



Orientation Package

The Orientation Package contains:

1. Requirements for the first day of school
2. Supply lists
3. School Calendar

Parents are also required to read the ABC Montessori Parent Handbook.

The Parent Handbook is very important as it contains the school policies and procedures as well as other essential information. It is a parent's responsibility to be aware of school policies and procedures before their child attends school.

If you have any questions about this orientation package or orientation evening, please contact your campus.



Elementary Students Requirements

The following items are required for the first day of school. Please ensure that all items are labeled with your child's full name.

- Extra change of clothes, including underwear. The extra change of clothes do not have to be the school uniform.
- Running shoes for outdoor activities. (Preferably with Velcro, not laces for the younger children)
- Sunscreen and sun hat. Please ensure that the sunscreen is not expired. Students cannot go outside without these two items.
- Morning snack, lunch, and an after-school snack (if applicable). Please label snacks and lunches. If you are sending lunch that requires a warm-up, please ensure that it is sent in a microwave-safe container.

PLEASE LABEL ALL ITEMS

Students must wear the school uniform to attend school. Students without uniforms may not be permitted into class. The uniform must be clean and in good condition (no tears or holes)

SUPPLIES FOR ELEMENTARY PREP

The following supplies are needed by all students:

- 2 packs of copy paper or white paper
- 1 ruler (12inch) with centimeter and inch reading
- 6 glue sticks
- 1 bottle of white glue
- 8 washable thick Crayola markers
- 24 Crayola coloured pencils (sharpened)
- 24 Crayola crayons
- 1 large plastic hard covered pencil case
- 2 packs of sharpened writing pencils (12 per pack)
- 1 sharpener with receptacle (Staedler preferably)
- 1 pair of scissors
- 4 white erasers
- 1 pack of construction paper – different colours – 100 sheets
- 6 boxes of Kleenex
- 5 exercise books (72 pages dotted interlined 23.2 x 18.1cm) Hilroy brand
- 1 binder (400 sheets)
- 6 to 8 sheets of plastic dividers
- 1 school bag
- 2 different coloured spools of fabric ribbon
- 1 pack of tissue paper (any colour)
- 1 pack of glitter (any colour)
- 12 brown paper bags, 6 paper cups
- 1 set of kitchen spoon & fork to be kept in the locker at all times

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School Calendar 2010 - 2011

August 2010	September 2010	October 2010	November 2010
Last Day of Summer Camp.....27	Labour Day.....06 1 st day of School.....07 PD Day.....24	Parents' Night.....01 Thanksgiving.....11 Halloween Party...29	PD Day.....12
December 2010	January 2011	February 2011	March 2011
Parents' Night.....03 Winter Concert.....17 Christmas Break20 – 31	Classes commence.....03	Parent Teacher InterviewsJan 31 – Feb 10 PD Day18 Family Day.....21 Curriculum Night.....25	March Break14 - 18
April 2011	May 2011	June 2011	July 2011
Early Enrollment Deadline for 201215 Good Friday.....22 Easter Monday.....25	PD Day.....20 Victoria Day.....23	Parent – Teacher InterviewsMay 30 - 10 Last Day of School.....17 Summer Camp begins..27	Canada Day01

P.D. DayProfessional Development Day (*School Closed*).
P/T Conference.....Parent-Teacher meetings to discuss student progress (*School Open*).