

Pioneer Meadows Montessori School

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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION 2012-2013

Please circle applicable:

Child's Full Name: _____ **Gender** _____ **Birth Date** _____ **Children's House** : AM Lunch All day
 Elementary
_____ M/F _____

Mother/Guardian Information:

Full Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State & Zip: _____
Home Phone: _____
Work Phone: _____
Cell Phone: _____
Email: _____
Place of employment: _____

Father/Guardian Information:

Full Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State & Zip: _____
Home Phone: _____
Work Phone: _____
Cell Phone: _____
Email: _____
Place of employment: _____

Child lives with: _____

To whom should school correspondence be sent? Mother Father Both Other

Who is financially responsible for this child? Mother Father Both Other

Previous schools attended by applicant: _____

Before School Care needed? _____

Beginning at: _____

After School Care needed? _____

Ending at: _____

To get to know you and your child a bit better, please answer the following: (attach sheet if needed)

Name and ages of siblings (include the names of their current schools):

Reason for choosing Pioneer Meadows Montessori School:

How would you describe your child's learning style?

Does your child have any special hobbies, sports, interests, unusual talents?

Please explain any special needs or concerns you have about your child and his/her education:

Is there any significant medical history about which we should be aware and/or diagnostic evaluations (educational/physical or psychological) that have been completed for this child? Please give details. (Copies of tests should be sent to us)

Do you have any prior experience with Montessori education? If so, please describe:

What talents, resources can you share to enhance our school community?

Do you plan to enroll your student through the full cycle of Children’s House (including Kindergarten year)? Elementary?

Fees and Tuition Payment Options

Please include a **nonrefundable** application fee of \$50 to place your child in our applicant pool. Make checks payable to PMMS. Once your child is accepted, you will be asked to pay a \$250 *non-refundable* tuition deposit, which will guarantee a place for your child in the class. Should your child *complete* the school year, this deposit will be credited to your account in May. Payment of tuition is *not* subject to adjustment because of illness, absence or holidays. There is a \$175 supply fee for Children’s House and a \$200 supply fee for Elementary.

Tuition may be paid in full, paid in two payments, or paid on a 10-month payment plan. *All* tuition payment plans begin on August 1, 2011 and will be considered late on the 15th of the month. All fees, fines and tuition balances must be paid by June 1, 2012. Please see *Tuition Payment Schedule* included with this application.

Tuition Assistance (please see *Tuition Assistance* handout)

- We are **not** applying for tuition assistance
- We are applying for tuition assistance
- Tuition assistance is necessary for our child(ren) to be able to attend PMMS

**If we do not have assistance available when initial awards are made, you will be placed on a waiting list. If money becomes available later, you will receive notification of your award at that time.*

Application procedure:

1. By appointment, parents visit the school and meet with the Education Director and School Director.
2. Parents submit an application and a non-refundable fee of \$50 to PMMS. Applications due by **March 28th**.
3. If applying for Tuition Assistance, the two part application is due by **March 15th**.
4. New students must participate in a PMMS Scheduled Interview Session.*
5. Upon acceptance, a signed Enrollment Agreement and tuition deposit are due.

**Children are evaluated on the basis of readiness for school and potential success in a Montessori classroom. PMMS reserves the right to balance our classes for age and gender. Pioneer Meadows Montessori School does not discriminate in the admission of students or in the operation of the school on the basis of sex, color, race, creed, national or ethnic origin.*

Signature of Parent (Guardian): _____ Date: _____

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Date received: _____ Info. Night Attended: _____ Date of Observation: _____ Date of Assessment: _____

FEES PAID: Application fee: _____ Enrollment Deposit: _____ Classroom Supply Fees: _____