



ARBORLAND MONTESSORI INFANT - 8TH GRADE PRIVATE SCHOOLS

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Dear Classroom C Parents,

Welcome back to the Arborland family! We are very excited to start the 2026–2027 school year.

My name is Wang Laoshi. This is my fifth year working at Arborland, and I feel very blessed to have worked with Ms. Salzman during my first two years. I hold a Bachelor of Arts degree in Graphic Design from Dalian Medical University in China. I was a certified junior high school teacher and Mandarin teacher. I love Montessori education and received my Montessori teaching certification from UC Irvine to teach children ages 3–6. I am also a proud mother of two children, Gavin, 15, and Amber, 10.

Your child's education will be filled with learning opportunities, and we hope to make this school year both fun and memorable.

Daily Schedule

8:30–9:00 Arrival and socialization

9:00–11:00 Montessori English/Mandarin lessons and work time

11:00–11:30 Mandarin Chinese group time

11:30–12:00 Lunch time

12:00–1:00 Outdoor play time

12:30–2:30 Nap time for children ages 3 and under

1:00–2:30 Afternoon Montessori work time for children ages 4 and above

2:30–3:00 Clean-up and group time

3:00–3:15 Dismissal for home and childcare

Things to Know

Snacks: Our school provides a healthy morning snack. However, if your child would like to bring their own snack, we kindly ask that it be healthy as well. Please remember that Arborland is a nut-free school.

Sharing: We will have Share Day every Friday. Your child is welcome to bring a book or a special item to share during group time.

Birthdays: You may bring healthy, individually packaged, bite-sized snacks and utensils for celebrations (e.g., fruit, yogurt, or mini-cupcakes instead of large cupcakes).

Illness: Please help our class stay healthy. If your child is not feeling well, please keep them home to rest and recover. If we notice that your child is not feeling well at school, we will notify you immediately. If your child has a fever, they must stay home until they have been fever-free for 24 hours.

Extra Clothes: Each child will need a Ziplock bag containing a complete change of clothes, including underwear, shirts, bottoms, and socks. Children who nap will also need a crib-size sheet and blanket. Bedding will be sent home every Friday and should be returned on Monday. Please label all personal belongings and bags with your child's name.

School Supply List

- 1 pack of #2 pencils
- 1 pack of 24 colored pencils
- 1 pack of crayons 24
- 1 pair of child-size scissors
- 1 box of erasers 4
- 1 pack of construction paper
- 4 glue sticks
- 4 containers of full size Play-Doh
- 1 pack baby wipes

The Transparent Classroom app is a great tool for viewing your child's progress in the classroom. I will update it weekly and try to post as many pictures as possible. Please feel free to contact me at wanglaoshi@arborland.com with any questions or comments.

Our classroom is a wonderful place for your child to learn and grow. We hope that your child leaves their Montessori experience with a positive mindset and a lifelong love of learning.

Your child's learning and safety are my priorities during school hours; therefore, emails will be responded to after school hours or as soon as possible. If there is an emergency, please contact the front office and they will relay the message to me.

I am looking forward to a wonderful school year with all of you!

Sincerely,
Wang Laoshi
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