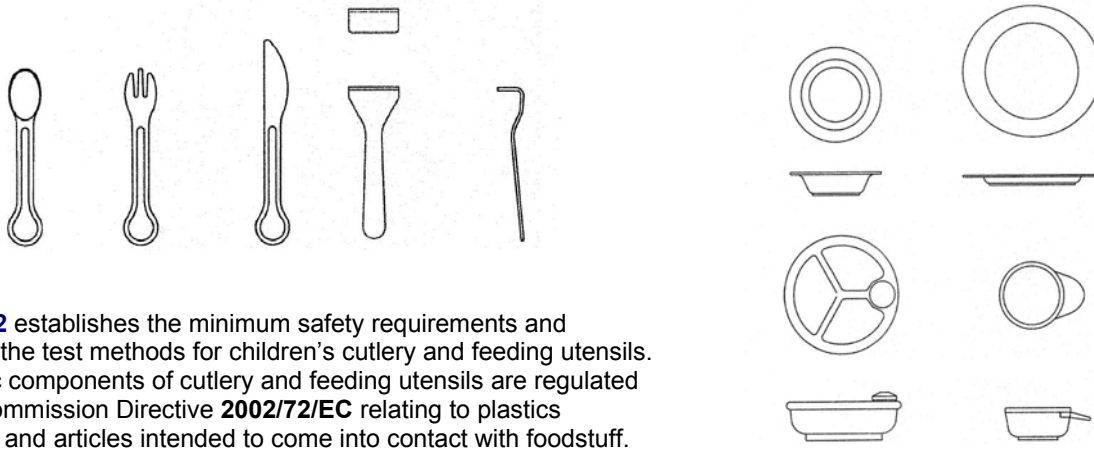


HOKLAS Accreditation on EN 14372:2004

We are pleased to announce that Specialized Technology Resources (H.K.) Limited has obtained the HOKLAS accreditation on **EN 14372:2004** for **Children's Cutlery and Feeding Utensils**.



EN 14372 establishes the minimum safety requirements and specifies the test methods for children's cutlery and feeding utensils. All plastic components of cutlery and feeding utensils are regulated by the Commission Directive **2002/72/EC** relating to plastics materials and articles intended to come into contact with foodstuff.

All products fall into the **EN 14372**, shall meet the following requirements:

General Requirements	Mechanical Requirements
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Free from sharp points, sharp edges & small parts per EN 71-1 test methods. Holes of Hard materials (with Shore A Hardness > 60IRHDs) shall NOT admit a 5.5-mm diameter rod unless it allows the insertion of a 12-mm diameter rod or has a penetration of less than 10 mm. No print from decoration shall be removed from products per EN ISO 2409 test. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tensile strength Torque test Tear resistance Strength / Rigidity test Drop test
	Chemical Requirements
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Migration of certain elements per EN 71-3 Phthalate content Formaldehyde release Volatile compounds content Nickel release Bisphenol A release

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