Welcome to 2019/2020 School Year



School resumes on September 9th 2019

NEW TO MONTESSORI?.... What to expect...

Starting a new year in a Montessori environment is a very exciting time! Here are some things you can expect at the start of the new school year.

- The first few days (and weeks) of school can be nerve wracking. Talk to your child about how they feel about going back to school and about how you felt on your first day of school.
- Students are to be left to their class teacher/assistant at the drop-off area.
- Parents should not follow them to class unless during the gradual integration period.
- For a child returning to the same environment, you might ask him or her to relate the things that are the same or different as compared to last year.
- Expect up to a six-week adjustment period in their new environment
- Returning students become role models and leaders for new friends in the classroom.



Operating Hours

7:30am - 6pm on weekdays. Extended day hours available.



Meal OptionsFull - Day Meals

Lunch Only



School Bus

Operates between ikoyi-Ikate. Beyond Ikate is charged differently.

MORNING ARRIVAL

The children may begin to arrive from 7:30 am - 8:00 am. When they arrive they are allowed to play outside till it's time for the program to begin by 8am.

"Extended hours" is available from 6:00 am - 7:30 am for those who pre-register for it.

DISMISSAL

The **Infant room** is closed by **6:30 pm** ("extended hours" till 7pm applies)

The Toddler class is dismissed at 2:30 pm

The **Children's house** is dismissed by **2:30 pm** for 1st and 2nd level children. 3rd level children are dismissed by **3:30 pm**.

"Extended hours" is available from 2:30 pm - 6:00 pm for those who pre-register for it.

PLEASE REQUEST FOR A COPY OF THE NEW CLASSROOM SCHEDULE IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ONE.

LATE PICK-UP

Please don't be late to pick your child up. It is known to create a feeling of abandonment in the child.

Late pick up fees are payable immediately.

BREAKFAST/SNACKS

If your child is not signed on for the school meal, please make sure to pack something for breakfast time regardless of if he has eaten breakfast already. Anything will do, even just a cracker.

PHONE NUMBERS

Frontdesk: 08188889012, 09070000150

CH: 09078287645

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UNIFORMS

ALL children in the children's house must adhere to the school uniform code. The uniforms may be purchased from any uniform store. Badge should be purchased from front desk.

BIRTHDAYS

In our Montessori preschool classrooms, we make birthdays into very special occasions, which celebrate the child's development, and at the same time teach some meaningful lessons to our student. Families are invited to share this special ceremony, and to contribute to it.

A representation of the sun is placed in the middle of the room. Labels with each month of the year are laid out in a circle radiating out from the "sun." The children and teachers sit in a wide circle around the sun and months of the year, while the birthday child stands next to the month of his or her birth holding a globe to represent the Earth. The child then walks around the sun one time for each year of his or her life. As the child walks, the class sings the birthday song, then the teacher talks about what the child was doing when he or she was that age. Parents usually write or say a sentence or two or send in pictures of the child.

Cakes and low sugar drinks and snacks can be brought in by the parents to be shared by the class teacher at an appropriate time. NO PARTY PACKS ALLOWED.