

Toilet Training Policy

The early years practitioners aim to meet the developmental needs of each individual child within their care with regards to toileting.

Potty/ toilet training in nursery will begin at the request of a parent/ carers depending on the child's individual needs. Potty/ toilet training initiated at home will be continued within the nursery, to maintain continuity of care where possible.

The children will be offered the opportunity to use the potty/ toilet at 20 minute intervals or if the child indicates toileting needs. The skincare regime will be the same as the nappy changing procedure, wipes and creams will be used. Parent/ carers will be informed of their child's progress through the day at feedback and will have opportunity to discuss this with their key person day to day.

If a child has a toilet accident they will be changed following the nappy changing procedure policy and all 'soiled' belongings will be in a nappy bag placed in the child's individual bag to be taken home when collected by parent/ carers.

Sticker charts will be used to promote positive reinforcement where required.

Please note every member of staff has an enhanced DBS to ensure the safety of the child.

This policy was implemented by Springboard Management Team: please note all policies and procedures will be reviewed on a yearly basis, unless there is a need to implement changes prior. Please note any updates and changes will be forwarded by email.

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