# Montessori School of Durham 2026-27

## FOR THE HALF-DAY TODDLER COMMUNITY

*More details regarding all of these dates and events will be shared in announcement newsletters*

| Age Group | Class Hours | Drop-Off Windows* | Pick-Up Windows* |
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| | | *after the end of the "window" of time, students are considered late for school or pick-up* | |
| **Before School Care (BSC) is available for all students beginning at 7:45am. Families can contract BSC or use it on a drop-in basis.** | | | |
| **Half-Day Toddler** | 9:00am-12:00pm | 8:40-9:00am | 12:00-12:15pm |

**There is a "New Parent/Guardian Orientation" scheduled for August 11th from 4:00-5:00pm in MSD's Multi-Purpose Room. This is for adults who are new to MSD.**

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| **Thurs, Aug. 13th-Fri, Aug. 14th** | New Student Introduction Sessions | Attendance is required (child and parent/guardian); We will contact you this summer to schedule this half-hour classroom visit. |
| **Tues, Aug. 18th-Fri, Aug. 21st** | Toddler Orientation Week One<br>Group 1: 8:30am - 10:00am<br>Group 2: 10:30am - 12:00pm | Teachers will assign orientation groups and will send more information over the summer. |
| **Mon, Aug. 24th-Fri, Aug. 28th** | Toddler Orientation Week Two<br>All Students: 9:00am - 12:00pm | Arrival window: 8:40-9:00am<br>Pick-up window: 12:00-12:15pm |
| **Mon, Aug. 31st** | All Students on Regular Schedule | Toddler Before School Care begins: 7:45-8:40am |
| **Mon, Sept. 7th** | No School – Labor Day | MSD closed |
| **Tues, Sept. 8th** | Toddler Back to School Gathering | 3:00-4:00pm |
| **Mon, Sept. 21st** | No School – Teacher Workday | MSD closed |
| **Mon, Oct. 19th** | No School – Teacher Workday | MSD closed |
| **Wed, Oct. 28th** | Fall Conference sign-up available online | Schedule your Fall Conference |
| **Thurs, Nov. 12th-Fri, Nov. 13th** | No School – Fall Conferences | MSD closed |
| **Mon, Nov. 23rd - Fri, Nov. 27th** | No School - Thanksgiving Break | MSD closed |
| **Mon, Dec. 21st 2026 -Fri, Jan. 1st 2027** | No School – Winter Break | MSD closed |
| **Mon, Jan. 4th 2027** | No School – Teacher Workday | MSD closed |

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| **Tues, Jan. 5th** | Financial Aid and sibling admission applications due for 2027-28 school year | Available online. Contact the office with questions. |
| **Mon, Jan. 18th** | No School – Martin Luther King Jr. Day | MSD closed |
| **Wed, Jan. 20th** | Curriculum Talk Events | MSD Parents/Guardians encouraged to attend; Details forthcoming |
| **Wed, Jan. 27th** | Re-Enrollment contracts offered to current families | Log in to MSD Family Portal for re-enrollment materials |
| **Wed, Feb. 10th** | Re-Enrollment contracts due by 6:00pm | Log in to MSD Family Portal for re-enrollment materials. |
| **Mon, Feb. 15th** | No School – Teacher Workday | MSD closed |
| **Mon, Feb. 15th-Fri, Feb. 19th** | Staff Appreciation Week | Parents' Association will share more details about Staff Appreciation Week events/activities |
| **Mon, March 15th** | No School – Teacher Workday | MSD closed |
| **Wed, March 24th** | Spring Conference sign-up available online | Schedule your Spring Conference |
| **Mon, March 29th-Fri, April 2nd** | No School – Spring Break | MSD closed |
| **Mon, April 5th** | No School – Teacher Workday | MSD closed |
| **Thurs, April 29th-Fri, April 30th** | No School – Spring Conferences | MSD closed |
| **Mon, May 31st** | No School – Memorial Day | MSD Closed |
| **Fri, June 4th** | Last Day of School | |