



"The hand is the instrument of intelligence.

The child needs to manipulate objects and to gain experience by touching and handling."

- Dr. Maria Montessori

May 30th - July 28



The importance of the hand is at the heart of Montessori education. The use of hands helps the child construct himself. Dr. Maria Montessori felt strongly that the hand and brain must develop in harmony. The hand reports to the brain; the brain guides the hand; the cycle continues, resulting in the development of the intellect.

Join Alden Montessori this summer as we delve into the amazing world of art. Our young picassos will explore and enjoy the many hands-on mediums and learn about the really fun tools used to create incredible works of art. Montessori art is all about the sensorial process; getting their hands wet, messy, painty and inky all along the way... Add a splash of color to your child's summer! **Enroll today!**



Color Theory - Week 1 : May 30- June 2

What are primary colors? What are secondary colors? What happens when colors mix? This hands-on experience will allow the child to develop an understanding of what colors are and how they can manipulate them. They will love exploring colors through science experiments and art activities such as marble painting, salt painting and making their own suncatcher!

Drawing & Painting - Week 2 : June 5 - June 9

DaVinci would be proud as our young artists explore many forms of art through drawing and painting. Our little apprentices will learning about different art styles and famous artists within the drawing and painting genres. The students will create their own beautiful masterpieces with a multitude of colorful pencils and paint.



Paper Making - Week 3 : June 12- June 16

This is recycling at it's finest! The children will recycle old newsprint and other paper leftovers by blending them into pulp and creating new paper for future art projects. They will also explore historic paper art such as marbling and staining.





Collage & Mosaics - Week 4 : June 19- June 23

Our blossoming artists will use their newfound appreciation for color and beautiful papers and combined with photography, nature and more, they will explore the wonderful world of collage and mosaics. Fine motor skills such as pasting, cutting, and tearing abound as they create collages and mosaics of their very own.

Textiles & Sewing - Week 5 : June 26- June 30

Our little tailors will learn basic sewing techniques to set them up for a lifetime of self-sufficiency. Their little minds will be peaceful as they explore the appealing sensory feelings of textiles and fabrics. Their little hands will be busy learning stitching and weaving techniques as they explore the wonderful world of textiles and sewing.



Jewelry Making - Week 6 : July 10 - July 14

Our amateur jewelers will explore the wonderful world of jewelry making. Their nimble fingers will be stringing and threading, creating their own statement pieces that they can wear or share! Their creativity will crystalize as they gain extra fine motor skills and learn how to make many types of jewelry. Our kids are gems!

Sculpting - Week 7 : July 17 - July 21

Our gifted little sculptors will kneed, roll, pinch, carve, etch, shape, and mold their skills as they explore the special kind of earth known as clay. This prehistoric expression of art continues to satisfy our deepest creative instincts. Getting our hands dirty brings such joy!



Woodworking - Week 8 : July 24 - July 28

Our carpenters will develop knowledge of woodworking tools and how to safely use them. Building projects with wood and real tools will boost their self-confidence and deepen their sense of responsibility. Watch their natural curiosity burst to life while exploring real world work.

Amazing Visitors & Field Trips

Alden will invite in-house visitors and artisans to share with the children the wonder of their craft. Elementary students and children who have completed Kindergarten will go on a host of fun and educational field trips off campus!



This page is for your information.
Please return the enclosed registration form asap as spaces are limited.

\$50 enrollment fee per student enrolled in the 23/24 academic year - \$75 per student not enrolled in the 23/24 academic year.

Choose YOUR SUMMER CAMP WEEKS

CHILD 1: _____ CHILD 2: _____ CHILD 3: _____

CHILD 1	CHILD 2	CHILD 3		CHILD 1	CHILD 2	CHILD 3	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	May 30 - Jun 2	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Jun 26 - Jun 30
			Color Theory				Textiles & Sewing
							July 5-7: Holiday Care
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			Drawing & Painting				Jewelry Making
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			Collage & Mosaics				Woodworking

22/23 Kindergarten graduates move to the elementary program at the beginning of the fall semester.

Choose YOUR SUMMER CAMP PROGRAM - CIRCLE: 5 DAY OR 3 DAY (please circle days: M T W T F)

Toddler Level	5-day/wk	3-day/wk
<input type="checkbox"/> Morning: 8:30 - 11:30	235	185
<input type="checkbox"/> School Day: 8:30 - 2:40	275	215
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Primary Level		
<input type="checkbox"/> Morning: 8:30 - 12:00	220	175
<input type="checkbox"/> School Day: 8:30 - 3:00	260	205
Pick-up time may vary by classroom for parking lot flow		
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Elementary Level		
<input type="checkbox"/> School Day: 8:30 - 2:40	295	n/a

Due to pre-arranged activities and staffing commitments, credit cannot be given for absences due to illness or travel.
Due to unpredictable rising costs of field trips, kindergarten and elementary students will be charged actual cost of field trip attended.

Choose YOUR SUMMER CHILD CARE - CIRCLE: 5 DAY OR 3 DAY (please circle days: M T W T F)

All Levels	5-day/wk	3-day/wk
<input type="checkbox"/> Before School Care: 7:00 - 8:30	25	15
<input type="checkbox"/> After School Care: 3:00 - 6:00 (spaces limited)	70	45
<input type="checkbox"/> Holiday Care: July 5th - 7th	<input type="checkbox"/> 8:30 - 3:00 (\$135)	<input type="checkbox"/> 7:00 - 6:00 (\$165)

Sibling Discount: 10% discount off equal or lower tuition (summer camp program only)
Additional Child Care: Not available outside of the plans offered.