Website Information

Logo

This isn’t going to be our logo, but we can use it in its place for now



Location

Generations Montessori School

Broadus Memorial Baptist Church

1525 Stony Point Road

Charlottesville, VA 22911

HOME

Daily Schedule

8:45 – 9:00AM Arrival

10:30AM Morning Snack

12:00 – 12:15PM Half-Day Dismissal

12:15PM Lunch for Full-Day Students

2:00PM Afternoon Snack

3:00 – 3:15PM Full-Day Dismissal

About Us

During the 2016-2017 school year, Generations Montessori School will be offering an infant class for children ages 2-20 months old. The hope is that as your children grow, the school will grow with them. Students will be able to enroll as early as 2 months old and continue on through their kindergarten year.

“Children are not a distraction from more important work, they are the most important work.” John Trainer, M.D.

ABOUT US

Mission Statement

Based on the teachings of Maria Montessori, Generations Montessori School aims to provide a quality education for children to help them grow into confident, curious, motivated, and creative lifelong learners.

Center Philosophy

Maria Montessori observed that a child’s learning begins at birth. At Generations Montessori School, we believe this to be true. The infant environment is designed to help children 2-20 months old begin to define their own strengths and personalities. Children will have access to a variety of age appropriate materials centered on movement and coordination, language development, and cognitive growth. Materials are specifically chosen to help students advance socially while developing fine and gross motor skills. Teachers at Generations Montessori School lead with compassion, love, and respect. Students are encouraged to gain independence through trust, positive social interactions, and intellectual growth. At Generations Montessori School, we believe that children are independent thinkers, capable of making choices and worthy of respect.

“[Education](http://www.dailymontessori.com/) is a natural process carried out by the child and is not acquired by listening to words but by experiences in the environment.” Maria Montessori

ENROLLMENT

\*Parent Handbook and Infant Application are attached

Application

Prospective families should complete and submit an application form. There is a $50 non-refundable application fee that must accompany the application form.

Tuition and Fees

Application Fee: $50 Due with application

Supply Fee:

Half-Day $250 Due at time of enrollment

Full-Day $325 Due at time of enrollment

Non-refundable deposit $500 Due at time of enrollment

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| **Half-Day Tuition Schedule** | | | | |
| **One Payment** | August 15, 2016 | | | |
| $7,300 | | | |
| **Two Payments** | August 15, 2016 | | January 15, 2017 | |
| $3,830 | | $3,830 | |
| **Four Payments** | August 15, 2016 | October 31, 2016 | January 15, 2017 | April 1, 2017 |
| $2,000 | $2,000 | $2,000 | $2,000 |
| **Full-Day Tuition Schedule** | | | | |
| **One Payment** | August 15, 2016 | | | |
| $11,500 | | | |
| **Two Payments** | August 15, 2016 | | January 15, 2017 | |
| $6,035 | | $6,035 | |
| **Four Payments** | August 15, 2016 | October 31, 2016 | January 15, 2017 | April 1, 2017 |
| $3,160 | $3,160 | $3,160 | $3,160 |

CALENDAR

I have attached the GMS 2016-2017 School Calendar and the Major Dates Calendar. I am happy to put this into a Google Calendar if that would be helpful.

STAFF

Rita Pace

I have worked in early childhood education for nearly 30 years. In that time, I have cared for over a hundred children in the Charlottesville area. Most importantly, I love working with young children as they first begin to develop their individual personalities. I have my Infant and Toddler Certification from the American Montessori Society, and I believe each child develops in a way that is unique to him or her. I specialize in creating educational environments for infants and toddlers that foster growth and independence, and my goal is to work with parents to fully meet their child’s unique cognitive, emotional, social and physical needs.

Christina Pace

After growing up in Charlottesville and attending the city school system, I earned my Bachelor of Science degree in Mathematics from Virginia Polytechnic and State University. I continued my education at the College of William and Mary, where I earned my Masters in Education with an emphasis in Gifted Education. Since returning to Charlottesville, I have worked at Village School and Tandem Friends School. I became a mother in September of 2015, and found the perfect reason to finally fulfill my mom and my dream to begin our own school. Together, the three of us paved the way for Generations Montessori School.

CAMP INFO

Below, please find our list of summer camp offerings. Unless otherwise stated, all camps are open to children 3-12 years of age. A balanced snack will be provided each day. Students enrolled in *Cooking with Kids* will be making their lunch each day. For all other options, we ask that students bring a nut-free lunch each day.

**May 2016**

**May 12, 2016 Spring Enrichment Day 9:00AM-1:00PM $45**

**9:00AM-5:00PM $85**

Students will have the opportunity to explore options in math, science, music, cooking, art, etc. They will be invited to work independently and in small groups on different projects. Puzzles, games, and outside play (weather permitting) will also be offered.

**June 2016**

**June 3, 2016 Spring Enrichment Day 9:00AM-1:00PM $45**

**9:00AM-5:00PM $85**

Students will have the opportunity to explore options in math, science, music, cooking, art, etc. They will be invited to work independently and in small groups on different projects. Puzzles, games, and outside play (weather permitting) will also be offered.

**June 6-10, 2016 Introduction to Cooking 9:00AM-1:00PM $200**

Children will work together to plan and create balanced snacks and meals for the week. Each meal will include a main course, side, and dessert.

**June 13-17, 2016 Cooking With Kids 9:00AM-1:00PM $200**

Children ages 5 and up will work together to plan and create balanced snacks and meals for the week. Each meal will include a main course, side, and dessert.The week will end with a picnic for the entire family.

**June 20-24, 2016 Supper Camp 9:00AM-3:00PM $315**

The children will work to create a balanced, nutritional meal for you and your family. Every day, each child will leave with a complete meal from salad to dessert.

**July 2016**

**July 11-15, 2016 Fun with Arts & Music 9:00AM-1:00PM $165**

Students will explore a variety of arts including, but not limited to, hand arts, visual arts, and the preforming arts. Students will participate in music each day and have the opportunity to try several different instruments.

**July 18-22, 2016 Cooking With Kids 9:00AM-1:00PM $200**

Children ages 5 and up will work together to plan and create balanced snacks and meals for the week. Each meal will include a main course, side, and dessert.The week will end with a picnic for the entire family.

**July 25-29, 2016 Supper Camp 9:00AM-3:00PM $315**

The children will work to create a balanced, nutritional meal for you and your family. Every day, each child will leave with a complete meal from salad to dessert.

**August 2016**

**August 8-12, 2016 Full STEAM Ahead 9:00AM-1:00PM $165**

Students will work with instructors to begin to develop hypotheses, conduct experiments, and make conclusions based on simple data. Students will be encouraged to work together and think creatively when presented with design problems.

**August 15-19, 2016 Introduction to Cooking 9:00AM-1:00PM $200**

Children will work together to plan and create balanced snacks and meals for the week. Each meal will include a main course, side, and dessert.

Camps will be held at Broadus Memorial Church: 1525 Stony Point Road, Charlottesville, VA

Space is limited. Please email Rita Pace at [rita\_pace@comcast.net](mailto:rita_pace@comcast.net) to sign up!

CONTACT US

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\*These are the hypothetical email addresses under the new domain name. Our current email addresses are: [rpace@generationsms.org](mailto:rpace@generationsms.org) and [cpace@generationsms.org](mailto:cpace@generationsms.org)

\*\*We do not have a phone number yet, but will add it when we do