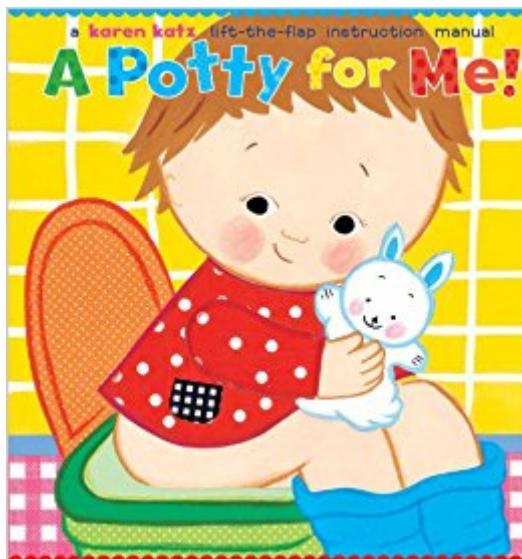


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A Potty For Me!



Synopsis

Mommy got me a brand new potty! But I'm not ready yet! I want to run and play. Uh-oh, I peed in my pants. But Mommy says, "That's okay!" Children will love following along and lifting the flaps to see the child play, sit on the potty, eat, sit on the potty, sleep, and then sit on the potty...until finally there is success. Written from a child's point of view, this new potty-training book will help children join in the final refrain, "I'm so proud of me!"

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Customer Reviews

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A pleasant and fairly innocuous addition to an already crowded field, this rhymed book with reinforced pages uses color cartoon illustrations of a child of indeterminate gender who tries, with mixed results, to use the potty. The upbeat text employs expressions like That's okay! and Yeah! I really did it! If you already own Lara Jones's *I Love My Potty* (Scholastic, 2002) or Harriet Ziefert's *Max's Potty* and *Sara's Potty* (both DK, 1999; o.p.), you probably have enough on the subject. But if you need a new title (and remember, there's only so much that's possible in a book of this type), this one will serve its purpose.
Jane Marino, Bronxville Public Library, NY

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bestselling Where Is Baby's Belly Button? After graduating from the Tyler School of Art in Philadelphia, she attended the Yale Graduate School of Art and Architecture where she became interested in folk art, Indian miniatures, Shaker art, and Mexican art. Her book, Counting Kisses, was named one of the 100 Greatest Books for Kids by Scholastic Parent & Child and was a Children's Book-of-the-Month Club Main Selection. Karen, her husband Gary Richards, and their daughter Lena divide their time between New York City and Saugerties, New York. Learn more about Karen Katz at KarenKatz.com. Karen Katz has written and illustrated more than fifty picture books and novelty books including the bestselling Where Is Baby's Belly Button? After graduating from the Tyler School of Art in Philadelphia, she attended the Yale Graduate School of Art and Architecture where she became interested in folk art, Indian miniatures, Shaker art, and Mexican art. Her book, Counting Kisses, was named one of the 100 Greatest Books for Kids by Scholastic Parent & Child and was a Children's Book-of-the-Month Club Main Selection. Karen, her husband Gary Richards, and their daughter Lena divide their time between New York City and Saugerties, New York. Learn more about Karen Katz at KarenKatz.com.

Some reviews made me hesitate in purchasing this and I'm glad I didn't wait long. My son is 1 1/2, and I don't expect that he's ready for serious training yet, so he's actually at a perfect age for this book. We read this book first and I presented him with his "gift", and he surprised me by actually saying pee- but he was too excited and by the time the pants and diaper were off, he ended up peeing next to his new potty, instead of in it. The book takes a lot of pressure off the process and I don't feel it's too negative, at least for his age. He really likes it. It's very cute and the flap pages, illustrations and the relatable story keep him engaged. He's not ready for his diapers to come off, and this book is really an educational tool to introduce him to the potty world and what to expect. I highly recommend it, especially for the 1 1/2 y/o range. I also highly recommend her peekaboo book, (best age 6mo to 1 1/2 yrs)..

what a bizarre idea and interpretation is even worse. hard to turn pages, because the flaps are all wrong direction, the story line is as boring as ridiculous. not simple. not clear. how in the word baby can associate potty to bathing...just ridiculous.

This may be THE pre--potty book for a child who is a sweetie-pie, not into the resistance mode, who is none the less apprehensive. The book takes a the child through the first days after receiving a gift-wrapped potty, signal that "Mama thinks I'm ready." The morning brings a dry try, followed by

wet jeans which Mama tenderly changes saying "It is OK." After a night wearing a diaper, the child and Mama sit together, also dry time. Preparing for a bath, running water inspires the little one, who performs and "I'm so proud of me" and so is Mama. "Yeah! I really did it. And now I know I can!" The pictures are simple yet with more complex colors and expressions; the story gets across one may sit and sit and sit on that new potty, accidents happen, but before too long, the child can look forward to more gifts---new underpants! The format is more complicated. Opposite a regular page is a long page which is folded in half and tucked in the center spine. Little hands may need help and wind up skipping the hidden pages or tearing them---or some well-coordinated children may find this enticing!"A Potty for Me" is fairly priced for hard-cover, glossy heavy quality paper, and many colors. Probably a read-to-me book rather than one a smaller toddler could handle alone?

Great for potty training. My son says, "Uh oh, she peed pants" on the page where it shows she peed through her pants. He put on underwear and said bye bye diapers. All because of this book.

Absolutely awesome! Karen Katz is always a fave in our house. I ordered this and *Big Girl Undies!* by Karen Katz at the same time for my 17 month old as we are slowly beginning the potty training process. We have been signing "potty" "poop" and "pee" for about as a year and she really understands potty well. She sits down on the potty a lot (usually with clothes on but we can get her to for up to 10 minutes without clothes too). This is an AWESOME lift the flap book in Karen's usual style but it's even longer than her typical books. I'd say 2-3x longer and talks a lot about how baby normally has to have diaper changed but that's changing, talks about the process, how accidents happen, etc. Really awesome little instruction manual in Karen's normal gorgeous, recognizable drawings and colors that's already a new fave. Really hoping it will help my daughter understand even more as we continue a slow, gradual potty training journey and work up to readiness to switch over.

I actually bought two copies of this book, one for home and one for Grandma's house. My daughter enjoys reading this book while she sits on the potty. In fact, every morning she yells "pee pee" so she can sit on the potty and read this book. I appreciate the genderless nature of the protagonist, though I read it as being a girl since that's what I have. Unlike other "girl" potty books, this one doesn't make mention of panties. I just hate that word, "panties." As others mentioned, there is one line I am not crazy about, "But this potty is not for me" which I read as "But I'm not quite ready." Other than that, I think the mistakes and accidents are good because we learn not to worry or be

ashamed of such things. Also, we don't give up, we keep trying! My daughter is only 20 months so we are not worried about the full handwashing and wiping portion of potty training just yet. I recommend this book for young toddlers just being introduced to the potty.

My 1 year daughter loves all the books from this author, but this is her favorite. She loves lifting the flaps and looking at the beautiful, brightly colored illustrations! Perfect book to teach your little one about potty training, this is my #1 choice in that category.

The baby loves this. I mean loves it so much it's all mangled. I wish the book was made thicker because she rips the pages from flipping this so much. I guess it's not quite meant for a 16-month-old, but I wanted to start the potty idea early. She has yet to sit on a potty, but she knows the story!

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