



Montessori
SCHOOL OF CAYMAN



January 2024

We extend a very warm welcome to all of our new students!

We had a wonderful month at MSC in December! It was a busy and festive time for both of the programmes and the children truly enjoyed getting into the spirit of Christmas! The highlights were definitely the special visit from Santa Claus and of course, our Christmas Concert. The evening concert really turned out so beautifully and it was a lovely way to end such a fantastic term. We are still so proud of all of our performers and thank you, and your families for attending!

We are thrilled to be starting this term, opening our new Toddler programme, the Toddler Garden room, and look forward to welcoming all of our new Toddlers to school!

This month the Toddler programmes will be focusing on Grace & Courtesy lessons as the children settle back into their school routine. Reviewing these important lessons help to set the expectation at school and support the children in their transition after the holidays. The Casa programme will begin their Study of the World this month, starting with the exploration of North America and South America!

Wishing you all a Happy New Year and hoping that you all had a restful holiday season with loved ones. We are excited for the start of our second school term and welcoming back all of our students, along with new students in both Toddler and Casa! We are looking forward to all that we have ahead of us. Have a wonderful start to 2024!

More About Montessori!

Please take some time to watch this video. This month we have featured a video that shows the importance of Montessori education for Infants & Toddlers and the 'parent perspective' o. We hope you enjoy these videos.

Feel free to ask any questions that you may have! -

[MONTESSORI: INFANTS & TODDLERS - American Montessori Society](#)

[THE PARENT PERSPECTIVE - American Montessori Society](#)

FRIENDLY REMINDERS FOR TERM 2

Drop off & Pick up times:

- Between 7:45 & 8:45am drop off and 12:15-12:30pm pick up for Half Days
- Between 7:45 & 8:45am drop off and 3:00-3:15pm pick up for Full Days
- After Care runs Monday to Friday until 5:15pm

Please ensure that your child has the following items with them at school and that they are **labelled**:

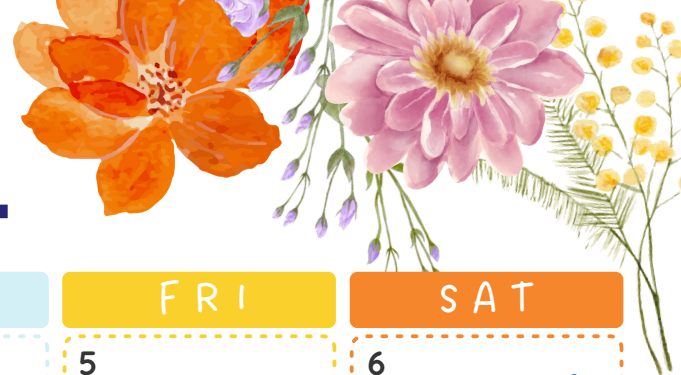
- Water bottle
- Hat
- Change of clothes
- Indoor shoes (to stay at school)
- Adequate diapers/wipes for the day (Toddler only)
- Blanket or Sleeping Bag for nap time (Toddler only)

"There is a great sense of community within the Montessori classroom, where children of differing ages work together in an atmosphere of cooperation rather than competitiveness. There is a respect for the environment and for the individuals within it, which comes through experience of freedom within the community."

- Dr. Maria Montessori



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JANUARY 2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 Public Holiday: New Years Day SCHOOL IS CLOSED	2 Staff In-Service Day - school closed for students	3 School reopens for TERM 2	4	5 Orlando's 2nd Birthday!	6 OPEN HOUSE for new & prospective students 10am-12pm
7	8 New Toddler Transitions begin	9 Laura's 3rd Birthday!	10	11	12	13
14	15 Anna's 3rd Birthday!	16	17	18	19	20
21 Margot's 2nd Birthday!	22 Seyi's 4th Birthday! Public Holiday: National Heroes Day SCHOOL IS CLOSED	23	24 Ms. Emy's Birthday!	25	26 Milá's 3rd Birthday!	27
28	29	30	31 Chloe's 4th Birthday!	IMPORTANT DATES: February 6th & 7th - MSC School Photos February 9th - Staff In-Service Day - school is closed February 12th-16th - Half Term Break! School is closed, OPEN for camp!		