

Material Making Workshop

As teachers, material making is part of what we do to enhance our teaching environment and stimulate the child's learning experience.

At this workshop, best practices for material making will be discussed.

-Explanations of how to create materials

-Discussing tools, paper products, cutting and laminating techniques, and much more

Part 1 – July 12th and 13th 2025

The following will be made in class:

Saturday July 12

2 Language materials

2 Botany materials

Sunday July 13

2 Practical life activities

A timeline for History



Cost - \$250 (includes all materials). We are providing printouts of pictures and written materials to make the above materials.

**Attendees are encouraged to bring their laptops to make these materials, as well as implement their own ideas.*

Saturday, July 12, 2025

AM

Language

1. *Jumbled Sentences*

- Pink and Blue Scheme

Give a sample of 2 sentences for each scheme.

Have attendees make 4 more sentences to have a set of 6 sentences for each scheme.

Write or use a computer to print (colour code) out on strips of paper

Laminate and cut out the words.

Provide 2 small Ziplock bags for storage

2. *Matching Beginning Sounds to Letters*

- Attendees will get 6 letters (1 vowel and 5 consonants) and Matching pictures (4 or 5)

Laminate and cut to make a matching activity

OR

Matching Uppercase letters to Lowercase letters.

OR

Listening to short vowel sounds in a pink scheme phonetic word.

PM

Botany

1. *Parts of plants we eat sorting activity*

- A picture with a small plant with parts labelled and columns with the headings leaves, stem, roots, flowers, fruit and seeds
- 3 to 4 picture cards for each category for sorting
- Control sheet
- Attendees will laminate and cut out the activity

2. *Parts of a seed*

- Stencils for parts of a seed
- Attendees trace and cut out the parts of a seed on felt
- Labels written on cardstock to be laminated and cut.

Sunday, July 13, 2025

AM

Practical Life

1. Have a variety of materials for each attendee to make a simple practical life activity.
2. Make Patterning Cards
Have foam cut-outs and strips of cardstock
Attendees will trace cut-outs to make a pattern on the strips of cardstock
The activity is to follow a pattern on a strip and make the pattern with the cut-outs.

PM

Culture - History

Make a timeline (to be chosen)

-Give each attendee the material to make a timeline.



Registration Form:

Venue: *Century Private School, 11181 Yonge Street, Richmond Hill, ON L4S 1L2*

Tel: (416) 571-5571

Part 1 - Material Making Workshop - Saturday July 12 and Sunday, July 13, 2025

From 9:00 am. to 4:30 pm.

Total fee for both days (15 hours) - \$250 (materials included)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

I will attend both Saturday, July 12 and Sunday, July 13, 2025

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Certificates of Attendance will be awarded to all those present who complete the two days total of 15 hours of the Part 1 - Material Making Workshop.

Note: This certificate does not indicate completion of a MACTE accredited course
Those in attendance will need to be punctual, bring lunches, and enjoy this journey!