Cardinal Preschool
Potty Trained Policy

All children attending Cardinal Preschool at St. Joseph Catholic School must be fully potty trained before they attend.

Definition of Fully Potty Trained

A fully potty-trained child is a child who can do the following:

* Be able to tell an adult they have to use the bathroom *before* they have to go.
* Be able to pull up and down their underwear and pants without assistance.
* Be able to wipe without assistance, for pee and poop.
* Be able to get on and off the toilet by themselves.
* Can use the bathroom without a potty seat or chair.
* Be able to wash and dry hands.
* Be able to postpone going if they must wait.
* Wear cloth underwear: **No Pullups or Diapers allowed**

Accident Policy

Accidents do happen. Accidents, by definition, are unusual incidents and should only happen infrequently.

If your child has daily accidents or two accidents a day, they are not potty trained to the extent of a school setting.

If we find that a child isn't potty trained in a school environment parents may choose one of the following options:

1. The student may be withdrawn from preschool and then re-enroll when he/she becomes fully potty trained. **Please note, the student's spot will not be able to be held if this option is chosen.*
2. Parents may pay the student's tuition to hold the spot until he/she is fully potty trained. Often a child can take a two week break to focus on potty training and return fully potty trained.