

MEfA Montessori News

Montessori House, 135 Westcombe Hill, Blackheath, London SE3 7DP



January 2020 Newsletter

Dear MEfA Montessori Families and Friends,

I would like to wish a very happy New Year to all our families, teaching team, faculty, students, international interns and of course our sponsors.

At this time each year I am reminded of just how much generosity and love has been poured into our school and charity in the past year and has been promised again for the new year to come!

We will act as good stewards of your confidence in our work, locally in the Blackheath/Westcombe ward, and nationally throughout the UK.

Globally, our greatest impact is via our annual international MEfA Montessori post graduate SEN CPD course, through which doctors, psychologists, social workers, speech and language therapists, for example, in addition to many Montessori teachers, arrive from all around the world to gain new knowledge, skills and understanding and return to their countries and places of work able to better nurture and support the children and families in their care.

Our new Forest School sessions are thriving! Please remember that in addition to warm coats and waterproof boots, a merino wool underlayer will keep your children snug and warm.

This half term we are exploring the prehistoric *dunkleosteus*, famous buildings from around the world (beyond the Roman Arch!) and architectural forms.

We return to school on Tuesday 7th January 2020. There are six weeks in the half-term. Please ensure your child's fees are paid promptly; on or before the day of school. I look forward to welcoming you!

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Wendy Fidler, MEfA Academic Director/Founding Trustee
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"The child is both a hope and a promise for mankind. If we therefore mind this embryo as our most precious treasure, we will be working for the greatness of humanity."
'Education and Peace', Maria Montessori, 1992



Montessori School 2 - 9 years – also homeschool, flexischool

Montessori School classes: **Tuesday** and **Wednesdays** 9:30 -11:30
and **Thursday** 13:00 - 15:00



Baby Montessori 0-15 months / NEW! Toddler Montessori 15-36 months

Baby Montessori **Wednesdays** 13:30 – 14:30

Toddler Montessori **Thursdays** 09:30-10:30



NEW! Outdoor Forest School

We have two Montessori Forest School/Well-being Classes:
Tuesdays from 13:30 – 14:30 and **Thursdays** from 11:00 -12:00

Montessori After School 4 – 11 years

We have two Montessori After School Groups each week - On **Tuesdays** the **Montessori Moles After-school Nurture Group** is for children who are struggling to make the most of their schooling because of difficulties associated with autism or other special needs. On **Thursdays** the **Montessori Enrichment Group** is for children who have graduated from MEfA Montessori and wish to continue their Montessori journey with us!

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