



Red Dragon Pre-School

Policies and Procedures

Toilet Training

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6.8 Toilet Training

Policy statement

The experience of toilet training should be positive and children will only do this when they are ready.

When considering whether it is appropriate to toilet train, the following steps need to be taken.

Discuss with the child's parent whether or not they feel their child is ready to begin toilet training, liaise with them throughout the whole process.

Observe the child's dry periods to assess whether it is appropriate to train him / her.

Offer a choice of potty or toilet. Take into consideration the child's physical capability in being able to use a potty or toilet.

Aprons and gloves must be used when cleaning potties after each use and when a child has a toileting accident.

Take the child to the toilet regularly. Give lots of praise during toilet training and do not reprimand verbally or non-verbally when he / she wets or soils themselves. Acknowledge that all children sometimes forget to go to the toilet especially when busy.

Discuss with parents at the end of each session to discuss the child's progress.

This policy was adopted at a meeting of	Red Dragon Pre-School
Held on	
Date to be reviewed	
Signed on behalf of the management committee	
Name of signatory	
Role of signatory (e.g. chair/owner)	