



NORCO MONTESSORI ACADEMY

"Where Your Kids Spread Their Wings"



A note to our families

Welcome back to an exciting new school year! As we open our doors once again, we're thrilled to have our facility buzzing with the energy of young learners and supportive families. Together with your partnership and our dedicated educators, we're set to foster growth, creativity, and integrity. Here's to a year full of discovery, learning, and memorable moments. Welcome back, we can't wait to see what we'll accomplish together!

- Please be sure you are signing your child in and out on a daily basis
- please be sure that your child has a set of extra clothes in their cubby
- Please be sure to label all belongings

**"The goal of early childhood
Education should be to
activate the child's own
natural desire to learn"
Maria Montessori**



Separation Anxiety and tips to prepare for the first day of School.

Starting school often brings separation anxiety it's a normal, temporary emotional response as children learn that caregivers will return. To ease this transition, establish a calm and consistent goodbye routine: a special hug, wave, or phrase, kept brief and confident so the child understands it's time to stay. Encourage independence with simple tasks like dressing or packing their bag, and let your child bring a familiar comfort object like a favorite toy or photo for reassurance during the day. Explain school in positive, clear language, "You'll play, sing songs, and I'll pick you up after snack" and validate feelings: "It's okay to feel sad, I'll be back" Finally, remain calm, upbeat, and confident at drop-off children mirror parental emotional tone, so your steady presence reassures them that school is a safe and a supportive place.

August Birthdays

Athea S. 8/1
Carter H. 8/7
Minkah R. 8/12
Hazel A. 8/23
Ms. Ana H. 8/25
Luca M. 8/31

Dates to Remember

August 8th
End of Summer glow
party

August 11th
First day of School

August Rhymes and Fingerplays

Back to school

Welcome back!

School has begun.

Time for work.

Time for fun.

Smile Brightly,

on your way.

School has Started

Just Today!

If you are happy and you know it

If you're happy and you know it,
clap your hands

If you're happy and you know it,
clap your hands

If you're happy and you know it
Then your face will surely show it

If you're happy and you know it,
clap your hands

Book Recommendations:

“The Crayon book of colors” By: Drew Daywalt

“Our Class is a family” By: Shannon Olsen

“Pout Pout fish goes to school” By: Dan Hanna

August Curriculum: Pre-Primary/Primary

Week 1:

Full Steam Ahead

Week 2:

Out of This World

Week 3:

Welcome To School

Week 4:

Living & Non-Living Things

Week 5:

Shapes Adventure

Advanced Primary

Week 1:

Full Steam Ahead

Week 2:

Out of This World

Week 3:

Welcome To School

Week 4:

Living & Non-Living Things

Week 5:

Shapes Adventure

