

6 by 6 Books to Go

Johnson County Library

Kit theme: **POTTY TRAINING**

- Book titles included:
 1. **Sarah On the Potty** by Pauline Oud
 2. **Potty** by Leslie Patricelli
 3. **Big Boys Go Potty** by Marianne Richmond
 4. **You Can Go To the Potty** by William Sears
 5. **Pottytime For Chickies** by Janee Trasler
- DVD: **Potty Time**
- CD: **Potty Time Songs**
(DVD and CD are packaged together)



Additional titles available at the Johnson County Library:

Once Upon a Potty - Boy by Alona Frankel
Once Upon a Potty - Girl by Alona Frankel
The Big Potty Book by Guido van Genechten
Ian's New Potty by Pauline Oud
Big Girls Go Potty by Marianne Richmond
Going To the Potty by Fred Rogers
Dinosaur Vs. the Potty by Bob Shea
How To Pee: Potty Training for Boys by Todd Spector
How To Pee: Potty Training for Girls by Todd Spector
Potty Adventure (DVD)

Books for parents:

Stress-free Potty Training by Sara Au
The Everything Guide to Potty Training by Kim Bookout
Toilet Training the Brazelton Way by T. Berry Brazelton

See the back for activities to help children with these *6 by 6 Ready to Read* early literacy areas:

Have Fun With Books
Notice Print
Talk, Talk, Talk

Tell Stories
Look for Letters
Take Time to Rhyme

Activity Ideas – Rhyme

Bathroom Books. Purchase inexpensive paperback copies of some of your child’s favorite books and designate them special “bathroom books” to only read while on the potty. Combining a happy activity like reading with the sometimes stressful activity like potty training can help ease the tension and encourage your child to take all the time he or she needs.

Counting Squares. Once you and your child have determined the proper amount of toilet paper to use (more than a square, less than a wad), help your child make a visual reminder by gluing that number of toilet paper squares to a piece of construction paper. Use a crayon or marker to write the number on the square and then practice counting each time you reach for the roll.

Start to Finish. Everything we do has a beginning, middle, and end including a trip to the bathroom! Before the need arises, talk about the steps in using the potty. From lifting the seat all the way to washing your hands. Breaking a task into its smaller parts may help your child remember all the steps.

Tinkle, Tinkle, Little Tot

(tune of: Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star)

Tinkle, Tinkle, little tot,
There you sit upon the pot.
Any second you will see,
Sprinkle, splash as you go pee.
Tinkle, tinkle, little tot,
There you sit upon the pot.

Potty Song

(from www.littlebabybum.com)

I like to sit on the potty.
It is so much fun!
Sometimes I have an accident,
And that’s OK because...
Every day I try again.
I pee in the potty and wash my hands.
I’m growing up,
I’m getting tall,
And one day won’t need diapers at all!

This Is the Way We Wash Our Hands

(tune of: Here We Go ‘Round the Mulberry Bush)

This is the way we wash our hands,
Wash our hands, wash our hands.
This is the way we wash our hands
To scrub away the germs.
This is the way we use the soap,
Use the soap, use the soap.
This is the way we use the soap
To scrub away the germs.

Clap For Clothes

We wear shoes, they come in twos.
(clap clap)
We wear socks to hop on rocks.
(clap clap)
We wear pants to do a dance.
(clap clap)
We wear underwear just under there.
(clap clap)

You’ll find a printable copy of this activity sheet by searching for this kit in our Library’s web catalog.