Potty Training Policy

The policy on Potty Training can be found in the Bethany Preschool Handbook on page 15.

We expect children entering the PreK3 program to be potty trained. If a child has a medical reason for a delay or extenuating circumstances, please discuss this with the Director or Assistant Director. We do not have staff available to change diapers in the PreK3 classes or a private place for changing them.

Parents are encouraged to have their child potty trained before the school year begins. Part of potty training includes being able to wipe themselves and handle their clothes. These are all important steps in a child's independence.

A child in PreK3 or PreK4 who is not potty trained by the end of October will be charged an additional \$10 per month for each weekday of school attended, up to a maximum of \$50 per month. This will cover the additional personnel and supplies needed to change and care for these children.

When it is established that the child is potty trained and only having occasional accidents, the additional fee will be removed. This will be documented in the classroom by the aide who does the change each time. If three accidents happen within a 30 day span, the child will not be considered potty trained and the additional fee will be assessed through the office. After January, if a child is continuing to have accidents, the fees will be charged after two accidents in a 30 day cycle.