



Inmakaso Montessori
TEACHER TRAINING

Certificate in Montessori Early Years Education.

Course Information

'It is not true that I invented what is called the Montessori Method. I have studied the child, I have taken what the child has given me and expressed it, and that is what is called The Montessori Method.'

Dr. Maria Montessori



The Certificate course is not accredited and is not recognised by ACECQA as an approved early childhood qualification.

About Inmakaso Montessori Teacher Training.

Inmakaso Montessori Teacher Training (IMTT) is the training arm of Montessori Children's Centre, McLaren Vale, South Australia.

Inmakaso Montessori Teacher training (IMT) offers a non-accredited course, Certificate in Montessori Early Years Education.

The course provides a professional and practical approach to applying Montessori philosophy, principles and practices in the Early Childhood sector.

Inmakaso Montessori aims to meet the sector needs through the provision of affordable, convenient, quality and flexible Montessori training.

The Certificate in Montessori Early Years Education covers all aspects of the Montessori philosophy, principles and practice for children aged 0-6 years. It is suitable for early childhood professional educators currently working in Montessori centres and/or the early childhood sector.

It is suitable for parents, early childhood professionals and/or anyone who wants to learn more about this highly regarded method of education.

Montessori early childhood qualifications are in high demand and short supply in the early childhood sector. Potential students can be assured that the skills and knowledge gained from studying with Inmakaso Montessori will be highly valued in workplaces.

When you choose to study with Inmakaso Montessori Teacher Training you will learn about a method of education which is practiced in many countries of the world and was developed by educator, writer, lecturer and medical doctor Maria Montessori.

CEO and founder.

Inmakaso Montessori CEO and founder, Ainsley Roscrow, is a highly experienced and passionate Montessori educator who, as an employer looking for staff, recognised the need for high quality Montessori teacher training in the Montessori based early learning sector.

Ainsley is the CEO and director of the Montessori Children's Centre in McLaren Vale, a licensed long day care service which has been operating for over 12 years.

Ainsley has extensive experience implementing the Montessori method of education in both her own centre and in Indigenous communities in Northern Australia. She is the Head Trainer for all programs.



Inmakaso Montessori has a strong commitment to the provision of affordable, accessible, flexible and high quality training to meet the needs of the rapidly growing Montessori early learning sector.

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Course Delivery

The Certificate in Montessori Early Childhood Education is delivered on line using Google Drive.

Inmakaso Montessori has it's own training Centre, the Montessori Children's Centre in McLaren Vale, South Australia, and will offer occasional face to face training at this site. Trainers are available to visit other sites on request. IMTT also has strong links with the South Australian early childhood community and can assist students who wish to access this wider network.

Learning materials

Students are provided with module learning guides and accompanying assessment booklets. The curriculum modules also include a manual for presentation and sequencing of Montessori materials. Educator resource manual, videos and powerpoints provide visual and practical information to support your studies. . Students are issued certificates of completion for each module after achieving a satisfactory result and finalising all fees.

Workshops

A series of six (6) optional face to face workshops support the online learning materials. Students will be invited to attend these workshops by their facilitator. Prerequisites may be applied.

Workshop 1 Modules 1-3

Workshop 2 Modules 4 and 5.

Workshop 3. Modules 6 and 7.

Workshop 4. Modules 8

Workshop 5 Modules 9 and 10

Workshop 6 Modules 11-14

The workshops are hosted at different Montessori centres in Adelaide to give students experience of the diversity of Montessori programs. Workshop videos will be made available on Google Drive after the event.

Workshop schedules vary and students will be informed of dates and locations in a timely manner.

Course Duration.

Students have up to 2 years to complete the Certificate in Montessori Early Years Education.

The course is self paced allowing for flexible study but all assessment tasks for the modules must be completed satisfactorily within 6 weeks of receipt of module.

Essential Requirements.

To complete your studies, you will need to have access to:

- A computer/Internet
- Microsoft Word, Powerpoint
- Recording devices, such as a smartphone, camera or video recorder
- Competency in the English language

Enrolment

Enrolment in this program is ongoing.

An non-refundable enrolment application fee of \$50 applies.

Competency in reading and writing in English is essential.

An enrolment application form is attached to the end of this document.

