

# The Montessori House

Pre-School for Discovery and Growth

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426 Knickerbocker at Riveredge Rd.

Tenafly, NJ 07670

## Application for Admission

The Montessori House welcomes children of all races, religions, cultures, languages, and nationalities.

### Applicant Information

Child's name: First name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_ Last name: \_\_\_\_\_

Nickname/Preference: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: Male  Female  Date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy): \_\_\_\_\_

Languages spoken at home: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Home address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous schools or classes attended: \_\_\_\_\_

### Programs and Sessions Available *(all programs Monday – Friday on school schedule)*

Please indicate your first preference for a program and session for your child. We will try to accommodate your request, but do not guarantee your child will be placed in the program/session you indicate.

**SCHOOL YEAR MONTESSORI PROGRAMS** FULL-DAY: .....  8:30 AM - 3:00 PM  
(2.5-6 yrs. old)

HALF-DAY MORNING: .....  8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

**SUMMER MONTESSORI PROGRAMS** FULL-DAY: .....  8:30 AM - 3:00 PM  
(2.5 – 7 yrs. old – only school year  
enrolled students and older siblings)

Please indicate the month/year you want your child to start: \_\_\_\_\_ (must be 30 months or older)

### Family Information

Father's name: (Dr. /Mr.) \_\_\_\_\_

Home address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Work phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's name: (Dr. /Mrs. /Ms.) \_\_\_\_\_

Home address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Check appropriate status of parents:

Married  Divorced  Separated  Single  Widowed

**Sibling's name:** \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

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Family members who have attended Montessori schools: \_\_\_\_\_

Any physical or developmental circumstances that might warrant special attention\*: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Information about health or developmental conditions is not requested to exclude any applicant. Rather we wish to know as much as possible about your child and what particular efforts will make your child's time with us more valuable.

Who recommended us to you? \_\_\_\_\_

## Application and Admissions Procedure

1. Submit signed application and non-refundable fee of \$90.00 to The Montessori House.
2. Admission is subject to acceptance by the school and timely receipt of a registration agreement and required tuition payments. At certain times of the year, we may request a reservation deposit of up to \$1,000 (applied to tuition) to guarantee enrollment.
3. Before school begins, you will be contacted for a visit with you, your child, and our Director.
4. The Montessori House tries to accommodate your preferred program/session; however, balancing each class by age and gender insures the child's richest experience and, therefore, placement is the decision of the administration.

**SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN:** \_\_\_\_\_

Today's date: \_\_\_\_\_

Office use: Interview date: \_\_\_\_\_ Interview time: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Programs and Tuition 2026-27

<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>AGES</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>Regular Tuition</u> <sup>2</sup>	<u>Discounted Tuition</u> <sup>3</sup>
<b>FULL-DAY</b>	2.5 - 6 Yrs	8:30 AM to 3:00 PM <sup>1</sup>	\$25,900	\$24,700
<b>HALF-DAY MORNING</b>	2.5 - 6 Yrs	8:30 AM to 12:00 PM	\$16,500	\$15,700
<b>EXTRA CARE</b>		7:30 AM to 8:30 AM 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM	Hourly <sup>4</sup>	n.a.
<b>SUMMER 2026</b> <sup>5</sup> (JUNE 16 – JULY 24)	2.5 - 7 Yrs	8:30 AM to 3:00 PM <sup>1</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Full 6 weeks</li> <li>• June 16-July 2 (3 weeks)</li> <li>• July 6-24 (3 weeks)</li> </ul> (A la carte weeks may be offered, subject to availability.)	

<sup>1</sup> **Students eat lunch at school.** Students provide their own lunches.

<sup>2</sup> **Regular Tuition** payment schedule on following page.

<sup>3</sup> **Discount Tuition** must be **fully paid by March 24, 2026:** discount of \$1,200 (full-day) or \$800 (half-day).

<sup>4</sup> **Extra Care** 2025 Rates: \$15/hr pre-paid, \$18/hr post-paid.

<sup>5</sup> **Summer Fees**, enquire about current pricing and payment schedule.

### What's included with Tuition?

Tuition is all inclusive. In addition to the program of instruction for the school year (early September to mid-June), tuition includes daily healthy snacks.

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### PAYMENT PROCEDURES

A **\$90 non-refundable** processing fee is due when the **Application** is submitted. Once we're ready to offer placement (usually in January for the following September), you will receive a **registration agreement**. Once it is signed, returned, and the required payment made, your child's place is guaranteed for the new class starting in September. After we receive your agreement, we will contact you to arrange an appointment with you and your child for a short school-readiness meeting, usually in the two months before you child begins school.

A **registration deposit** equal to about 30% of tuition is due at the time the registration agreement is signed. The balance of tuition is paid in **three equal installments** due in 2026 in June, September, and December.

Note: When we first offer to place your child, and before sending your registration agreement, we may ask that you pay a **enrollment reservation deposit** (up to \$1,000 applied to tuition), in order to reserve your child's offered place. This deposit is non-refundable, except in the case that we do not place your child as requested.

We offer a **tuition discount of \$800** in our half-day program and a **discount of \$1,200** in our full-day program if we receive the signed registration agreement and tuition is fully paid by **March 24, 2026**.

If you enroll two children at The Montessori House concurrently, we offer a **sibling discount** of 10% for the 2<sup>nd</sup> child (lower tuition) – not applicable to After Care or Summer 2026.

### **Payment Schedule for Regular Tuition for the school year starting in September 2026 and ending in June 2027**

Item Due	Due Date	FULL-DAY	HALF-DAY MORNING
Initial Deposit	With Enrollment Agreement	\$6,700	\$4,500
Tuition Payment	June 3, 2026	\$6,400	\$4,000
Tuition Payment	Sept. 10, 2026	\$6,400	\$4,000
Tuition Payment	Dec. 10, 2026	\$6,400	\$4,000
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$25,900</b>	<b>\$16,500</b>