



AQUINAS
MONTESSORI SCHOOL

Summer Camp

June 8 - August 14, 2020

Dear Parents,

We would like to invite your child to join us for a summer of stimulating adventures during the Aquinas Montessori School Summer Day Camp, which promotes learning as a joy which is never outgrown.

Campers will work with the guidance of a professionally trained Montessori teacher in the morning exploring language, mathematics, biology, geography, art, and music. Every morning is an opportunity to connect with authentic Montessori materials in an environment of learning that encourages exploration and enthusiasm for the work. Camp is a wonderful place to have fun with friends both inside the classroom and outside on our spacious, wooded playground. Our Children's Garden grows abundantly in the summer allowing campers to harvest what they have sown during the school year using the garden's bounty for snack and other activities. Our pollinator garden and milkweed patch attract a plethora of interesting wildlife for the children to observe.

Swimming is scheduled every afternoon. The Aquinas pool ranges in depth from two and a half feet to five feet. The comforting depth and small size offer beginning and novice swimmers an opportunity for great success in a safe environment. Even the youngest swimmers feel comfortable in the shallow end and make remarkable progress in just a few weeks under the supervision of our trained lifeguard. (Children who are developing swimmers wear life vests until they are competent, confident swimmers.)

The Aquinas Montessori Summer Day Camp supports children on their journey of becoming capable and fulfilled adults who enjoy contributing and connecting to the world around them. Please consider giving your child the opportunity this summer to experience the joy of learning!

Sincerely,
David H. Futrell
Head of School

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The Particulars



Hours

Camp begins June 8 and ends August 14. The hours are 8:30 am – 12:00 pm or 8:30 am – 3:00 pm, Monday through Friday. Before-Care will begin at 7:30 am and Aftercare will continue through 6:00 pm.

Families register by the week.

Payment Information

- All currently enrolled Aquinas and Old Town families will be billed through FACTS in two installments on March 2 and June 1, 2020
- All other families, please send a check with your application. One-half the total camp fee must accompany your application. The remaining fee must be paid before June 1, 2020
- For other payment arrangements, please contact the office
- Children attending 5 or more weeks will receive a 5% discount
- REFUNDS
 - Full refund, less \$50, if notified 3 weeks in advance of change of plans
 - Refund of 50% of tuition if notified more than 10 days but less than 21 days in advance of change of plans
 - NO REFUND if notified 10 days or less in advance of change in plans
 - ALL REFUNDS will be issued on August 28, 2020, two weeks after the last day of Summer Camp
 - Full refunds will be issued if the school cancels the program

Acceptance



We will confirm the receipt of your application and enrollment by email. Space is limited. The weeks fill up very quickly. Please ensure your spot by applying early!

Getting Ready for Camp



Your child will need a water bottle, bathing suit, and towel if staying for swimming. All items must be clearly labeled with your child's name and should be carried in a water-resistant bag marked with the child's name on the outside. Campers do not need to wear school uniforms. Children should come to camp wearing their bathing suits under their clothing. Girls may prefer to wear two-piece bathing suits to make using the bathroom easier. Please apply waterproof sunscreen to your child before coming to camp. Send in extra sunscreen in a labeled bottle. All camp attendees must be able to utilize the bathroom facilities independently. The school will provide a daily snack. If your child is staying until 3:00 pm or later, please send a lunch in a lunch box with your child's name on it. Children staying after 3:00 should pack an extra snack for aftercare.

Fees

	8:30am - NOON	8:30am- 3:00pm	8:30am- 6:00pm	EARLY CARE 7:30-8:30am
WEEKS 1-3, 5-10	\$305 per week	\$460 per week	\$605 per week	\$75 per week
WEEK 4	\$244	\$368	\$484	\$60

PLEASE FILL OUT THE FORM AND MARK DATE SELECTIONS

Send the form to: aquinasmontessorimv@gmail.com or mail to:
 Aquinas Montessori School, 8334 Mount Vernon Highway, Alexandria, Virginia 22309

	June 8-12	June 15-19	June 22-26	June 29- July 2	July 6-10	July 13-17	July 20-24	July 27- 31	Aug 3-7	Aug 10-14
7:30-8:30am										
8:30am-noon										
8:30am-3:00pm										
8:30am-6:00pm										

Application for Admission

Child's Name _____
 Date of Birth _____
 Gender Male Female
 Address _____

 Best Emails _____

 Home Phone _____
 Father's Name _____
 Work/Cell ## _____

 Mother's Name _____
 Work/Cell ## _____

 Previous School, Camp or Day Care Experience:

 Authorization to bill FACTS (current Aquinas families)
 Parent's Signature _____
 Date _____
 Amount Enclosed _____ Check# _____

Medical Requirements
 FOR ALL STUDENTS

1) Please provide the following emergency information.

Child's Name _____
 Allergies _____
 Medical Alert _____

 Suggested Treatment _____

Emergency Contacts (other than parents):

Name _____
 Phone _____
 Name _____
 Phone _____
 Physician's Name _____
 Phone _____

2) A complete Commonwealth of Virginia Health Form is required. A photocopy of the form is acceptable. (Current students of Aquinas or Old Town Montessori Schools should already have this form on file.)

Medical Release: Your signature authorizes us to seek emergency medical treatment in the event we are unable to contact a parent or guardian.

 (parent/guardian signature and date)

Please attach a note if your child has any allergies, physical disabilities, or is taking any medication, or if there is any additional, pertinent information we should have concerning your child.