Specific Client Requests:
Periodic Work
Carpet Cleaning Frequency:

Floor Waxing / Buffing:
Window Cleaning:
High Dusting (Lights, Vents):
Furniture / Cubicle Panel Cleaning:
Deep Disinfection / Illness Response:
Other (Pressure Washing, Gum Removal, etc.):
General Observations & Protocols
Access / Alarm Procedures:
Janitor Closet Locations / Sinks:
Disinfectants / Products Preferred:

Green / Eco Product Required?:
PPE Requirements for Cleaning Crew:
Client-Supplied Materials:
Facility Age / Condition:
Top Client Concerns:
Clutter / Obstacles Noted:
Sensitive Items or Student Belongings: