

Montessori Mes Petits Academy Care & Education

<u>Parent Agreement</u>

I/we, the undersigned (Parents or Guardians) agree with Montessori Mes Petits Academy Care and Education ('Montessori Mes Petits Academy', 'the center', 'the daycare') to the following terms and conditions:

Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday (please mark the days the child will attend), and to fully abide by all policies and procedures as determined by Montessori Mes Petits Academy, and, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, as stated in the Parent Handbook, and such modifications and additions provided to me/us in writing by Montessori Mes Petits Academy.

2. I/we understand that:

I/we shall pay (or have paid) a deposit of \$125 upon registration to hold the child's space in the center. This amount is not refundable if the family chooses not to enroll their child in the center. This amount is an administration fee and it will not be considered as part of the Care and Education tuition. The Registration Fee guarantees a place in the center, but it does not guarantee the date of entry.

I/we shall pay \$300 as a security deposit, therefore, if you wish to withdraw your child and one calendar months' notice is given then this deposit will be refunded on your last day of care. The notice must be given at the end of the previous month of withdrawal. If no notice is given or given with less than one calendar month notice, the security deposit will be kept by Montessori Mes Petits Academy. The security deposit is also used to cover the late pickups and other miscellaneous, if any.

Fees are due the first day of each month. They will be transferred from your account to Mes Pettis's account via EFT (Electronic Funds Transfer). Please notice that if there are not sufficient funds in your account (NSF), an extra fee of \$40 will be charged.

It is also understood that only two children between 30-36 months are allowed at the time in a classroom. If two children of that age are already in the 3-4 Class and my child is between 30-36

months, he will attend the 4-5 Class until he becomes 3. After that day my child will go back to the 3-4 Class if there is space, otherwise it will continue in the 4-5 Class.

3. It is understood that in the event that my child must be withdrawn from the day care due to extenuating circumstances, Montessori Mes Petits Academy requires one calendar month's written notice in order to give the administration the chance to arrange my child's departure from the center and find a replacement.

4. I/we will each day of care operation that the child attends, deliver the child directly to a staff member of the Care and Education program, and, not to take the child from the center under **ANY** circumstances without notifying a staff member before doing so.

5. I/we will notify Montessori Mes Petits in writing and in advance if any person other than those in the Pickup List form is picking up the child. I/we understand that the child will NOT be released to anyone, other than those mentioned without written permission. In circumstances that a different person who is not in the Pickup List needs to pick up the child, a parent must confirm by phone the characteristics of that person, relation to the child, and name.

6. I/we understand that absences of any kind, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing, due to illness, vacations, holidays (statutory or otherwise), or closure due to circumstances beyond Montessori Mes Petits Academy control (including weather, earthquakes, interruptions in power supplies, strikes, lockouts, road closures, pandemic, province states of emergency and acts of God, etc), do not exempt me/us from payment of the full monthly tuition fee as set forth herein.

7. I/we will keep the child home from the center if there is any question of serious and/or infectious illness and will notify Montessori Mes Petits Academy immediately about the nature of any said illness. If the child has fever, vomiting, diarrhea or if the staff thinks that the child has pink eye, a parent will be called and asked to come to pick up the child. Please check our addendum attached.

Special COVID-19 Health and Wellness Policy

Montessori Mes Petit follows the guidelines set out by Vancouver Coastal Health. Please keep your child home if, you have administered any acetaminophen or ibuprofen in the last 12 hours or they are experiencing any of the following conditions or symptoms:

Cold, flu, COVID-19 or influenza, Coughing, Sneezing, Runny nose, Sore throat, Ear aches, Fever, Difficulty breathing or wheezing, Unexplained fatigue, aches or cold/flu-like symptoms, Sinus congestion, Unusual or unexplained loss of appetite, irritability, or Headache.

Communicable disease – including, but not limited to conjunctivitis (pink eye), measles, chicken pox, croup, or whooping cough, etc.

Unexplained rashes or any rash that is not confirmed by doctor to be non-contagious

Seasonal allergies and/or other chronic non-contagious conditions:

If you or your child has seasonal allergies and/or other chronic non-contagious conditions, they will need to be assessed by a health care provider and if they are determined to be experiencing ongoing respiratory symptoms due to seasonal allergies or other non-contagious conditions, they can attend the center.

