

Good idea?	Please give your reasons (optional)
Yes	My child is autistic and likes to wander. This would help his safety
Yes	Safer for the children
Yes	Child safety
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Yes	Safety of children when playing
Maybe	I was under the impression that dogs were not allowed on the field anyway?
Yes	It will give me peace of mind while playing with my children
Maybe	Dogs are not allowed on playing field. People still go in existing fenced off play areas in village with dogs and children despite notices saying no dogs. Don't think fence necessary on the field in this case
No	I really don't think it's necessary, I have never had an issue with my children wandering off or dogs coming in the park area and my children are only 2 and 5. It is nice that the park area flows freely onto the field, children often end up playing team games after school there as natural progression from the equipment. I actually think it would be harder to keep track of children if you have more than one if one is inside the "fenced" area and the other playing on the field with friends. Also think it would spoil the look of the area.
Yes	Child safety is paramount
No	Freedom to roam more freely and a sense of wide open space much more important to child's sense of wellbeing and to developing choices about risk than being hemmed in so that parents can have a false sense of calm about safety. Assuming dogs not allowed still anywhere on the field then fences not required to separate children from dogs either.
No	No matter how hard people try fences never look good in a park. Kids don't wander off if their parents are watching them and dog owners are gradually being squeezed out of every bit of open space.
Yes	Much more important than the zipline. Very very unsecured at the moment. Especially on football days.
No	My whole life the parks been fine without a fence how about stop wasting the village's money as you always do and fix the roads and paths
Yes	It adds a degree of safety for parents with multiple children, if you're helping one, the other can't just run to car park etc
Yes	Yes I think it's a great idea as I have children myself and would like to know they are playing safely even though I never take my eye off of them.
Yes	Children are more enclosed, therefore safer. No ball games should be allowed. There is the rest of the field for that.
No	My children like the openness of this playground, it's nice to be able to have children feeling connected whether playing on the field or in the play area, and gives them a bigger sense of space rather than being shut in. Dogs aren't allowed on the field anyway, waste of money for no benefit
No	I personally like the freedom of the park with no fences, but then my daughter uses the whole field like a number of children do. I don't think a fence is necessary, dogs should not be on the park anyway (according to signs) so that is not a reason to put them up unnecessarily. If a young child wanted to get out they would do, fence or no fence!
Yes	For the safety of the small children
Yes	As a childminder I'm often over there with a few children in my care so would feel reassured if fenced off that they couldn't wander off as sometimes hard to watch all of them at the same time
Yes	Safety
Yes	To give parents peace of mind when using the park and keep children safe and secure when using the equipment
No	It is a great open space that works well tucked onto the corner. We've never had a problem with dogs or safety
Yes	Gives more reasons for dogs to use that area on the field if it's fenced off
Yes	Safer and easier, especially if you are keeping an eye on more than one child

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Yes	For the reasons stated above
Yes	For reasons of child safety and yes to keep dogs off the area.
Yes	Safety away from cars
Yes	Safer.
Maybe	I like the idea of it being fenced in but maybe leaving some extra grass area within it to allow for picnics inside the area as it is a park that gets very busy.
Yes	Safety of the children
No	It will take away from the village feel of the place. It is something you would see on a housing estate. Our children played there a few years ago with no issues. All children did. Why change it. We are losing the rustic village. Horrible.
Yes	As you say to keep children safe from wandering off and to avoid possible dog incidents occurring and dog mess.
Yes	Safety for the smaller children and reassurance for parents given it's near a car park which can be busy at times. Stops dogs getting in.
Yes	Th stop the younger children from running off
Yes	It segregates the area
Yes	Safer environment for children
Yes	As a parent I would be able to relax more, if fenced and let them play rather than constantly chase after my kids when they wonder off in to the bushes or towards the car park! Been saying for years the park should be fenced.
Yes	Keep dogs out
Yes	Keep children safe and dogs out
Yes	For exactly the reasons stated in the FB post - to make it clear where the playground starts/ends, to keep out dogs (I've had to clear up dog mess on more than one occasion) and also to prevent young children from wondering off.
Maybe	The main area people worry about is the hedge near lexden road as this has a few holes in it especially in the corner but i do not think the whole area needs fencing.
Yes	Safety for children. Especially good for keeping dogs away from the area.
Yes	It would allow young children to play freely, my 2 year old grandson loves to play on the play equipment a fence would make it a safer place. Dogs should not be a reason as dogs are not allowed on the orpen field anyway. Although some people do not comply.
Yes	Keep the children safe and away from dogs and from wandering onto the football pitch when a game is being played.
Yes	To keep the dogs away from the play equipment
Yes	Would be much safer for younger children that may wander off. I also worry when my son kicks a ball about it may hit younger children so would be better if he could do this outside of the park boundary
Yes	Safety
Yes	It keeps children much more safe. Families can feel happier taking more than one child. Families can stop worrying so much and relax a bit more.
Yes	It creates a safe space especially if football matches are being played
Yes	Child safety as so close to busy road.
Yes	Keep the dogs from roaming where the children and play. Security for the kids.
Yes	Safety of children from both people and dogs
Yes	It would make it a safer space for the children to have as their own
Yes	Keep animals out the area , and to offer more safety to children playing
Yes	To keep children safe, reduces chance of children wandering off and getting hit by the dangerous zip wire that's being installed.

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Yes	Safety
Yes	Keep dogs out, more secure for very young children
Yes	It will keep the area clean and safer for the little ones who enjoy it
Yes	Keep small children in an enclosed area
No	It's a nice open park, free flow so games and running can flow in and out of the park area without kids negotiating gates (fingers getting trapped.) Also, if we picnic in the shade by the trees (near Mumford Close entrance) in the Summer we can see across the field to the older children in the park without the view being blocked by a fence. The Park can get really busy (sunny days in early Summer after school) so it's nice to have it open so those meeting all have room without feeling hemmed in. Save the money and maintenance costs please.
Yes	As a parent of 3 children I always would visit parks that are fenced rather than not as it is easier and safer for them to play independently
Yes	Kids safety, keep dogs away
Yes	Children can wander off if no fence. When my son was small there was a hole in the hedge towards the road side and he ran through it luckily I stopped him before he could run into the road. Also would deter dogs.
Yes	I've always wondered why it's not already fenced in, it would give a little extra safety for children, I vote yes 👍
No	The children love running across the field and along the hedges etc, I don't think it's a problem it's not fenced in (I have a 3 year old and have never been concerned by this) The money would be better spent on more play equipment or elsewhere. Kids can still get out of gates if they want to
Yes	Go for it.
Yes	We regularly use the park and I do think fencing it will make me feel more at ease - so I'm not worrying that my children will walk/run too far away from the park. Also it could mean that it would stop dogs going into the park if they were to be allowed on the playing field.
Yes	Safety and dogs
Yes	To keep the children safe, as some dog owners do abuse the rules, maybe they cannot read.
Yes	Child safety
Yes	Keep dogs out that shouldn't be there anyway, and to provide security for keeping young children in one space. It's good for parents with more than one child as you know one won't run off.
Yes	I believe every park should be for safety reasons.