

DRY POLICY



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Children are required to be independent in their use of the toilet, including not using external aids such as nappies or pull ups, and able to clean themselves fully without assistance prior to attending camp. This will be defined by the company as "Toilet Trained". For all children, there is an expectation that the child will tell appropriate adults if they need to use the toilet, either verbally or non-verbally.

We are unable to provide physical support to a child if a toileting accident occurs. This includes cleaning and wiping, as our team are not trained to provide intimate care. Verbal guidance will be given in the event of an accident and if the child is unable to follow these instructions, the responsible adults will be called for early collection.

In exceptional circumstances, where intimate care of the child is required and the adult responsible for collection is unable to attend in a timely manner, emergency care may be provided. This will ideally happen with verbal consent of the responsible adult. In this event, or if the camp is unable to reach the responsible adult, two staff members will be present. All attempts to contact the responsible adult will be documented, including the time and method of communication. If consent is not provided, the responsible adult will take over the child's care on collection. In the meantime, we will reassure the child and ensure they are as comfortable as possible while waiting to be picked up.

Responsible adults may also be required to collect their child early if the child is deemed as not toilet trained. We reserve the right to deny a child's participation at camp if, in our opinion, the child is not considered "Toilet Trained" (See above definition) based on wearing external aids and/or a pattern of toileting accidents within one holiday camp period. An incident report form will be completed for every toilet accident that occurs.

- If a toilet accident occurs, in the first instance, we understand this could be due to being in unfamiliar surroundings or excitement. In this event, the child will be required to change into spare clothes provided by the responsible adult. If alternative clothes have not been provided, we will contact the responsible adult to provide these.
- If a second accident occurs, we will phone the responsible adult to discuss whether it is appropriate for the child's participation in camp to continue. The child will be required to change into spare clothes provided by the responsible adult. If alternative clothes have not been provided, we will ask the responsible adult to provide these.
- If a third accident occurs, we will phone the responsible adult, and the child will be required to be collected immediately. Unfortunately, the child will not be permitted to camp for the remainder of the holiday period. The decision regarding the child's continuation at the camp after repeated accidents lies with the Camp Manager, based on the child's ability to meet the toilet training requirements.

An Incident Form will be completed for every toileting accident, regardless of the outcome or whether the responsible adult was contacted immediately.

Responsible adults of all children in Playtime Group are required to provide a full set of spare clothes for their child each day. Failure to provide spare clothes may result in the responsible adult being called to supply them immediately or collect the child if necessary.

While this policy provides a general framework, the camp reserves the right to make decisions on a case-by-case basis, considering the individual circumstances of each child.

If necessary, please refer parent to our Booking Conditions 6.4.