

THE CORE CURRICULUM

Montessori Curriculum consists of five separate yet interconnected areas of study:



Practical Life

These traits are the mark of an independent child with a good self-esteem—the foundation for success in other curriculum areas.



Sensorial

The five senses are developed through an extensive variety of activities.



Mathematics

Prepare them for later abstract reasoning, and help them to develop problem-solving capabilities for advanced mathematics.



Language

Encourage the development of written expression and reading skills.



Cultural Studies

As the world continues to grow ever smaller, the knowledge of different people and different cultures becomes important at an earlier age.



Supplementary Activities

Children continue to grow, learn and develop through Arts & Crafts, Cooking, Music & Movement, Water Play and Physical Education. Language is also introduced as part of the curriculum to prepare children for Primary school.

CERIA MONTESSORI SCHOOL

Dedicated to the development of Intelligent, Independent, Happy children since 1996. Ceria Montessori School has since strived to giving the best education for children in their golden years of development, from birth to the age of six.

CERIA stands for CERdas—Intelligent;
MandiRI—Independent; GembiRA—Joyful.
Our belief and our pledge for all children who enter our program.



THE CERIA MONTESSORI SCHOOL PHILOSOPHY AND METHOD

Dr. Maria Montessori (1870-1952) was one of the most influential pioneer in early childhood education. The Montessori Method is characterized by emphasizing self-directed activity on the part of the children, and detailed observation on the part of the trained educator who is responsible for the program delivery. The Montessori Method stresses the importance of adapting the child's learning environment to the developmental level, as well as the role of physical activity in the development of abstract concepts and practical skills.

Reading is taught through a combination of phonics and whole language. The Montessori Method sees children as they really are and creates environments which foster the fulfillment of their highest potential—emotional, physical, and intellectual—as members of a family, a community and citizens of the world. Dr. Montessori gave the world a scientific method, practical and tested, for bringing forth the very best in young human beings. She taught adults how to respect individual differences, and to emphasize social interaction and the education of the whole personality rather than the teaching of a specific body of knowledge.



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OUR OBJECTIVES

Ceria Montessori subscribes to the comprehensive Montessori Method. Each child is provided with a carefully designed environment and experiences which move each and every child toward being the very best they can be. A child's inherent love of learning is encouraged through spontaneous, meaningful activities, under the guidance of qualified teachers whose goals are to develop happy, independent learners with bright, competent intellects.



CLASSES

MOM & I Montessori

Your child will grow and learn more in their first 12 months than at any other time of their life. This is an accompanied program that encourages the whole family's involvement. A one adult to one child ratio encourages parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles to take turns in participating in the class together with the child. Our classroom is welcoming, calming and nurturing. Our aims are to ensure these beginning learners grow strong and are given every opportunity to wonder, ponder and discover!

CLASSES	TIMETABLE
MOM & I MONTESSORI*	09.00 - 10.00
	10.00 - 11.00
	13.00 - 14.00

*8 months - 2 years

Montessori Early Learners: Ages 1.5 to 3 years

Our classrooms provide an environment designed to give children the freedom within limits which is an integral part of the Montessori philosophy. Learning to handle structured freedom is essential in developing a strong sense of independence and builds confidence.

Montessori Pre-Primary Classes—Ages 3 to 6

In a Montessori prepared environment, children are mixed in ages within a 3 year development span. Mixing ages enables the older and more capable children to become role models for the younger ones. A feeling of community develops as the older children learn patience, nurturance and kindness.

CLASSES	TIMETABLE
MEL (1.5 - 3 y.o.)	08.45 - 11.30
PP1 (3 - 4 y.o.)	08.30 - 12.00
PP2 (4 - 6 y.o.)	08.00 - 13.00



BENEFITS — PERSONAL AND ACADEMIC

- Our team of qualified Montessori trained educators are passionate about the education and the happiness of young children. Every team member works hard to ensure that your child will benefit from every Montessori experience offered.
- Ceria Montessori uses the best Montessori teaching materials and tools imported from Nienhuis, Holland, an officially authorized Montessori material manufacturer.
- Care and attention are given to preparing the older children for transition to Primary School.
- Ceria Montessori guarantees our families strict adherence to the Montessori Philosophy and Curriculum.
- Ceria Montessori offers an aesthetically pleasing, healthy environment, centrally located in Sinabung area.

ENRICHMENT CLASSES (EXTRACURRICULAR)

Hip Hop	3-6 y.o.
Tae Kwon Do	3-6 y.o.
Junior Master Chef	3-6 y.o.
Traditional Dance	3-6 y.o.
Engineering for Kids	3-6 y.o.
Yoga for Kids	3-6 y.o.
Day Care program	Starting from 2 y.o.