

A DAY AT EVERGREEN MONTESSORI

- Goal:** To further the development of the whole child (emotionally, socially, intellectually, and physically).
- Objective:** To achieve the goal through a well-prepared Montessori environment, a Montessori trained Directress, and through the use of other developmentally appropriate methods and objects.
- 6:30 Evergreen Montessori Opens
- 6:30 - 8:00 Arrival of extended-day children; Montessori work in the classroom.
- 8:00 - 8:15 Breakfast for students that are on the breakfast program. Other children are in the classroom working with Montessori Material.
- 8:15 - 9:00 Fine motor development in the playroom with a variety of toys: puzzles, blocks, legos, blocks, etc...
- 9:00 - 9:15 Arrival of children for morning class. Clean up of the playroom: A cooperative effort between the teachers and children.
- 9:20 - 9:30 Daily attendance is taken and the calendar is done together.
- 9:30 - 9:50 Group lesson – the teacher introduces Montessori activities from the shelves, (ex: pouring water, pink tower, moveable alphabet, number rods, cutting activity with scissors).
- 9:50 - 10:40 Individual work with Montessori materials and computer in the classroom.
Practical Life: pouring activities, folding activities, buttoning, tying, etc.
Sensorial: color tablets, sound boxes, touch boards, geometric cabinet, pink tower, etc.
Math: number rods, counters and cards, golden beads, addition board.
Language: tracing letter (learn sounds) on sand paper letters, matching objects with beginning sounds, chalkboard for writing letters etc.
Culture: World of Plants and World of Animals activities, puzzle, maps, etc.
- 10:40 - 10:45 Clean up for snack. Wash hands, wash tables, the children pass out flowers, napkins, and cups
- 10:45 -11:00 SNACK – monthly menu is posted.
- 11:00 Children help clean up after snack: tables washed, floors swept, chairs pushed in around tables.
- 11:00 -11:30 A variety of small and large group: Parachute, Lummi Sticks, Instruments, Singing songs, Finger plays, and Bean bag activities. One day a week we have Spanish, Stretch and Grow, and Show-n-tell.

- 11:30 -12:00 Free Play outside (weather permitting), or in large playroom with tricycles, climbers, balls, etc.
- 12:00 Half-day program ends @ 12:00 p.m.
- 12:00 - 1:00 Tables cleaned and children wash hands for lunch. LUNCH – monthly menu is posted

Afternoon Class / Extended Care Program

- 1:00 - 1:15 Clean up after lunch (tables cleaned, floor swept, etc.)
Nappers – wash and go to bathroom before nap.
Afternoon students have a quiet time looking at books.
- 1:15 - 3:00 Nap Time.
Advanced Montessori students work on reading activities, advanced Montessori material in language, math, science, sensorial, and art.
- 3:00 Nappers wake up.
Mid-day program ends at 3:00 p.m.
- 3:00 - 3:50 Free play with outdoor or playroom equipment.
- 3:50 - 4:00 Clean-up outdoor or playroom equipment.
Children wash hands for snack.
- 4:00 - 4:15 SNACK - monthly menu posted.
- 4:15 - 4:20 Clean-up after snack – wash tables, sweep floor
- 4:20 - 4:45 Different activities daily: play dough, puzzles, art projects, games (Duck Duck Grey Duck). Playtime in the large playroom or outdoors (weather permitting).
- 4:45 - 5:30 Playtime in the large playroom with cube, small trampoline, tricycles, and small boat.
- 5:30 - 6:00 Free time: puzzles, games, stories, etc.
- 6:00 CLOSED**