

MONTESSORI EXPLORER

Unlocking Learning For A Lifetime



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The following school fees are the monthly installments of the annual fee. There are 12 total installments. The school is a year around school with shorter breaks throughout the school year. School will open for camps during the shorter breaks at a separate cost in addition to the monthly school fees installment. All withdrawals from the program must be communicated in writing (letter/email) with a 30-day notice (no exceptions). The month's school fees are due prior to the child's last day. School records will be held until all balances are paid in full.

2020-2021 Tuition Fees

Hours of Care	Toddler ¹	Preschool	Kindergarten	Elementary ²	Jump Start Pmt
8am-12:15pm	\$820	\$730	Not Offered	Not Offered	\$450
8am-3:15pm	\$900	\$785	\$785	\$830	\$450
7am-6pm	\$1036	\$921	\$921	\$966	\$450

1. Toddlers include all children under 3 years old and any diapered child. *Fees for this group do not change mid-year due to potty training. The only exception is a classroom change due to readiness.* 2. Level 1-3

Tuition Conditions

Tuition is paid a month in advance and due on the **25th** day of each month. There is a five-day grace period. Payment must be received by no later than the 1st of the month. After the 2nd of the month your account will reflect an automatic non-waivable late fee of \$45. The tuition is a 12-month installment and tuition are paid in full each month. **No tuition discounts, tuition holds, temporary withdrawals, or non-payment is granted for holidays, vacations, absenteeism, natural disasters, pandemics, or midyear withdrawal due to switching schools.** Withdrawals of students are not granted after the first semester other than for military families. Students withdrawing after the first semester of the school year must pay the remaining tuition installments until end of the school year. No records will be transferred until all payments are up to date.

First day of School

Before your child's first day of school the following be paid.

Enrollment fee + First monthly tuition installment + the deposit of ½ month of June 2021*

*The deposit of ½ of June 2021 is only refundable if the child is withdrawn during, the first semester with a 30-day written notice.

Payments accepted in form of cash, check, money-order, debit card, ACH withdrawals, and Jump Start Finance.

Jump Start Finance

Lower your payment to \$450 per month for 3-5-year-old children. Covers the cost of tuition & fees.

Visit jumpstart-finance.com for more information or to apply for their line of credit program.

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Child Care ends at 6pm Sharp

Children picked up past 6:00pm will be charged \$20 for the first 15 minutes or part thereof, and \$1 per minute after 6:15pm. Late fee is per child. These fees should be paid to the teacher providing childcare after 6:00pm. Please bring cash so you can pay the teacher immediately. We reserve the right to discontinue childcare services to families who repeatedly leave children past 6pm.

Child Care Rates

Incidental Child Care is charged at \$10.00 per hour or fraction of an hour (15-minute blocks).

Child Care

Mornings: 7:00-7:45am

Afternoons: begins at 12:30pm for half day or at 3:30pm for full day

Childcare will be terminated if child/ren are disruptive or has disciplinary issues or if parents are abusive to staff

Discounts Offered

5% tuition discount for siblings enrolled after the first child

5% discount on all annual school fee payments

Military, Fire, Police & Emergency Responders discount - \$50 off registration fees per family

Military: must present a valid military I.D. at time of enrollment to receive a 5% discount on tuition. (Only applies to active military parents)

****Please note: Discounts cannot be combined, and each family is allotted only one discount**

Annual Fees

Payable in the form of cash, check, money order, or cashier's check only

Pre-school Registration: \$350 | Elementary Registration: \$400

Enrollment fee is non-refundable. No exceptions

Late Fees

Tuition is paid a month in advance on the 25th of each month.

An automatic late fee of \$45 (non-waivable) is applied to the account on the 2nd of the month.

An additional \$5/per day will be charged after the 5th of the month and will continue to accrue until payment has been received.

If the due date falls on any one of the school's, Fall, Winter, or Spring Break, payment is due before the school holiday. Late fees will be charged on the assigned dates above if payment was not received on time.

Returned check fees are \$35.00 the first incident & \$40.00 thereafter.

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