

# Spokane Public Montessori

At *Spokane Public Montessori*, we are committed to

***Learning, Community, Work, Peace, and Respect***

## Vision and Mission

At **Spokane Public Montessori**, we follow the Montessori philosophy to foster the independent development and interests of our children. The ***authentic Montessori*** prepared environment nurtures the intellectual, emotional, social, physical and spiritual potential of the whole child.

***At Spokane Public Montessori, We:***

**Create** lifelong learners and prepare children for life as citizens of a global community and stewards of the earth.

**Support** service to our school, community, nation and world.

**Work Collaboratively** with families to create a peaceful, supportive, compassionate and welcoming community where the understanding of and respect for differences lead to appreciation, self-reflection and personal growth.

**Develop** responsibility and support freedom in an environment where all children choose purposeful activity and meaningful work with focus on intrinsic rewards.

**Follow** Montessori principles and pedagogy.

**Seek** to create a positive experience for all children to develop their fullest potential while fostering independence, critical thinking and creativity.

Find out more information at: [www.spokaneschools.org/montessori](http://www.spokaneschools.org/montessori)

**Facebook:** Spokane Montessori Enthusiasts

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## New Family Orientation

### Tour Schedule

Attending an orientation session is strongly recommended before you apply to our program and required before attending our school if selected in the enrollment process.

You will discover the foundational principals that guide Montessori learning and curriculum and visit our classrooms. It will be a time to ask questions and see if Montessori is a good fit for your family.

## 2020-2021 Dates

August 19<sup>th</sup> Wed 4 pm

**September 19<sup>th</sup> Canceled**  
**Until Further Notice**

October 19<sup>th</sup> Wed 4 pm

November 19<sup>th</sup> Thur 4 pm

January 19<sup>th</sup> Tues 4 pm

February 19<sup>th</sup> Fri 4 pm

March 19<sup>th</sup> Fri 4 pm

April 19<sup>th</sup> Mon 4 pm

May 19<sup>th</sup> Wed 4 pm

Each orientation and tours last about 2 hours

Lottery Window is open Jan 1<sup>st</sup>-Feb 15<sup>th</sup>

**Please RSVP to reserve your space** by calling (509)354-6401 or email [shannonla@spokaneschools.org](mailto:shannonla@spokaneschools.org)

***Enrollment in Spokane Public Montessori is based on a lottery and then students are placed on a wait list until an opening is available. Siblings of currently enrolled students have sibling preference. Students living out of district are at the end of the waitlist until all the in-district students have been placed.***