



Montessori Academy of Tampa Bay

Parent Orientation

1st Grade
2026-2027



Welcome! We are excited to partner with you to make this a fun, successful, and memorable school year.

Tonight's Agenda

- Meet the teachers
- Learn about our classroom
- Review expectations
- Ways to support your child

Meet Our Teachers



Teachers (1st-3rd)

Ms. Madi - *Language, Art*
(2nd & 3rd)

Ms. Edith - *Math*

Ms. Gabby - *Science, Art*
(1st)

Ms. Joan - *Spanish &*
Social Studies

Reading: Phonics, workbooks, reading comprehension, accelerated reader, literature, and SRAs

Writing: Sentences, grammar, spelling, book reports, and Montessori language floorwork

Math: Numbers, addition, subtraction, fractions, decimal system, geometry, money, time, measurements, hands-on equipment, etc.

Science & Social Studies: Hands-on learning, experiments, Science Fair and International Fair

Classroom Expectations

- Be kind
- Be respectful
- Be responsible
- Be ready to learn

Daily Routine

- Morning Meeting/Independent Reading
- Spanish
- Math/Language
- Lunch/Recess
- Science/Social Studies
- Dismissal or Homework (full day students)

Family Partnership

You can help by:

- Reading with your child 15 minutes everyday
- Checking folders/backpacks
- Encouraging independence
- Good attendance

Classroom Communication

Teachers will communicate with you through your child's black planner. Please check it daily for notes, reminders, and updates.

Thank you!

Together, we can help every child learn, grow, build confidence, and love learning. Thanks! :)

Questions?