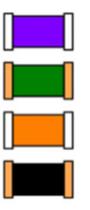
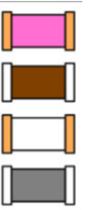




Montessori Early Childhood Education

Teacher/Refresher/Parent/Information Workshop



How we teach



What we teach



Get new ideas

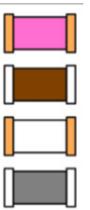


Why we teach

-the purpose behind each presentation



Rediscover your love for teaching



Help your children learn

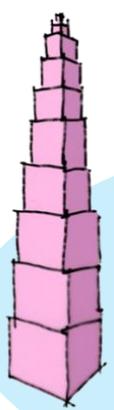
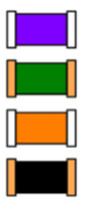


When we teach

-observe the child's readiness



Supervised practice



All educators/parents will gain an understanding of Dr. Maria Montessori's Philosophy, Principles and Method of Education when teaching children ages 2 ½ through 6 years.

All are Welcome!  
Read on for dates.



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***Montessori EC Assistant/Refresher/Information***

***Summer Workshop***

***8-days (52 hours) on weekends (Saturdays & Sundays)***

***Month - August - 8, 9, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29, 30 - Year - 2026***

***Venue:*** Century Private School  
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**Montessori EC Assistant/Refresher/ Information Workshop  
for the Montessori Education of Children ages 2 ½ through 6 years**

**August 8, 9, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29, 30 – 8 weekend days (52 hours) - 2026**

*During NTTI's Workshop, the adults attending gain an understanding of the Montessori philosophy, and the purpose and use of the Montessori materials in each of the five areas of the Montessori curriculum.*

*In order to earn a **Montessori EC Assistant Certificate**, you will need to attend all 8 days from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. **Fee - \$800 for all 8 days***

*The **Refresher/Information Attendance** - choose areas needed for review **Fee - \$125 per day**  
For **Practical Life** or **Sensorial** (1 day and ½ ), the fee is \$187*

**August 8 and 9, 2026 (1 full day and ½ )**

**Welcome**

*A brief history of Dr. Maria Montessori's Life and Work*

*Description of the **Prepared Environment***

*The Role of the Teacher / Assistant Teacher*

*Meaning of 'Normalization'*

**Practical Life** (Everyday Living Skills)

*Students will gain an understanding and the purpose and use of the materials presented*

**Practical Life Presentations:**

1) *Introductory Exercises*

2) *Preliminary Exercises*

3) *Exercises that develop Fine Motor Skills*

*A brief description of the Montessori Philosophy*

1) *Care of Self*

2) *Care of the Environment*

3) *Manners and Courtesy*

4) *Walking the Line (for balance and grace)*

5) *The Silence Game*

**Behaviour and Classroom Management**

**August 9 and 15, 2026 (1 full day and ½ )**

**Sensorial Education** (Education of the Senses)

*The **Sensitive Periods** (occurring during the First Stage of Development)*

*Objectives of the use of the Sensorial Materials*

*The Seven Properties of the Sensorial Materials*

**Sensorial Presentations:**

1) *Visual Sense Exercises for children to gain an understanding of Dimensions*

2) *Colours (Chromatic Sense) - Primary and Secondary Colours, Colour Grading*

3) *Geometric Shapes*

4) *Binomial Cube*

***Sensorial Education continues:***

- 1) *Tactile exercises for developing the sense of touch*
- 2) *Auditory exercises for developing the sense of hearing*
- 3) *A description of the Exercises that develop the sense of smell (Olfactory), and the sense of taste (Gustatory)*
- 4) *A description of the Baric exercises for developing the weight discrimination*
- 5) *A description of the Thermic exercises for developing the sense of temperature discrimination*
- 6) *Stereognostic exercises for developing the sense of 'seeing by feeling'*

***August 16, 2026***

***Cultural Subjects***

*The Montessori approach to teaching:*

*Geography*

*History*

*Botany*

*Zoology*

***August 22 and 23, 2026***

***Language Arts***

*Description of the Development of Language*

***Language Arts Presentations:***

- 1) *Exercises using the Metal Insets for design*
- 2) *Sandpaper Letters - learning the phonetic sounds of the letters of the alphabet*
- 3) *Large Moveable Alphabet - used for word building phonetic words*
- 4) *Pink Scheme - 3-letters or less, Blue Scheme - 4-letters or more*
- 5) *The Phonetic Farm - used for forming phonetic phrases/sentences and for students to gain an understanding of early grammar (parts of speech - article, adjective, noun, verb, and adverb)*
- 6) *Two (2) Small Moveable Alphabets, each one of a different colour, for teaching phonograms, digraphs, and non-phonetics*
- 7) *Green scheme - phonograms, digraphs, and non-phonetic words*
- 8) *Early Grammar - students gain an understanding of the order and function of the Parts of Speech in a sentence (syntax). They are shown how to introduce and work with each of these parts of speech.*

***August 29 and 30, 2026***

***Mathematics***

*Understanding Numbers and Arithmetic/Mathematics*

***Math Presentations:***

1) *Understanding the Numbers 0 to 10 -*

*. quantities (concrete) and number symbols (abstract):*

*Number Rods*

*Sandpaper Numbers*

*Combination of Number Rods and Number Symbols*

*Spindle Boxes*

*Number Symbols and Counters*

*Coloured Bead Stair*

*Positive Snake Game*

2) *The Decimal System - introduction using the golden bead material*

*- introduction using the decimal number cards*

*- combination of golden beads and the decimal number cards*

*- show the picture of the Bird's Eye View - counting through*

1) *Operations using the Golden Bead Material*

2) *Operations using the Stamp Game*

3) *Teen Numbers - Seguin Boards for quantities and number symbols*

4) *Ten Numbers - Seguin Boards for quantities and number symbols*

5) *Beads, Boards, and +, and x Charts - recording*

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*Time will be given for practice and for demonstrating homework assignments that are memorable and fun!*

NEWBOROUGH TEACHER TRAINING INSTITUTE

Registration Form

Dates – August 8, 9, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29, 30, 2026 – weekends from 9:00 am. to 4:30pm

Cost for attending all 5 subject areas is \$800 for 8 days

Cost for attending specific areas @ \$125 per day = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ days

For Practical Life or Sensorial (1 day and 1/2), the fee is \$187

Registration date: On or before July 31, 2026

Payment may be made either by cheque or by eTransfer to: [Info@newboroughschool.com](mailto:Info@newboroughschool.com)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Telephone: Home: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to attend all 5 subject areas \_\_\_\_ .

OR Subject areas of choice: Practical Life \_\_\_\_ on Aug. 8,9. Sensorial \_\_\_\_ on Aug 9,15.

Culture \_\_\_\_ on Aug 16. Language \_\_\_\_ on Aug 22 and 23. Math \_\_\_\_ , on Aug 29 and 30.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

A Montessori EC Assistant Certificate will be awarded to attendees who have full attendance and complete all areas being presented  
Those attending the Refresher/Information Subject areas will receive a certificate of attendance for the hours and the areas that they participate in

**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!

