



International Montessori Teacher Training Institute

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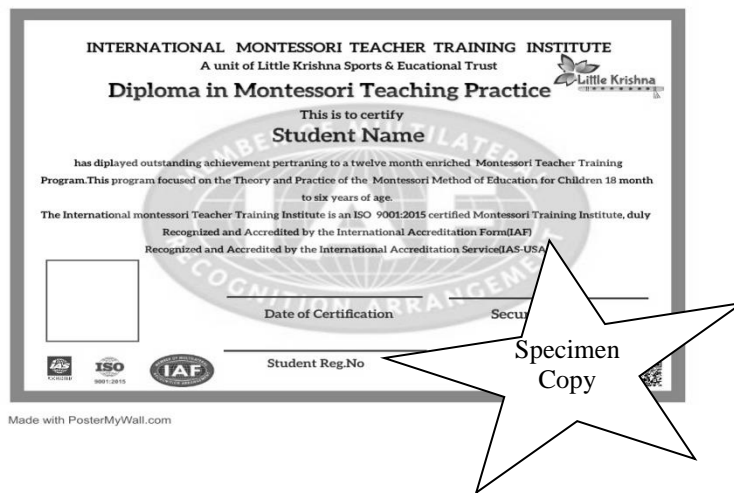
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OUR OBJECTIVE

To spread awareness about Montessori Philosophies and Methodology to all corners of the world. To instill in every teacher, the light of the Montessori guiding spirit. To work towards betterment of Mankind. Common goal for peace.



Who may do this course?

Students wishing to start their own Montessori School: The course includes a lesson on setting up a Montessori classroom or a Montessori School. Our team will give advice to any students who have successfully completed the course and who wish to start their own pre-school. We can advise on the location of premises/teachers/ equipment, enrolling new pupils, etc.

Students wishing to start Career as Montessori Teacher: This is an ideal course for students who are interested in Montessori Teaching. The course material is designed to understand and implement the technology of Montessori. As there is a large demand for trained Montessori in India and abroad students can make a very good career.

Teachers: This course is recommended to all experienced teachers of young children who wish to gain insight into the best way to individualize their teaching curriculum, so that children of mixed abilities may work at their own pace. Teachers should consider this course as an up-gradation, and could implement the Montessori methodology in the conventional schools.

Parents: This course helps parents understand the natural laws of growth and self construction in a child. Thus as a parent, you can help the child to grow to his utmost potential , and not unwittingly hamper the path of nature and create unintended deviations in your child.

For those who want to work with children: This course is highly recommended for young people interested in helping small children. It is also of great value for future parenthood. Our students work for a teaching diploma examination and at the same time, they are helped to attain a higher standard of education themselves with the help of written and practical work. On completion of the course, one could find suitable jobs in Montessori environments.

People wishing to help handicapped children: The course covers in detail the needs of the handicapped child. The entire course will benefit immensely anyone wishing to teach handicapped children and will enable such children to be integrated into the classrooms in preparation for life in the community.

Courses offered

International Montessori Teachers Training Institute, (LK-IMTTI), offers a comprehensive, regular class room (1 year) course in Montessori Teacher Training for those wishing to work with, or be in charge of Montessori house of children in the age-group of 3 to 6 years. Under Graduates are awarded a Montessori Teaching Diploma for the Preschool level. Diploma in Montessori Teacher Training (Regular)

Students are required to attend the Institute all working days of the week from 10.00am to 3.00pm. Our esteemed faculty will guide you through practicals. Theory and philosophy of Maria Montessori and child psychology will be conducted on Sunday from 10:00 a.m to 1:00 p.m. There will also be inputs in the form of guest lectures, supervised practice, material making, observation of children in the Montessori house and teaching practice. This Twelve -month course will start in the month of June, every year, to be completed by May, the following year. Accommodation can be arranged for outstation & overseas students.

