

Teddy needs a wee!



Support your child with understanding how and when to use the potty or toilet



What you will need

- Teddy or other favourite soft toy or doll
- Potty
- Wipes or toilet roll
- Pants or knickers

Safety first

Emphasise the need to wash hands after going to the toilet

How to carry out this experience

- Ask your child to help put some pants or knickers on their teddy or doll. Explain to your child that Teddy needs our help today; they need to have a wee, but can't remember what to do. Can they help?
- Encourage your child to remember the things they should do if they need a wee for example:
 - Tell a grown up
 - Go into the toilet
 - Pull down their underwear
 - Get on the toilet
 - Have a wee
 - Wipe when they have finished
 - Get off the toilet
 - Pull up their underwear
 - Flush the toilet
 - Wash their hands
 - Dry their hands
- Provide your children with a clean potty and some wipes or toilet roll. Can they help Teddy today?
- Talk about why we need to wash our hands when we've used the toilet

How does this help my child's development?

- This experience helps your child to sequence the stages of going to the toilet.
- Using role play helps children to make connections between different parts of their life experience



Making *potty training* fun and easy for little ones!