



CHILDREN'S HOUSE (Ages 3-6)

# Typical Day Schedule

<b>8:20-8:30am</b>	Arrival
<b>8:30-11:00am</b>	Morning Work Cycle: During the Morning Work Cycle children explore the Montessori prepared environment including works of Practical Life, Art, Sensorial exploration, Language, Math, Geography and Culture, and Science. Children have a snack with a friend when hungry. Teachers give lessons individually or in small groups.
<b>11:00am</b>	Circle: This is a time to gather as a whole group to practice "grace and courtesy", share stories and music, play games, and discuss topics like the calendar, seasons, and cultural events.
<b>11:00am-12:00pm</b>	Outdoor play for 3 year olds.  Lunch for 4-6 year olds. Children are independent in setting their tables and cleaning up after lunch. Lunch set-up includes placemats, glass cups, cloth napkins and silverware.
<b>12:00-1:00pm</b>	Lunch for 3 year olds. During this time, the children are learning how to be independent through the lunch set-up and clean-up process.  Outdoor play for 4-6 year olds.
<b>1:00-2:25pm</b>	Nap for 3 year olds.  Ages 4-6 split into two groups. The younger children are part of a Montessori Enrichment class where they engage in a variety of enriching activities such as gardening, literature lessons, movement games, sensory projects, and science explorations. Older children have the opportunity to join the Afternoon Work Cycle where they explore the prepared environment again and teachers give more lessons with a focus in Language and Math.
<b>2:30pm</b>	Dismissal