



GOLDEN CHILD DAYCARE

Potty Training Readiness & Support Guide

Where children are treated like family

Potty training is an important milestone, and every child reaches it in their own time. At Golden Child Daycare, we believe potty training should be gentle, encouraging, and pressure-free.

👉 Is My Child Ready for Potty Training?

Your child may be ready if they:

- Stay dry for 2 hours or more
- Show interest in the bathroom or wearing underwear
- Can follow simple directions
- Tell you when they are wet or dirty
- Can pull pants up and down (with help)
- Dislike being in a dirty diaper

🌟 Tip: Age alone does not determine readiness — emotional and physical signs matter most.

🌟 Our Potty Training Philosophy

At **Golden Child Daycare**, we:

- Never force or shame a child
- Encourage independence at the child's pace
- Use positive language and praise
- Partner closely with parents
- Celebrate small successes 

Accidents are expected and handled with care and reassurance.

How We Support Potty Training at Daycare

We provide:

- Scheduled potty breaks
- Gentle reminders and encouragement
- Support with handwashing and hygiene
- Consistent routines
- Open communication with families

Children are never compared to others — progress looks different for every child.

How Parents Can Help at Home

Consistency between home and daycare is key. We recommend:

- Using the same words for potty ("potty," "toilet," etc.)
- Dressing your child in easy-to-remove clothing
- Sending extra clothes daily
- Encouraging bathroom attempts without pressure
- Celebrating effort, not just success

Avoid punishment for accidents — they are part of learning.

What to Bring for Potty Training

Please send:

- 2–3 changes of clothes
- Pull-ups or training underwear (if used)
- Wipes (if needed)
- Clearly labeled items

Signs Your Child May Need More Time

It's okay to pause potty training if your child:

- Becomes very upset or resistant
- Has frequent accidents with no progress
- Shows signs of stress or anxiety
- Is experiencing major life changes (new sibling, move, etc.)

We will always communicate if we feel your child may benefit from waiting.

Our Promise to Families

Potty training is a partnership. We are committed to:

- Respecting your child's development
- Keeping you informed
- Supporting your parenting choices
- Creating a safe, loving environment

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