

**Desert Montessori Academy
Fee Schedule 2011-2012**

Required Registration and Supply Fees (Non-Refundable)		
Registration Fee:	New Students	\$125/yr
	Returning Students	\$ 75/yr
Additional T-Shirts	Lost, forgotten or additional T-shirts for siblings and parents	\$20+
Supply Fee: Children's House	Due with first month's tuition (Paid in Full) Classroom supplies, one T-shirt (field trip requirement) and fieldtrip expenses	\$350/yr
Supply Fee: Gessel House	Due with first month's tuition (Paid in Full) Classroom supplies, one T-shirt (field trip requirement) fieldtrip expenses and intra-curricular activities	\$500/yr

Tuition Schedule					
Session Type	Time Period (30-40 minute lunch included)	2-day week	3-day week	4-day week	5-day week
Preschool	8:30 – 3:00	\$310/mo.	\$385/mo.	\$460/mo.	\$535/mo.
Kindergarten C.H.	8:15 - 3:15				\$535/mo.
K– 3 rd Grade G.H.	8:00 – 3:30				\$535/mo.
Drop-in/ visits	8:00 – 3:00			\$35/day	

Early Pick Up for Children's House: If you wish to pick your child up early, please do by 12:45 p.m. in order to minimize disruption to the classroom.

Official Drop off/Pick-Up: School will be open to students, without additional fees, from 7:45am until 3:30pm.

Conditions:

- Tuition and fees are due on the first day of each month. Payments received after the 10th of the month will be subject to Late Payment Fees defined below.
- A 10% discount will be given if tuition is paid in full for the school year. Full payment must be paid on or before child's first month tuition bill. Discount does not apply to childcare or supply fees.
- All parents will sign a contract at the beginning of the school year stating the total annual tuition due and the subsequent monthly payment. A new contract will be signed if additional sessions are added.
- No refunds will be given if a child is sick or time is missed because of vacations.
- No makeup days are offered for missed days or school closings.
- Changing sessions must be done at the beginning of the month and only if room is available.
- A 25% discount will be given for 2nd child and a 15% discount for third child for tuition and childcare. Enrollment may be terminated before the 4 week probationary period ends (no termination fees apply). After the probationary period, a written notice must be provided 30 days prior to the termination date. If a 30 day notice is not given, an exit fee of \$250.00 will be applied to your account and also any legal, professional and outstanding fees incurred by DMA. No discount for supply fee, registration, or Chinese class.

Childcare		
Morning Childcare	6:00 a.m. to 7:44 a.m.	\$10 per day OR Prepay for \$120/month
Afternoon Childcare	3:31 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.	\$10 per day OR Prepay for \$120/month
Parent(s) of child dropped off for morning childcare will be charged a fee of \$10 for that day, which will appear on the next tuition bill. For a child picked up after 3:30 p.m., a fee of \$10 for that day's afternoon childcare will be charged on the next tuition bill. If you plan on regularly using either morning or afternoon childcare services, you could instead prepay for \$120 per month (prepayment of \$240 per child per month for both morning and afternoon childcare). Prepayments must be included with the previous month's tuition payment.		

Other Fees (As Applicable)	
Late Payment Fee/Returned Check Fee (Tuition is due the first of the month with a grace period thru the 10 th at which time it must be paid in full)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$25.00 + accrued daily charge of \$2.00 each day for late or insufficient payments. • If tuition payment is not received by that 10th of the month, your child will not be allowed to attend school until the account is current. • Your child's slot may be given to a student on the waiting list and you will be billed the exit fee as well as any other outstanding fees. • \$25 for check returned for non-sufficient funds (NSF) plus late fees • After the 2nd NSF, checks will no longer be accepted (cashier's check, money order or cash)
Late Pickup Fee (after 6:00 p.m.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$1 for every minute your child remains at DMA past 6:00pm • If you are going to be late, please contact the school as soon as possible. • Late pickup fines will appear on the following month's invoice.
Driving Pattern Fee (see handbook for regulations)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$30 (first offense), \$60(second offense) \$90(third and subsequent offenses) • NO WARNINGS
Chinese Class (held after school, class times TBA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$12/child per class • Supply Fee of \$50, due 1st class and will not be prorated (non-refundable)