HANDS ON TRAINING

LK-IMTTI organizes regular observation and training to all students, at Little Krishna Montessori Play School in India, as part of the curriculum of the regular course. For outstation Students one month observation and training to deserving students*.

*Will be identified by the Course Director of that Particular Franchise.

PREPARATION OF MANUALS

The superb, curriculum manuals are prepared, with the guidance of the instructor, to become your lifetime teacher resource guide.

AWARD OF THE DIPLOMA

The Diploma is awarded on satisfactory completion of the course, which is assessed by: Written coursework, set throughout the course in the form of tutorials. Production of reference files on the practical materials. Making of language and cultural teaching materials. Detailed observations of children & submission of Internship Report Passing marks must be obtained on written examinations conducted by the Examiners. Admission to the training course does not guarantee certification. The examination may only be taken twice. The diploma will help you to get a job in India and around the world.

PLACEMENT GUIDANCE

Most of the students who pass out from LK-IMTTI find immediate employment, on their own, either in the Montessori Houses where they intern or in schools in their home towns. The demand for Montessori trained teachers is large and even ordinary schools prefer to take Montessori qualified teachers for their pre-school division. LK-IMTTI has a placement cell, which assists students in finding suitable employment around the globe. Interested candidates may register their name for placements in India and abroad.

ADMISSIONS

Our student's qualifications range from senior secondary school to Post graduate level. This course is also suited for ladies, who want to teach their own siblings, if they don't want to send them to school up to 5 years of age. Also Heads of convents and reputed schools recommend our course. We have on our rolls, students from the families of Personnel of the three wings of the Armed Forces of India. Most of our students undergoing the course are currently serving in schools. Students come from a wide variety of cultures; backgrounds and age groups to attend the program. From students taking a gap year before entering university, to people in their twenties and thirties wishing to embark upon a career change to Montessori education; from parents with young or older children to grandparents interested in finding out about how the Montessori Method can help their grandchildren. Some already possess advanced qualifications such as first or higher degrees or are qualified nursery nurses; others have little in the way of formal qualifications but have much to contribute from personal experience either with their own children or from experience in the classroom. We welcome and have trained male as well as female students for pre school education. Candidates who are aged 18-21 years normally required to successfully completing „A“ levels or its equivalent (e.g. Senior Secondary School Leaving Certificate, International Baccalaureate or GNVQ 3). To enroll for the program you are required to fill the application form, attach your photo, photocopy of your credentials and the course fee. You may submit all these to:

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Or the office at the Franchise Centre.

In some exceptional cases, we have had students with lesser qualifications admitted to the course and successfully completing the program. Students without the minimum qualifications may be accepted, subject to their being able to demonstrate that they could cope successfully with the work.

COSTS

REGULAR COURSE

Indian Rupees For resident Indians Rs.20000.00*

The fee includes eight modules of the courseware, tutorial support, marking and certification. The course materials will be given to you within 7 days of acceptance to the course and receipt of payment. Once the application is approved, the course fee is non-refundable.

* **Tuition Fee and Examination fee extra.**

In some exceptional cases, The course fee is collected in installments it depends upon the discretion of the Course Director and Center Head.

A COMPARISON OF TRADITIONAL PRE-SCHOOL AND MONTESSORI

Traditional

Rigid Curriculum
Progresses at teacher's pace
Constant guidance by teacher
Non scientific
Much role-play and fantasy
Random placement
- not necessary to return
to specific place
Teacher decides what the child has to learn

Teacher-centered environment
Use of reward and punishment in motivation

All children are treated alike

Rigid rules not to move furniture and to sit in

Silence is on many occasions enforced
Focus on imparting maximum quantum of
wholesome knowledge personality

Montessori

Flexible curriculum
Allows the child to learn at his own pace
Child free to discover on his own
Scientific method of teaching
Reality orientated
Specific places for materials -
Sense of order

