

Queen of Angels Potty Training Policy

Children enrolled in Pre-K3 and Pre-K4 at QOA must be potty trained before attending preschool. Children must be wearing underwear. A child having accidents daily would not be considered potty trained. Please note that wearing pull ups isn't considered being potty trained.

Why do children have to be potty trained before they begin preschool? There are strict standards for changing and disposing of wet or soiled diapers. The classrooms are not equipped for this. When an adult is busy changing a child, it is taking away from learning time for all students and it removes one adult from the rest of the class.

We do understand that even potty trained children will occasionally have toileting accidents. By definition, an accident is an unusual incident and should happen very infrequently. In these instances a teacher will help children change their clothes.

A potty trained child is one who can do the following:

1. Communicate to the teacher that he/she needs to go to the bathroom before it is too late.
2. Stop what they are doing if they feel the need to go to the bathroom.
3. Pull down his/her clothes and get them back up with very minimal assistance, preferably none at all.
4. Wipe him/herself after using the toilet.
5. Wash and dry hands.

After the first 2 weeks of school, the following policies will be in place for the children who have accidents outside of nap time.

1. If the child has an accident where he or she is wet, the child will change themselves with minimal assistance from the teacher, only if needed.
2. If the child has an accident where they soil their pants, a parent will need to come to school and clean and change the child.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation with our Potty training Policies at QOA. We look forward to a fun and successful year with your child!!

I confirm that I have read the policy above and agree to comply with the requirements.

Name of Parent/Guardian _____

Signature _____