dubuque montessori school

2024-2025 school calendar

	AUGUST '24	JANUARY '25	
 Lead Teachers Report Board Meeting 6:15pm Assistant Teachers Report Parent Orientation 6pm All Staff In-Service First Day: 3 & 5 Day Students First Day: 2 Day Toddlers 	S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	1 - 3 No School: Winter Break 13 Board Meeting 6:15pm 20 No School: MLK Jr Day
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All parents are invited to attend Board Meetings, held at 6:15pm at DMS on the second Monday of the month (unless otherwise stated). Montessori Education Week: February 23 – March 1, 2025

Please notify the office if you plan to attend.

Week of the Young Child: April 5 - 11, 2025



2024-2025 Parent Events

An overview of the parent-specific events on our calendar:

Monthly Board Meetings — 2nd Monday of the month, 6:15 pm Adults only. As a parent-run school, DMS is governed by a Board of Directors made up of parents and community members committed to the school and its mission. The board holds monthly business meetings, and all parents are welcomed and encouraged to attend.

Wednesday, August 21, 2024 — Parent Orientation, 6:00-7:00 pm Adults only. Teachers and board members will share information on policies and procedures, as well as answer any questions.

Thursday, September 26, 2024 — Parent Education Night, 6:00-7:30 pm Adults only. Learn more about the Montessori philosophy.

Wednesday, October 30, 2024 — Evening Parent-Teacher Conferences Thursday, October 31, 2024 — Daytime Parent-Teacher Conferences Adults only. Scheduled with your child's lead teacher in early-to-mid October.

Tuesday, November 12, 2024 — Special Someone's Night, 6:00-7:30 pm Student plus one special adult. The child will guide their special someone through the classroom and share their favorite work.

Wednesday, March 12, 2025 — Evening Parent-Teacher Conferences Thursday, March 13, 2025 — Daytime Parent-Teacher Conferences Adults only. Scheduled with your child's lead teacher in mid-to-late February.

Tuesday, March 25, 2025 — Special Someone's Night, 6:00-7:30 pm Student plus one special adult. The child will guide their special someone through the classroom and share their favorite work.

Year-End Celebrations — On your child's last day of school, parents are invited to celebrate their student's growth over the year with their teachers and classmates.

Goldfinch Room, 2-Day Toddlers: Friday, May 23, 2025 Goldfinch Room, 3- & 5-Day Toddlers: Tuesday, May 27, 2025 Bald Eagle Room, 3-Day Primary: Tuesday, May 27, 2025 Mississippi River Room, 5-Day Primary: Wednesday, May 28, 2025 River Bluff Room, 5-Day Primary: Wednesday, May 28, 2025