

Parenting Support Program

Offerings

- Montessori for Babysitters & Nannies
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- Homeschooling the Montessori Child (2 separate classes based on age)
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Class Descriptions

Montessori Basics for Babysitters & Nannies:

You are babysitting or nannying a Montessori child and you want to know the basics of Montessori? You are wondering how to bring consistency between school and home? You are a parent with a babysitter or a nanny and you would like them to be more knowledgeable about Montessori.

You will learn basic Montessori concepts and techniques that will help you provide developmentally appropriate and consistent expectations. We will cover the basic Montessori concepts of human development, the importance of and how to prepare the physical environment, the language that best promotes affirmation and cooperation, and setting up a social-emotional environment to best support children.

Be prepared to participate in small-group discussions and leave with practical take-aways that you can apply immediately.

3-week Course, 1.5 hr sessions 8-10 participants maximum \$75

New-to-Montessori Parent Series:

Your child is starting Montessori in the Fall? Are you excited and intrigued? interested in learning more about what Montessori is, and what your child will be doing in school and why? This class is for you!

You will learn about the basic Montessori principles and how they apply to your child. We will demystify the Montessori jargon and practices, and give you tools to understand what your child is learning at school. Be prepared to participate in small group discussions and leave with practical take-aways that you can apply immediately.

4-week Course - 1.5 hr sessions 8-10 participants maximum \$95

Veteran Montessori Parent Reboot:

This class is intended for <u>veteran</u> Montessori parents (whose children have been in Montessori for several years) who need a refresher on how to best support their Montessori child at home, or for those whose child is moving into a new phase of development and want to be better prepared for what's coming.

You will be reminded of the basic Montessori principles and how they apply to your growing child and how to support their growth and development at home. Be prepared to participate in small group discussions and leave with practical take-aways that you can apply immediately.

3-Week Course - 1.5 hr sessions 8-10 participants maximum \$75

Montessori at Home Series: 2 cohorts based on age: under 6, or 6 to 12

This class is designed to help Montessori parents set up their home in a manner that is consistent with the Montessori principles. You will learn about the Montessori principles and how they will inform setting up your home environment from both the physical and emotional standpoints.

Be prepared to participate in small group discussions based on the age of your child, and leave with practical take-aways that you can apply immediately.

4-Week Course - 1.5 hr sessions 8-10 participants maximum \$95

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Homeschooling the Montessori Child:

There will be 2 different classes based on the age of your child so that each content will be specifically tailored to your child's age.

In this time of pandemic with distance learning becoming an integral part of your child's school experience, come learn together how to best support your child's experience at home.

You will be reminded of your child's age-specific developmental characteristics in order to tailor his/her activities. You will learn how to best set up activities that will support your child's quest for independence and growth. You will learn to elicit your child's cooperation while setting expectations.

For Children Under 6 years of age: 3-Week Course - 1.5 hr sessions 10 participants maximum \$75

For Children in Lower and Upper Elementary: 3-Week Course - 1.5 hr sessions 10 participants maximum \$75