

Preschool and Kindergarten Enrollment Procedures

If space is available, students may enroll at any time during the current school year. The enrollment process begins for the upcoming summer and fall terms after the Wheatley Montessori Open House in February.

Priority enrollment is given to current students followed by siblings. All other placements are made on a first come, first served basis.

1. School Visit

Call the school's directress to schedule an after-school visit with the school's lead guide. During your classroom visit, you will receive basic information on the philosophical foundation of Maria Montessori's educational approach and Method of Instruction. We encourage you to learn about the Montessori Method prior to your visit and to be prepared to ask questions.

2. Submit Application Form and Enrollment Fees

A new student application fee of \$350 is required to secure your student's space. Returning students are required to pay a \$250 registration fee each new school year.

3. Select a Start Date and Return Student Enrollment Forms

If space is available, students may enroll immediately or placed on a wait list for the first available opening. Also, providing availability, parents may also choose to set a start date for the beginning of the summer term or the beginning of the following school term. Parents will receive their student's enrollment packets at this time. The packet and application fee must be returned to the school's directress at least 48 hours after acceptance.

4. Classroom Visit

An open house for new and returning students and parents will be scheduled the week before the new school term. This will allow new parents and students an opportunity to meet the school family — our school directress, lead guide, classroom assistants, classmates and parents.