

# Spring Bilingual Montessori Academy

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## TUITION AND FEE SCHEDULE 2010-2011 TUITION SCHEDULE

### HALF-DAY

8:30 to 11:45 am

*Morning Montessori for all children with individual and group activities in the prepared environment.*

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| <i>Annual:</i>   | \$8,170 | = \$200 deposit + \$7,970                     | Aug. 1          |
| <i>Semester:</i> | \$8,275 | = \$200 deposit + \$4,037.50                  | Aug. 1 & Jan. 1 |
| <i>Monthly:</i>  | \$8,485 | = \$200 deposit + 10 installments of \$828.50 |                 |

### HALF-DAY + LUNCH

8:30 to 12:30

*An extension of the Half-Day program. Children bring lunch from home to enjoy the social experience of eating with teacher and friends, and to benefit from additional foreign language immersion and the lessons of grace and courtesy pertinent to good table manners, appropriate table conversation, setting the table, serving and cleaning up.*

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| <i>Annual:</i>   | \$9,865  | = \$200 deposit + \$9,665                     | Aug. 1          |
| <i>Semester:</i> | \$9,970  | = \$200 deposit + \$4,885                     | Aug. 1 & Jan. 1 |
| <i>Monthly:</i>  | \$10,185 | = \$200 deposit + 10 installments of \$998.50 |                 |

### FULL DAY (2 ½ - 3 ½ YRS, WITH NAP)

8:30 to 3:00

*For 3-year olds requiring afternoon care, a continuation of the morning Montessori program through lunch and nap in the afternoon. Children bring lunch from home and eat with their foreign language teacher.*

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| <i>Annual:</i>   | \$10,440 | = \$200 deposit + \$10,240                   | Aug. 1          |
| <i>Semester:</i> | \$10,545 | = \$200 deposit + \$5,172.50                 | Aug. 1 & Jan. 1 |
| <i>Monthly:</i>  | \$10,750 | = \$200 deposit + 10 installments of \$1,055 |                 |

### FULL DAY (4 & 5 yrs) (child must be 4 by Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>.)

8:30 to 3:00

*A continuation of the morning Montessori program in the afternoon. The Montessori materials are available to the children, with additional focus on games, art and movement activities and other Montessori-oriented manipulative experiences. Children bring lunch from home and eat with their foreign language teacher for additional spoken language practice.*

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| <i>Annual:</i>   | \$10,670 | = \$200 deposit + \$10,470                   | Aug. 1          |
| <i>Semester:</i> | \$10,780 | = \$200 deposit + \$5,290                    | Aug. 1 & Jan. 1 |
| <i>Monthly:</i>  | \$10,990 | = \$200 deposit + 10 installments of \$1,079 |                 |

**EXTRA-CARE AND FEE SCHEDULE AND POLICIES****EXTRA CARE BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL 7:30 to 8:30 am and 3 to 6 pm**

*Supervised play for children who must arrive before or be picked up after school hours.*

- Extra-care can be reserved and paid in advance, either monthly or by semester, or paid by the hour. (See table below.)
- Drop-in care is offered on a space-available basis.
- *Semester payments* are due on the first of August and January. *Monthly payments* are due the first of each month from August through May (= 10 payments). *Hourly charge* is per hour or part hour after a 10-minute grace period. Hourly fees are posted at the end of the month and due by the 5th of the month following.
- *Late pickups* after 6:00 pm are \$1 per minute for the first half-hour and \$5 per minute after 6:30pm. Also, after the fifth time late - \$5 per minute, payable directly to the person in charge that day, at the time of pickup.

|                  | <u>Semester</u> | <u>Monthly</u> | <u>Hourly</u> |
|------------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------|
| 11:45 to 12:30pm | —               | —              | \$15.00       |
| 7:30 to 8:30am   | \$815.00        | \$167.00       | 9.50          |
| 3:00 to 4:00pm   | 815.00          | 167.00         | 9.50          |
| 3:00 to 5:00pm   | 1,530.00        | 318.00         | 9.50          |
| 3:00 to 6:00pm   | 1,920.00        | 398.00         | 9.50          |

**FEES**

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| <b>Application fee</b>    | \$50          | One-time only with application for enrollment.<br>Non-refundable unless there is no chance for placement.   |
| <b>Snack fee</b>          | \$50/semester | Optional fee in lieu of providing snack to the class.   |
| <b>Late fee</b>           | 3%            | A <b>3%</b> finance charge will be assessed to all accounts 30 days past due date.<br><br>This charge will accrue monthly until <b>all</b> payments are made.                   |
| <b>Returned check fee</b> | \$40          | Assessed on checks returned by the bank for NSF.<br>Please note: Following a returned check, subsequent payments will be accepted only by money order, certified check or cash. |

- Quoted rates are for the entire school year (September through mid-June as set in school Calendar).
- Late admissions will be prorated according to date of admission. Please inquire for specific prorata schedule.
- All programs are five days a week, Monday through Friday.
- The deposit indicated is non-refundable and due with a contract upon acceptance to the school.
- The balance may be paid in your choice of payment plans:
  - (1) *Annual*: in full by Aug. 1
  - (2) *Semester*: in two equal semester installments Aug. 1 and Jan. 1; or
  - (3) *Monthly*: spread out over ten installments, due on the first of each month from August through May.
- A *Sibling Discount* of 10% applies to tuition or Extra-Care of the second (or more) child in the same family simultaneously enrolled in Spring BMA.
- Snack is provided by parents approximately once per month, on a rotating basis according to the monthly menu. See Fees schedule for snack payment option.

*Spring Bilingual Montessori Academy admits students of any race, religion, ethnic or national origin and does not discriminate against any family on the basis of these factors, marital status or family structure. We seek and welcome cultural and racial diversity to our school community as a colorful expression of our global family ties.*