Child chooses activities according to inner
needs
Child-centered learning environment
Self-education through self-correcting
materials
Recognition of sensitive periods in each child
Play materials for non-specific skills
Multi-sensory materials to
develop specific
Skills
Liberty to move about self and furniture
designated places
Liberty to speak (without disturbing others) as he pleases
Focus on developing the

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Syllabus

Sl.No.	Subject	Subject Code	Max. Marks *	Internal Marks		Total
				Attendance	Assignment	
Theory						
1	Life History of Dr. Maria Montessori	DM101	75	10	15	100
2	Introduction to Montessori Methods	DM102	75	10	15	100
3	Exercises of Practical life	DM103	75	10	15	100
4	Early Childhood	DM104	75	10	15	100
5	Language in Childhood	DM105	75	10	15	100
6	Montessori School Administration	DM106	75	10	15	100
7	Method for the Teaching of Reading and writing	DM107	75	10	15	100
8	Education of the Senses	DM108	75	10	15	100
Practical						
Sl.No.	Subject	Subject Code	Record	Observation	Viva	Total
1	Practical Life	DMP101	10	5	5	20
2	Sensorial	DMP102	10	5	5	20
3	Math	DMP103	10	5	5	20
4	Language	DMP104	10	5	5	20
Album						
Sl.No.	Subject	Subject Code	Record	Content	Total	
1	Alphabet	DMA101	15	5	20	
2	Number Work	DMA102	15	5	20	
3	Group Activity	DMA103	15	5	20	
4	Art and Craft	DMA104	15	5	20	
5	General Knowledge	DMA105	15	5	20	
Viva Voce						
Sl.No.	Subject	Subject Code	Communication	Presentation	Body Language	Total
1	Montessori Method	DMV101	5	10	5	20
					Total	1000

* Examination is Conducted for 100 Marks and 75% of the scored marks

Class Allotment

800 - 1000 Marks	Distinction
600 - 799 Marks	First Class

Controller of Examination
IMTTI,

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Program of Work

Sl.No.	Subject	Subject Code	Duration	Theory Class	Revision	Test
Theory						
1	Life History of Dr. Maria Montessori	DM101	12 Hrs	8 Hrs	2 Hrs	2 Hrs
2	Introduction to Montessori Methods	DM102	12 Hrs	8 Hrs	2 Hrs	2 Hrs
3	Exercises of Practical life	DM103	12 Hrs	8 Hrs	2 Hrs	2 Hrs
4	Early Childhood	DM104	12 Hrs	8 Hrs	2 Hrs	2 Hrs
5	Language in Childhood	DM105	12 Hrs	8 Hrs	2 Hrs	2 Hrs
6	Montessori School Administration	DM106	12 Hrs	8 Hrs	2 Hrs	2 Hrs
7	Method for the Teaching of Reading and writing	DM107	12 Hrs	8 Hrs	2 Hrs	2 Hrs
8	Education of the Senses	DM108	12 Hrs	8 Hrs	2 Hrs	2 Hrs
Total			96 Hrs			
Practical						
Sl.No.	Subject	Subject Code	No. of Activity	Observation	Total	
1	Practical Life	DMP101	15	30 Hrs (2 Hrs X 15)	120 Hrs (15 Days/ 8Hrs per Day)	
2	Sensorial	DMP102	15	30 Hrs (2 Hrs X 15)		
3	Math	DMP103	15	30 Hrs (2 Hrs X 15)		
4	Language	DMP104	15	30 Hrs (2 Hrs X 15)		
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Sl.No.	Subject	Subject Code	Max.No. of Pages	Duration	Total	
1	Alphabet	DMA101	55	15 Days	180 Days (3 Months)	
2	Number Work	DMA102	55	15 Days		
3	Group Activity	DMA103	55	15 Days		
4	Art and Craft	DMA104	55	30 Days		
5	General Knowledge	DMA105	55	15 Days		

Registrar
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