



GROWING ROOM ENRICHMENT CENTER

Toilet Training Policy

It is our policy that toilet training will not be attempted with children under the age of 18 months. Children are never punished or forced when toilet training. Diapering procedures guidelines are used when cleaning up a toileting accident. You are asked to supply extra changes of clothing while your child is in the toilet training process.

As your child nears two years of age you are looking forward to him/her learning to use the toilet. We look at potty training as a skill your child will gradually master with the proper assistance. We are here to provide support in the toilet training process and create a plan that is consistent, positive and manageable both at home and at school. We look forward to partnering with you to achieve this important milestone for your child.

As your child moves onto the next educational milestone (3 year old classroom), it is our belief that he/she should enter this new and exciting learning experience. Already potty trained. This is important so that both your child and his teacher can focus their energies on developing important cognitive skills through uninterrupted interaction with the curriculum and learning environment. It is not appropriate to ask a child who has not mastered the potty training process to adapt to the newly structured environment and focus on developing important cognitive skills. In addition, learning happens through quality teacher-child and child-child interaction, and diaper changing can be distracting for this type of early childhood experience.

We will transition successfully potty-trained children into the 3 year old classroom. If the child is not successful then they will remain in the 2 year old classroom until the child is successfully toilet trained and remains accident free for a continuous one month period. We feel this policy will ensure all children receive the program quality they deserve.

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian

Date