

SYDNEY 3-6 YRS WORKSHOPS
PRACTICAL LIFE - 3, 4 & 5 JULY 2023
SENSORIAL - 6, 7 & 8 JULY 2023

Education *should no longer be thought of as imparting knowledge, but must take a new path that seeks to release the human potential within us all.* Maria Montessori

These interactive Workshops are open to teachers, classroom assistants, students and anyone interested in working in a Montessori educational environment with children using the methods and materials based on Dr Maria Montessori's philosophy. There will be detailed instruction and opportunities for practice with the materials which assists the child's understanding in the 3-6yrs age group. Sessions will also provide opportunities for gathering and sharing information and ideas.

The Montessori approach

- ***meets the tendency for repetition***
- ***provides essential skills***
- ***builds confidence***
- ***assists children to independence***

The presenter, Carmen Parker, has been involved in education since 1984. Initially working with children 6-8 years of age in school education and support programs for children with learning difficulties, then for most of her career as a teacher in Montessori preschool and primary education. She has held the position of Principal/teacher at Montessori Schools offering preschool, long day care and primary education. Carmen has been active in a number of organisations aimed at supporting educational facilities to provide the best environment for the development of the children in their care. Her work has included being on the executive in many capacities of the boards of State and National Montessori organisations, working on NSW state committees for the development of policies, government regulations and pilot programs for early childhood education, editor of a Montessori National magazine as well as on planning committees for professional development programs for teachers through workshops and national and international conferences.

PLEASE FAMILIARISE YOURSELF WITH THE LOCATION, AND ARRIVE FOR A PROMPT 9AM START

VENUE:	Hills Montessori, 10 Taylor Street, West Pennant Hills NSW			
DATES & TIMES:	3-6yrs Practical Life		3-6yrs Sensorial	
	Mon 3 July 2023	9am – 4pm	Thu 6 July 2023	9am – 4pm
	Tue 4 July 2023	9am – 4pm	Fri 7 July 2023	9am – 4pm
	Wed 5 July 2023	9am – 4pm	Sat 8 July 2023	9am – 4pm
COST:	\$1,740 <i>GST free</i> (\$870 per workshop)			

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PLEASE BRING

- * Pre-packed lunch, snacks and bottle of drinking water for each day.
- * Writing materials - paper, pen, HB pencil, sharpener, coloured pencils, ruler.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- * Each participant must complete an expression of interest.
- * Only expressions of interest for full attendance will be accepted.
- * Attendance at this workshop will not entitle non-Montessori Institute students to receive Curriculum Guides.
- * A Certificate of Attendance will only be provided for full attendance. Please ensure you sign in every day.
- * A late registration fee of \$30 applies if expression of interest is received after closing date, providing places are available.
- * Missed workshop days are non-refundable.
- * A fee of \$30 per workshop day will apply for cancellation of registration prior to the workshop.
- * A 50% discount applies to anyone attending **this** workshop a second time (a copy of the previous workshop attendance certificate must accompany the registration form).
- * The workshop venue does not have child-minding/babysitting facilities. Private arrangements, off-site, to be arranged by participants requiring this.

**For further information, contact the Montessori Institute office
(08) 6296 7900 or email klazarakis@mwei.edu.au**

Expressions of interest must be received by the office Wednesday 7 June 2023

THE MONTESSORI INSTITUTE WORKSHOP PARTICIPANT CODE OF CONDUCT

This Code of Conduct applies to all participants attending a Montessori Institute workshop.

RIGHTS	RESPONSIBILITIES
<p>Every person has the right –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• to be treated with respect and dignity• to hold and express an opinion• to work in a positive learning environment• to achieve one’s personal best in all aspects of learning• to work in a clean and safe environment• to have personal privacy and property respected	<p>Every person has the responsibility –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• to treat others with respect and dignity• to respect the rights of another• to respect that others have a right to hold and express an opinion• to express their own opinion in an appropriate way and at appropriate times• to contribute to a positive learning environment• to aim to do one’s personal best in all aspects of learning• to maintain a clean, safe environment• to respect personal privacy and property of others

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST
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Attending: 3-6yrs Practical Life (3, 4 & 5 July 2023) 3-6yrs Sensorial (6, 7 & 8 July 2023)

First name: _____ Surname: _____

Address: _____

_____ Postcode: _____

Phone: _____ Mobile: _____ E-mail: _____

I am associated with _____ School / Organisation.

Where did you hear about this workshop? _____

Would you like to be included on the email notification list for workshops? **Y** **N** **Currently on list**

I have previously attended the following Montessori Institute workshops: _____

If you are currently employed at Montessori School/Centre, please provide details (e.g. Director/ Assistant, age group of children and give length of time).

I _____ agree to abide by the attached Code of Conduct when attending workshops held by the Montessori Institute.

Signature: _____ *Date:* _____

CLOSING DATE

Expressions of interest must be received by the office no later than Wednesday 7 June 2023.

PAYMENT

An invoice will be emailed to you when your expression of interest is accepted. Payment can then be made by credit card (online or over the phone), bank transfer or BPAY. Payment must be received one week prior to the workshop.

RETURN EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST TO

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