



JANUARY 2025

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

Happy New Year from the Montessori School of Cayman! We had a wonderful December, filled with festive cheer and exciting events across both the Toddler and Casa programmes. The children truly embraced the holiday spirit, with the highlights being the special visit from Santa Claus and our beautiful Christmas Concert. The evening concert was a magical way to wrap up such a fantastic term, and we are still so proud of all our performers! A big thank you to everyone who attended and supported this special event.

During the festive season, we hosted two charity initiatives, and we are incredibly grateful for the generosity shown by our MSC community. Thanks to your thoughtful donations, we were able to support families in need, as well as contribute to the Addison Kelly Mental Health Education Fund and the Family Resource Centre. Your kindness truly made a difference.

As we begin the new year, both the Toddler and Casa programmes will focus on Grace & Courtesy lessons to help the children ease back into their school routines. This important work sets a positive tone and supports the transition after the holidays. The Casa programme will dive into a new study of the world, starting with an Introduction to the Continents, followed by an exploration of North America. Meanwhile, the Toddler programme will focus on 'Healthy Living,' learning about fruits, vegetables, and body parts.

We are excited to welcome everyone back and to greet new students who will join us starting January 13th. Our second term is full of promise, and we look forward to all the learning, growth, and fun that lies ahead.

Wishing you all a bright start to 2025, and we hope you had a restful and joyful holiday season with loved ones!

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**
- **Adequate diapers/wipes for the day (Toddler only)**
- **Blanket or Sleeping Bag for nap time (Toddler only)**

ALL ABOUT MONTESSORI FOR PARENTS

- [Grace & Courtesy in a Montessori Home - The Kavanaugh Report](#)
- [Montessori at Home: 5 ways to make daily transitions easy - Motherly](#)

"A child who becomes a master of his acts through repeated exercises of grace and courtesy, and who has been encouraged by the pleasant and interesting activities in which he has been engaged, is a child filled with health and joy and remarkable for his calmness and discipline."

- Dr. Maria Montessori



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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
5 Orlando's 3rd Birthday!	6 School reopens for TERM 2	7	8	9 Monty's 2nd Birthday! Laura's 4th Birthday!	10	11
12	13 New Student Transitions begin	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 Margot's 3rd Birthday!	22	23	24 Ms. Emy's Birthday!	25
26	27 Public Holiday: National Heroes Day SCHOOL IS CLOSED	28	29	30 MSC Staff Meeting NO AFTERCARE TODAY	31	