Notice of Non Discrimination

Inmakaso Montessori admits students of any race, colour, national and ethnic origin or creed to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded to students through the Training Centre. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, colour, national and ethnic origin or creed in the administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, or other Inmakaso Montessori administered programs.

On Receipt of Enrolment Application and Fee.

You will be assigned a facilitator who will provide tutorial support throughout your studies.

All facilitators are experienced Montessori educators and trainers who will personally assist you in any area related to your studies.

Your facilitator will contact you immediately after you have successfully enrolled to arrange a mutually suitable induction time.

Your facilitator will provide all relevant contact details.

Refunds

You are expected to be aware of your personal and work commitments before you enrol and will need to demonstrate that the cause of your withdrawal could not be reasonably anticipated for a refund to be applied to any monies paid in advance. Fees are subject to periodical review. Refund policy is available on request.

Induction

During your induction your facilitator will:

- provide explanations of knowledge and skills that you find difficult to understand
- provide information where resources can be obtained
- assist you to develop a study plan
- schedule tutorial support meetings

What resources will you need?

All the resources required are provided in your course of study.

We recommend the following texts to supplement your knowledge.

- Recommended texts:
- M. Montessori. The Montessori method.
- M. Montessori. The Discovery of the Child.
- M. Montessori. The Absorbent Mind
- M Montessori. The Secret of Childhood
- Paula Polk-Lillard. Montessori From The Start

Contact Details Please contact Inmakaso Montessori by email at:

inmaksomontessori@gmail.com

Course Overview

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Code	Module Description	Fee
Philosophy		
IM01	An Introduction To The Montessori Method Of Education	\$100
IM02	Applying Montessori Philosophy - The Prepared Environment 3-6 Years	\$100
IM03	Applying Montessori Philosophy – The Role Of The Teacher	\$100
Infant and Toddler Communities (0-3 years)		
<i>This module includes an educator resource manual.</i>		
IM04	Preparing Montessori environments for infant /toddler Programs.	\$150
Pre-School Community (3-6 years)		
<i>All modules include educator resource manuals</i>		
IM05	The Montessori Practical Life Curriculum For Children Aged 3-6 Years	\$150
IM06	The Montessori Sensorial Curriculum For Children Aged 3-6 Years Part 1	\$100
IM07	The Montessori Sensorial Curriculum For Children Aged 3-6 Years Part 2	\$100
IM08	The Montessori Literacy Curriculum For Children Aged 3-6 Years	\$100
IM09	The Montessori Numeracy Curriculum 0-10 Materials In For Children Aged 3-6 Years Part 1	\$100
IM10	Beyond 10- The Montessori Numeracy Materials For Children Aged 3-6 Years Part 2	\$100
IM11	The Arts - Applying Montessori Philosophy in a Montessori environment.	\$100
IM12	History And Geography – Applying Montessori Philosophy in a 3-6 environment .	\$100
IM13	Botany, Zoology And Biology – Applying Montessori Philosophy in a 3-6 environment.	\$100
IM14	Science- Applying Montessori Philosophy in a 3-6 environment	\$100
IM15	Behaviour Guidance- Adopting a Montessori approach	\$100

Fees

Fees are subject to periodical review.

Item	Fee
Application Fee Non refundable	\$50
Option 1. Module by Module	Individually priced See page 5
Option 2. Instalment Payment	3 Instalments 1. \$300 2. \$600 3. \$700
Total Course cost	\$1650

Additional fees

Item	Fee
Re-issuance of a Statement of Completion	\$30
Re-issuance of Certificate in Montessori Early Childhood Education	\$50
Re-issuance of Learner guides	\$50
Missed facilitator meeting (lack of timely notice)	\$25
Re-enrolment fee	\$50
RPL – per module	\$50

Payment Options and Conditions

Option 1. Module By Module Purchase

All modules are \$100 with the exception of:

- IM04 Preparing Montessori environments for infant /toddler Programs.
- IM05 The Montessori practical Life Curriculum for children aged 3-6 years

These two modules are \$150.

Conditions. Modules are released in sequence after all fee and assessment requirements have been met.

Option 2. Payment In 3 Instalments

Conditions. Modules are released in sequence after all assessment requirements have been assessed as satisfactory.

