

# Case Study

## Daventry Country Park, Northamptonshire

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Daventry Country Park, a popular park situated in the urban fringe of Daventry within one mile of the town centre, needed a complete overhaul.

The new area had to have high play value, which gave us a chance to be highly creative and to focus on providing local children with something inspiring. It was agreed we would include feature boards, clearly outlining the play values for all abilities and provide enough equipment for over 80 users.

For younger children (aged two to six), we included a diverse range, including the UniMini Kalbo Multi-unit to provide climbing opportunities, the Mini Titan Rotary Swing, a Willy Jeep Spring Mounted Ride, a Rota Roka roundabout for spinning, and NRG stepping stones to test balance.

For older children, we included the UniPlay Castle Multi-unit as the play area’s centre piece. This unit providing varied play opportunities, including climbing, sliding and educational benefits is complemented by a timber Group Swing, Nexus Freestyler Dynamic Swing, Due Swinging Carousel, and a Tornado Overhead Carousel to encourage constant movement.

A number of play units make the playground inclusive for all abilities, as Mirage Seat boasting an ergonomic design great for children with cerebral palsy, a small trampoline to burn off energy and meet sensory needs and numerous play panels to stimulate cognitive activity.

Gemma Mason, Community Projects Officer, tells us:

“HAGS understood the needs of the park and its users as the site is quite large and needed a good range of equipment to suit all ages and abilities”.

“The equipment is proving to be a great addition to the country park, and we have received brilliant feedback from our visitors. We look forward to seeing the play area used by many over the summer months”.

**Project value: £108,570**



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