



Montessori School of Schenectady
Primary Toilet Training Policy

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Dear Parents,

The Montessori School of Schenectady does not require incoming first year Primary students to be fully toilet trained, however all students entering the Primary classrooms should be capable of the following:

- pulling pants/pullup up and down with minimal help
- sitting on the toilet
- washing their hands
- beginning to recognize signs that they need to use the bathroom.

If your child is not ready for underwear on a consistent basis, please discuss this with your child's teacher. We will change your child should the need arise, as well as, work with them towards independence in the bathroom. We expect you to work with your child at home on independence as the ultimate goal for the year.

It is expected that all second year Primary students be fully toilet trained before returning to school unless they are under a doctor's care.

Sincerely,
Jodi L. McClernan
Head of School

Please detach and sign and return to school.

I have read the above toilet training policy and agree to adhere to the guidelines mentioned. I give permission for the staff of the Montessori School of Schenectady to change and assist my child in the bathroom should the need arise.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Date: _____