

# Heartprints Montessori

## SCHOOL YEAR CURRICULUM 2020-2021

### OVERVIEW OF THE MONTESSORI ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

#### FIRST SEMESTER

	ZOOLOGY	BOTANY	HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY
<b>August</b>	Living and Non Living Things Introduction	Parts of the Plants In General Introduction	The 4 Seasons, Spring, Summer, Fall and Winter Study of Calendar Derivation of August	Globe, Continents Map, Continental Divide and Continental Shelf, Landforms Introduction
<b>September</b>	Study of Mammals Parts of the Horse	Parts of the Roots Shapes of Roots Types of Roots	What is a Month, Week and Day? Derivation of September Labor Day History	Globe, Oceans, Oceans Ridge, Sea and Equator Northern and Southern Hemispheres
<b>October</b>	Study of Human Body Animals of North America	Parts of the Stem	Derivation of October and Sunday Christopher Columbus Day History of Halloween Dia de los Muertos-Days of Dead	<b>NORTH AMERICA</b> <b>Lake and Island</b> <b>Lakes:</b> Great Bear, Great Slave, Tahoe, Great Lakes, Winnipeg & Moraine Lake in Canada <b>Rivers:</b> Mackenzie and Yukon <b>Island:</b> Hawaiian & Vancouver
<b>November</b>	Study of Parts of Birds Animals of United States	Parts of the Leaf	Derivation of November and Monday Veteran's Day & Thanksgiving History Diwali- Festival of Lights	<b>UNITED STATES</b> <b>Bay and Cape</b> <b>Bay:</b> San Francisco, Monterey CA & Hudson Bay <b>Cape:</b> Cape Cod <b>Rivers:</b> Colorado, Mississippi, Missouri <b>Mountains:</b> Appalachians, Rocky Mountains
<b>December</b>	Study of Birds Animals of Antarctica	Veins of the Leaf	Derivation of December and Tuesday Christmas Story Hanukkah in Israel, Kwanzaa by African-American History Dia dela Virgen de Guadalupe- Day of the Virgin in Mexico	<b>ANTARCTICA</b> <b>Isthmus and Strait</b> <b>Islands:</b> Berkner, Roosevelt, Ross <b>Mountain:</b> Transarctic <b>Ice Shelf:</b> Ronne, Ross, Shackleton

## SECOND SEMESTER

	ZOOLOGY	BOTANY	HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY
<b>January</b>	Study of Reptiles Parts of Turtles Kinds of Reptiles Animals of Africa	Shapes of the Leaf	Derivation of January and Wednesday Winter's Solstice in Scandinavia New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Day	<b>AFRICA</b> <b>Gulf and Peninsula</b> <b>Lake:</b> Assal, Turkana, and Victoria <b>Gulf:</b> Guinea, Aqaba & Suez in Egypt <b>Rivers:</b> Congo, Niger, Nile, Zambezi <b>Mountain:</b> Atlas, Ahaggar, Drakensberg, Kilimanjaro, Tibesti <b>Desert:</b> Kalahari, Sahara
<b>February</b>	Dinosaur and its Extinction Kinds of Dinosaurs Animals of Asia	Parts of the Flowers	Derivation of February and Thursday St. Valentine President's Day, Mardi Gras	<b>ASIA</b> <b>Chain of Lakes and Archipelago</b> <b>Mountains:</b> Himalayas and Mt. Everest <b>Rivers:</b> Ganges, Indus, Mekong, Yangtze, Yellow <b>Sea:</b> Aral, Black, Caspian, South China Sea <b>Bay:</b> Bengal <b>Gulf:</b> Persian <b>Volcano:</b> Taal, Phils. Etna HI
<b>March</b>	Study of Amphibian Parts of the Frog Kinds of Amphibians Animals in Europe	Shapes of the Flowers	Derivation of March and Friday St. Patrick's Day in Ireland Semana Santa- Holy Week in Spain Passover, Easter Celebration Religious	<b>EUROPE</b> <b>Mountains:</b> Alps, Apennines, Caucasus, Pyrenees, Urals <b>Rivers:</b> Danube, Rhine, Rhone, Volga <b>Sea:</b> Black, Caspian, Mediterranean, North Sea
<b>April</b>	Study of Insects Parts of Butterfly Life Cycle of a Butterfly Animals of Australia	Parts of the Fruits	Derivation of April and Saturday Easter Celebration Religious and non-Religious History, Ramadan in April & May April Fool's	<b>AUSTRALIA</b> Flinders Ranges, Great Dividing Range, Hamersley, Kimberley <b>Mountains:</b> , MacDonnel Ranges / <b>Strait:</b> Bass <b>Reef:</b> Great Barrier Reef
<b>May</b>	Study of Parts of the Fish and Fish Kinds Animals of South America	Parts of the Seed	Derivation of May and The Seasons Visakha Bucha- Vesak Day in Thailand Memorial Day, Mother's Day, Father's Day	<b>SOUTH AMERICA</b> <b>Lakes:</b> Maracaibo, Titicaca <b>Mountains:</b> Andes <b>Rivers:</b> Amazon, Negro, Orinoco, Parana, Paraguay <b>Rain Forest:</b> Amazona

	<b>Artists</b>	<b>Composers</b>	<b>Aesop's Fables</b>	<b>Community Helper</b>
<b>August</b>	Claude Renoir 1841-1919	Antonin Dvorak 1841-1904	The Boy Who Cried Wolf The City and Country Mouse The Wind and The Sun The Wolf and The Goat	
<b>September</b>	Michelangelo Buonarotti 1475-1564	Antonio Vivaldi 1678-1741	The Dog & His Mater's Dinner The Mice and the Weasels The Wolf and The Lion The Dogs and the Fox	Housekeeper Housekeeper's Week
<b>October</b>	Leonardo Da Vinci 1452-1519	Johan Sebastian Bach 1685-1750	The Rabbit, Weasel and Cat The Bear and The Bees The Fox and Leopard	A Teacher- World Teacher's Day
<b>November</b>	Rafael Sanzio 1483-1520	Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart 1756-1791	The Peacock and The Crane The Goose & the Golden Egg The Cat and The Birds The Birds' Beast and Bats	A Chef / A Cook / Farmer
<b>December</b>	Edgar Degas 1834-1917	Peter Iliyich Tchaikovsky 1840-1893	The Heron The Raven & the Swan The Lark and her Young Ones	A Mailman/ Postman
<b>January</b>	Claude Monet 1840-1926	Ludwig Van Beethoven 1770-1827	The Wolf, Kid, and the Goat The Lion's Share The Hare and His Ears The Porcupine and the Snakes	Office Worker Activity Professional Week
<b>February</b>	Pablo Picasso 1881-1973	Franz Schubert 1797-1828	The Fisherman & Little Fish The Two Travelers and the Bear The Stag, Sheep and the Wolf The Fox and the Monkey	A Dentist- National Dental Health Month
<b>March</b>	Vincent Van Gogh 1853-1890	Frederic Chopin 1809-1849	The Frogs and the Ox The Boys and the Frogs The Hares and the Frogs	A Medical Doctor National Doctors Day
<b>April</b>	Salvador Dali 1904-1989	Richard Wagner 1813-1883	The Rose and the Butterfly The Bees, Wasps & the Hornet The Ant and the Dove The Flies and the Honey	Garbage Collector- in connection to Earth Day
<b>May</b>	Diego Rivera 1886-1957	Johann Strauss II 1825-1899	The Mother and the Wolf The Mole and his Mother The Milkmaid and her Pail The Fox and the Crab	A Fire Fighter- Int'l Firefighter's Day May 6th

