



The following are the criteria that we have found as good indicators for a child's success in our **NATURE PRESCHOOL** if he or she has not been in a school setting before and is **2 ½** years old.

- Must be confidently walking
- Must be able to signal his/her needs (even if non-verbal)
- Is able to follow a set of 2-3 simple instructions
- Is able to separate from primary caregiver
- Is able to feed self without the need for a bottle
- Is able to make it through the morning without needing a nap



The following are the criteria that we have found as good indicators for a child's success in our **FOREST preKINDER** if he or she is not yet **3 ½** years old.

- Must be potty trained
- Must be able to communicate his/her needs
- Demonstrates gross motor coordination
- Demonstrates increasing fine motor control (ie opening of containers)
- Demonstrates growing independence in regard to gear