

North Park Primary School



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Supporting your child with toileting or changing in Early Years

The majority of children, on entering Nursery and Reception class, are able to toilet themselves independently. All children occasionally have accidents and staff are used to dealing with these situations. With your permission, we will help change them and inform you when this happens. If you would prefer to change your child yourself please let us know. School does not have a designated separate changing area – we have a changing table in the toilet area in case of accidents.

Occasionally a pupil may not be fully independent with toileting. In these instances we ask that you complete and sign an intimate care policy. We will endeavour to support you so your child gains independence as quickly as possible and ask that you seek advice from your Health Visitor or the School Nurse – we can help with this. We usually find that children pick this up in a short time and become independent quite quickly.

If you have any concerns about this, please speak to a member of the EYFS staff – in the meantime please complete and return the attached slip.

Sincerely,

Mrs P Monk

North Park Primary School - Assistance with changing

Name of child..... **delete as appropriate*

*I am happy for a member of the staff team to change my child in case of any toileting accidents.

or

*I would prefer a member of staff to contact me if my child needs changing due to a toileting accident.

I agree to provide a change of clothes/pull ups (as appropriate) if my child needs more help with toileting.

I agree to contact the Health Visitor or School Nurse for additional advice for toileting.

Signed (parent/carer).....

