



# Maine Montessori Institute

Maine Montessori Institute is proud to announce its 14th year of Montessori Teacher Training in the greater Portland area. Opportunities for enrollment are now available, with initial applications due by May. Registered students can begin their Independent Study over the summer. The Academic Phase and weekly classroom sessions will begin at the end of June. Maine Montessori Institute is affiliated by American Montessori Society, and fully accredited by MACTE.

Maine Montessori Institute is for the professional looking to obtain a **Montessori Early Childhood Credential (2 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> - 6)** within twelve months, and is designed as a year-round program. (Students may also take 24 months to complete the program, and can apply for college credits for this course).

The program consists of four parts:

- 1) INDEPENDENT STUDY:** Readings and assignments to be completed in a self-study starting in June 2014.
- 2) ACADEMIC WORKSHOP:** Two full weeks of summer instruction (Monday - Friday, 8:30 to 4:30). The weekly classes will run from September to June on Tuesday evenings, 3:30 to 8:30 with some Saturday workshops (dates TBA).
- 3) PRACTICUM:** Internships in an approved Montessori 3-6 classroom setting (starting Fall 2014) are obtained by the students. MMI will give information on local school sites.
- 4) EVALUATION:** Testing and evaluation of student albums, teacher-made materials and research projects (Spring).

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