

Camp Monty Adventure Summer 2017

Aurora Montessori School

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Welcome to Camp Monty 2017! Camp Monty is a dynamic summer day camp program offering a broad variety of engaging, experiential activities to children 18 months to 14 years of age. Situated on 14 beautiful acres of natural and landscaped property, our mission is to foster within our campers a sense of joy and adventure as they participate in creative, cultural and environmental programming. True to the spirit of Montessori, Camp Monty encourages a positive social atmosphere with an emphasis on developing independence, team building and interpersonal skills.

Camp facilities include an indoor gymnasium, computer lab, soccer field, amphitheatre and multiple playground areas. Gardens, natural habitat areas and access to trails of the Aurora Arboretum offer hands-on learning opportunities in natural science and environmental studies. The Camp also features an animal shelter and paddock which hosts temporary animal visitors from a local area farm. Children can observe, feed, and care for the animals under the supervision of Camp Monty's counselors.

Junior Adventure Camp: Ages 18 mo. – 6 years

Campers explore and learn through games & songs, arts and crafts, physical play, nature walks and science investigations. Each week, these activities will be centered on a key theme. Program specialists will share expertise in areas of Sports, Art and Dance and Movement. (Optional swim program available to children aged 3 years and older)

Academic Camp: Ages 3 – 13 years

Students have the opportunity to register for a half day at Academic Camp. They will be given the opportunity to strengthen their academic skills in preparation for their next grade level with our highly qualified teachers. One Casa class (ages 3-6) and one Elementary class (ages 7-13) will be open. These half day programs will run in the morning from 8:30-11:30 and afternoon sessions from 12:30 – 3:30. This is also an excellent opportunity for new Montessori students to immerse themselves in a classroom setting before the commencement of school.

****Academic Camp Fees**** (Ages 3 – 6 years Additional \$60/week to standard camp fee, Ages 7 – 13 years Additional \$75/week)

Private tutoring can also be arranged.

Senior Adventure Camp: Ages 7 – 13 years

Campers engage in a broad variety of activities including large group cooperative games, arts and crafts, swimming, gymnastics, and nature based explorations. Each week, program specialists share expertise in 2 focus areas. Please choose one specialty per week.

“The Artist in You”

For all the budding Picasso's, come experience Art Camp. We will explore painting, drawing and sculpture in an atmosphere of great fun.

“Superhero in Training”

Work on your creative genius, learn new super skills and complete exciting missions. With confidence, creativity, and capes, superheroes build positive character values, break through the impossible into daring adventures, and give joyful service to others. On the last day, our Superheroes will be handed a certificate identifying their special super power, along with their very own mask.

“Outdoor Adventure”

Explore natural Camp Monty and Aurora Arboretum while testing your outdoor adventure skills. This includes map and compass activities, survival skills, animal tracking, fire-building and cooking. Based on interest, an overnight camp may be offered.

“Mad Science!”

Mad Science has been introducing children to the wonders of science for over 21 years! Campers will be engaged in cool activities, observe spectacular demonstrations, participate in mind-blowing experiments and take-home creations they have made themselves.

“Mini Master Chef”

Children will learn the fundamentals of cooking. Become experts in measuring, pouring, stirring and learning about different ingredients. Little chefs will get to create a new dish each day. **Mini chefs will be preparing nut free snacks and meals in a nut free environment.

“Sports Star”

Celebrating physical activity, skill development, teamwork, and sportsmanship through a variety of sports. A ***gymnastics element*** will be included. Campers will be encouraged to adopt a daily routine of warm-ups, stretching, and healthy diet to reach their personal best.

Deposit: A \$25 deposit per session is required. (Deposit is included in program fee – not an additional charge) Cheques should be made payable to AMS and **post-dated 1 month prior** to the **Camp session** your child will be attending. Camp sessions or Extended Care will be cancelled and fees returned if insufficient numbers of children are enrolled.

Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4	Session 5	Session 6
July 3-7	July 10-14	July 17-21	July 24-28	July 31-Aug 4	Aug 7-11
Artist In You	Superhero In Training	Outdoor Adventure	Mad Science	Mini Master Chef	Sports Star
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Extended Care Options

For our campers 3 years and older, we offer two special outings:

- a) A weekly ***gymnastics element***.
- b) Optional ***Red Cross certified swimming instruction*** at the Aurora Family Leisure Centre. **Each two week instructional block provides the recommended instruction and practice to qualify to receive a swimming badge. Campers register for the preferred 2 week blocks for an additional fee of \$95, which covers lessons and transportation.**

**Camp Monty Hours: Full Day 9:00 am. to 4:00 pm.
Half day pickup at 11:45 am.**

**Extended Camp Day is available
For all campers**

Please indicate Extended Care required:

	From 7:00 am <input type="checkbox"/>	From 8:00 am <input type="checkbox"/>	To 5:00 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	To 6:00 pm <input type="checkbox"/>
Daily	\$14	\$7	\$7	\$14
Weekly	\$70	\$35	\$35	\$70

X	Session	Dates	Senior		Junior		Swimming Lessons
			Full Days	Full Days	½ Days		
	1	July 3-7	\$325	\$ 300	\$ 215	\$95	
	2	July 10-14	\$325	\$ 300	\$ 215		
	3	July 17-21	\$325	\$ 300	\$ 215	\$95	
	4	July 24-28	\$325	\$ 300	\$ 215		
	5	July 31- 4	\$325	\$ 300	\$ 215	\$95	
	6	Aug 8-11*	\$290	\$ 265	\$ 185		

* 4 Day week

Registration is accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis. Please register in person during regular school hours at the school office, or email a completed registration form to emelito@auroramontessori.com Please contact Camp Director, Emily Melito, at this address or leave a message at 905-841-0065 ext. 433 if you have any questions or come to the office between 9:00 am. - 4:30 pm. in person to meet with the director.

Items to bring to camp: Sunscreen, hat, bathing suit and towel, weather appropriate spare clothing and reusable water bottle. Please clearly label all items with your child's name!

Lunch and Snacks: Please note that AMS is a peanut/nut free facility. Parents must provide two snacks, drinks, and lunch each day. Meals and snacks must comply with Canada's recommended food guide. All containers MUST be properly labeled with child's name.

Allergies and Dietary Restrictions: For the safety of your child: If your child has an allergy of any kind, whether severe or not, and/or has a dietary restriction please meet with the camp director, Emily Melito, or the AMS RECE supervisor, Maria Gonyea to fill out the required added documentation.

Refunds: If a camper withdraws from the program before the fee due date, the fee, excluding deposit, will be returned. No other refunds will be given without the presentation of a medical certificate. Please make your request in writing to the Aurora Montessori School. AMS reserves the right to move, change, combine or cancel programs if necessary. Part-time Camp attendees may not participate in all aspects of the camp.

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REGISTRATION FORM

AMS Summer Camps 2017

- Please complete one form for each child

Campers' Information

Name:		Gender:	AMS student? Rm #:
Age:	Date of Birth:	Health Card Number:	
Address (please include postal code):			
Telephone #:		E-mail contact:	
Mother's name:			
Business #:		Cell #:	
Father's Name:			
Business #:		Cell #:	

Swimming Ability/Experience (Ages 3+ only)

Has your child taken swimming lessons previously? (circle one)	Yes	No	Details: Achieved:	Swimming Badge/ Level
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Emergency Contact Details

Name:	Telephone #:
Relationship to child:	
Release Student to:	

Allergies or Special Needs

Child's Special Needs - Does your child have any medical conditions that our staff need to be aware of?
(i.e. Asthma, epilepsy, attention deficit)

Does your child have any allergies? Yes No

If yes, to what : _____ What is the reaction: _____

Additional forms are required to be completed for both general Allergies as well as Life Threatening Allergies.

Waiver and Authorization

I hereby release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue or otherwise claim or proceed against the Aurora Montessori School, its owners, affiliated organizations, their respective management, administrators, directors, agents, coaches, employees, sponsoring organizations, sponsors, advertisers and if applicable, owners and/or lessees of premises used to carry out any program administered by the Aurora Montessori School (collectively, the "Protected Parties") from any and all liability to the undersigned, his or her heirs and their next of kin for any and all claims, demands, losses or damages on account of injury, or damage to property, caused, alleged to be caused or in any way connected with the participation in any program administered by the Aurora Montessori School.

Signature:	Date:
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Photo Permission (for use internally as well as on CampMonty.ca /AuroraMontessoriSchool.com) Yes No

Print Parent / Guardian Name:

Program Fee:	\$ _____
Swim Fee: (\$95/session)	\$ _____
Extended Care Fee:	\$ _____
Academic Camp Fee:	\$ _____
Total Camp Fee:	\$ _____

Fee Enclosed:\$	Cheque Number:
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Please make cheque payable to Aurora Montessori School