

## COURSE SCHEDULE

MWTTP teacher preparation courses are offered every year.

### **STARTING DATE: The last Monday in June**

Summer sessions are 8 weeks in length; which usually offers a few weeks' break before students must report to their student teaching sites.

**CLASS HOURS:** academic/Summer Phase sessions are scheduled from 8:15 A.M. – 5:00 P.M. (with a 45-minute lunch). Some evening labs are also scheduled.

### FEE SCHEDULE

#### AMS CERTIFICATION COURSES:

Early Childhood (2 ½ - 6) \$5,000.

Elementary Level I (6 – 9) \$5,500.

*AMS Scholarship:* The American Montessori Society offers scholarships to qualified persons. To obtain information and an application form, go to [www.amshq.org](http://www.amshq.org) and into the Teacher Resources link. In order to be eligible, students must complete the MWTTP Application/Acceptance process by April 15 of the year in which they wish to receive the scholarship. The deadline for submission of AMS scholarship applications (to the AMS office) is May 1.

#### SUMMER PHASE ONLY

Early Childhood (2 ½ - 6) \$3,428.

Elementary Level I (6 - 9) \$3,718.

Additional fees include a \$300. nonrefundable registration fee, and a \$373. AMS/MACTE membership fee, which is not refundable after the first week of the summer phase. (Note: All books and supplies furnished by the program are included in the fees quoted here. The nonrefundable registration fee is required with the application form and is applied to the total amount due.)

**EARLY CHILDHOOD OVERVIEW COURSE (45 Hours) \$500.**  
What's this? All Elementary I (6 - 9) applicants who do not have previous Montessori Early Childhood certification must take this course in order to meet the prerequisite requirement (See MWTTP Brochure: Admission).

**LATE REGISTRATION FEE: \$150 (After May 1, 2020)**

## HOW TO ENROLL

### Step 1:

Official transcripts verifying high school graduation, and/or college work/degrees, and previous Montessori training (have these sent directly from the institution to MWTTP at the address below).

**TRANSCRIPTS MUST BE RECEIVED** by the program before scheduling an enrollment appointment.

### Step 2:

Make an appointment for an enrollment interview with:

Michelle Light Baker, MWTTP Director

5856 Belgrave Avenue, Garden Grove, CA 92845

Telephone: (714)481-1024

Email: [michelle@montessoriwesternteachertrainingprogram.com](mailto:michelle@montessoriwesternteachertrainingprogram.com)

### BRING THE FOLLOWING:

1. The application form and the \$200. nonrefundable application fee;
2. A brief essay on your experience with Montessori education and why you wish to take the training;
3. 2 copies of previous teaching credentials and employer verification of classroom experience (6 – 9 applicants only).

**NOTE: THE ENROLLMENT PROCESS MAY NOT BEGIN WITHOUT A PROGRAM ASSESSMENT OF THE PROSPECTIVE STUDENT'S OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS.**

The required Enrollment Interview offers an opportunity for the student to receive a course overview (verbal), ask questions, have a tour of the facility, and meet some of our valued staff members. At the time of the interview, students will receive a MWTTP Course Catalog which contains a detailed description of coursework, requirements, and policies (also found at [www.montessoriwesttraining.com](http://www.montessoriwesttraining.com)).