Instalment 1. \$300

IM01	IM01 An Introduction To The Montessori Method Of Education
IM02	IM02 Applying Montessori Philosophy - The Prepared Environment 3-6 Years
IM03	IM03 Applying Montessori Philosophy – The Role Of The Teacher

Instalment 2. \$600

All modules in Stages 2 and 3 include Educator resource manuals.

IM04	Preparing Montessori environments for infant /toddler Programs.
IM05	The Montessori Practical Life Curriculum For Children Aged 3-6 Years
IM06	The Montessori Sensorial Curriculum For Children Aged 3-6 Years Part 1.
IM07	The Montessori Sensorial Curriculum For Children Aged 3-6 Years Part 2.
IM08	The Montessori Literacy Curriculum For Children Aged 3-6 Years

Instalment 3. \$700

IM09	The Montessori Numeracy Curriculum 0-10 Materials For Children Aged 3-6 Years Part 1
IM10	The Montessori Numeracy Materials Beyond 10 For Children Aged 3-6 Years Part 2
IM11	Applying Montessori Philosophy in a 3-6 environment .
IM12	History And Geography – Applying Montessori Philosophy in a 3-6 environment.
IM13	Botany, Zoology And Biology – Applying Montessori Philosophy in a 3-6 environment
IM14	Science- Applying Montessori Philosophy in a 3-6 environment.
IM15	Behaviour Guidance- Adopting a Montessori Approach

Recognition of Prior Learning

Understanding Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)

RPL is one of the ways INMAKASO MONTESSORI can formally acknowledge the Montessori skills, experience and knowledge you have gained through formal or informal training, education, work experience, general life experience or a combination of any of these.

RPL is an evaluation process that looks at your non-formal and informal learning to determine how well you currently meet the learning outcome required by for each module in the Certificate in Montessori Early Years Education course. If you are able to demonstrate that you already meet these outcomes through the RPL process, you will not have to enrol in that module.

RPL Assessment Results

There are only two (2) possible results for a RPL assessment.

1. RPL Granted (RPLG)
2. RPL Not Granted (RPLNG)

You will receive a 'RPLG' result if you have clearly demonstrated to your assessor that you have the current skills and knowledge as identified in the relevant modules.

You will receive a 'RPLNG' result if your evidence is incomplete (i.e. addresses some but not all of the skills and knowledge requirements as identified in the modules that you are applying for). If found RPLNG, your assessor will provide you with specific feedback as to the reasons for the result and what gaps were identified. Your assessor will discuss options to address these gaps.

An RPL Learner information guide can be obtained on request to Inmakaso Montessori.

RPL Application and Payment Options and Conditions

All RPL candidates must complete an enrolment application first.

On receipt of this application a facilitator will contact you to discuss this process.

- RPL is assessed at \$50 per module. RPL fees are non-refundable.
- RPL will not be granted for more than 40% of the complete course. (6 modules total)
- Full payment for all modules for which RPL is requested must be received with RPL application.

Enrolment Application

If you require any assistance in completing this enrolment form or have any questions, please contact Inmakaso Montessori - inmakasomontessori@gmail.com Return completed form to inmakasomontessori@gmail.com

PERSONAL DETAILS	
Is this the first time you have enrolled with IMTT	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Title	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr <input type="checkbox"/> Ms <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify)
Family Name (Surname)	
Given Names	
Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	/ /
Postal Address	
Usual Residential Address If different from above	
Email Address	
Telephone Numbers	Mobile: Home:
Emergency Contact Details	Name Relationship
	Mobile
Do you speak a language other than English at home? (If more than one language, indicate the one that is spoken most often) No, English only <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, Other (Please specify) <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> If you answered yes above, how well do you speak English? Very Well <input type="checkbox"/> Well <input type="checkbox"/> Not Well <input type="checkbox"/> Not at All <input type="checkbox"/>	
Do you intend to apply for recognition of prior learning once this enrolment is accepted Yes/No.	
INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	
Are there any adjustments that you believe we may need to make in order for you to be successful in this course? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (please specify): _____	
What is your highest COMPLETED educational level?	
DESCRIBE CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATUS	
PAYMENT DETAILS	
Electronic Funds Transfer Details	
Bank: Commonwealth Bank	
Account Name: Inmakaso Montessori	
BSB: 062 692	
Account: 2221 9157	
Please indicate your full name in the reference	
Amount: Enrolment fee \$50	
SIGNATURE	DATE