

## Severn Beach Preschool

### **Nappy Changing Policy**

Children attending Severn Beach Preschool who are still not toilet trained and are wearing nappies will be encouraged and assisted in their toilet training by caring supportive staff members when they are developmentally ready and in agreement with parents.

- Staff members will remind assist and encourage children to use the toilet remembering the individual child's needs stage of development and readiness for toilet training.
- Nappies will be checked discretely throughout the day and changed as necessary. Staff members will note when nappies have been checked or changed.
- Staff members will respect the child's privacy when changing nappy and use the nappy changing unit provided.
- Gloves and aprons will be used and changed between nappies, the mat will be wiped down between changes.
- Preschool will keep spare clothing for those children who are still new to toilet training.
- Parents will supply nappies, wipes and nappy sacks for their child. Preschool will store nappies and wipes sent in in the named pockets above the changing mat.
- Dirty nappies will be sent home with child. No disposal facilities available.