Travel:

Children who have, or children with others living in the same home who have just returned from international travel; may return after self-isolating for 14 days and being symptom free
Children who have, or children with others living in the same home who have been identified as atrisk of potential Covid19 exposure; may return after self-isolating for 14 days and being symptom free

When to inform the school:

Please inform the school (via email or phone) if your child will not be attending class, especially if he/she has an infectious illness such as vomiting, diarrhea, symptoms of COVID-19, chickenpox or measles, hand, foot and mouth, pink eye, etc. Please be aware that if your child displays any of the symptoms mentioned above during the day, you will be contacted and required to pick-up your child.

Potential school closure: Please remember that the Covid19 public health emergency is rapidly changing, and our ability to remain open may change without notice; or we may be ordered closed in the upcoming weeks by BC's provincial health officer, Dr. Bonnie Henry, and/or our licensing officer. Additionally, due to the need for staff to also stay home when symptomatic, we may have temporary interruptions to service delivery due to staffing shortages.

Should this happen you shall receive an email with instructions for the day or days following.

8. In the case of an accident or illness, I/we authorize Montessori Mes Petits Academy to have a physician and/or ambulance attend to the child as may appear necessary at the discretion of Montessori Mes Petits Academy.

9. I/we hereby acknowledge and expressly agree that the day care premises and grounds are private property under the sole control of Montessori Mes Petits Academy and that the enrolment of the child in the Care and Education is a privilege granted solely by Montessori Mes Petits, and therefore, Montessori Mes Petits reserves the right to request the withdrawal of the child if Montessori Mes Petits in its sole discretion deems it necessary, subject to the laws of British Columbia and the laws of Canada. Upon notice of request to withdraw, the child and parent/guardian will make no further attendances to the center whatsoever without the express written consent of Montessori Mes Petits Academy. I/we recognize that a breach by me/us of this term of the Agreement may result in damages to Montessori Mes Petits Academy and that Montessori Mes Petits Academy could not adequately be compensated of such damages by monetary award, therefore, I/we agree that in such event, Montessori Mes Petits Academy shall be entitled as a

matter of right to apply to a court of competent equitable jurisdiction for such relief by way of restraining order, injunction decree or otherwise, and I/we agree further, that the terms of this Paragraph 9 are necessary and fundamental to the protection of the business of Montessori Mes Petits Academy and reasonable and valid and all defenses to the strict enforcement thereof by Montessori Mes Petits Academy are hereby waived by me/us. I/we will indemnify Montessori Mes Petits Academy from any and all loss, cost, damages, liabilities, actions, claims, debts, demands, and expenses (including but not limited to solicitor's fee and disbursements on and increase basis) due to Montessori Mes Petits Academy having to enforce its rights pursuant to Paragraph 9 of this Agreement.

10. If there is more than one undersigned this Agreement will bind the undersigned jointly and severely.

11. if any one or more of the provisions contained in this Agreement should be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect in any jurisdiction, the validity, legality and enforceability of such provision or provisions shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby in any other jurisdiction and the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions contained herein shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

12. No waiver by any Party of any breach of any condition, covenant or agreement hereof shall constitute a waiver of any other condition, covenant or agreement.

13. This Agreement shall endure to the benefit of and be binding upon the Parties hereto and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, personal legal representatives, successors and assigns.

14. I/we shall execute such further assurances and other documents and instruments and do such further and other things as may be necessary to implement and carry out the intent of this Agreement.

15. Any notice required to be given hereunder or any party shall be deemed to have been well and sufficiently given if delivered by hand or by courier at the address of the other party hereinafter set forth:

If to Montessori Mes Petits Academy:	Unit 300 - 1046 St. Georges Avenue, North Vancouver, BC, V7L 3H6.
If to the undersigned:	The address as set forth on page 4 of this Agreement or at such other address as any of the respective parties may from time to time direct in writing.

16. ALL DOCUMENTS MUST BE PROVIDED TO ADMINISTRATION BEFORE YOUR CHILD IS CONSIDERED ENROLLED IN OUR CARE AND EDUCATION PROGRAM. PACKAGES THAT DO NOT HAVE ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED.

17. I/we acknowledge having received a copy of this duly executed Agreement.

Parent(s) or guardian (s) signature: (for dual parent families, Montessori Mes Petits Academy requires both parents' signatures).

Parent or Guardian Signature	Parent or Guardian Signature
Name (print)	_ Name (print)
Address	(If different)
City	
Postal Code	
Home Phone	
Cell Phone	
Montessori Mes Petits Academy (2010) Inc. Care and Education, Ana Romay By Its Authorized Signatory:	
Dated This Day of	of

Unit 300 - 1046 St. Georges Avenue, North Vancouver, BC, V7L 3H6.

Email: mespetits@mespetits.ca Phone: 604-980-1102 Web: www.mespetits.ca