

Montessori-Svizzera

Course Syllabus & Assignments

Overview

Reading

- ✓ Read each subject album – *including related reading noted in the albums themselves.*
- ✓ Additional resources are found on the discussion community including downloadable materials, phonogram pronunciation guide, and more.

Videos

- ✓ Where videos are available, watch all pertinent corresponding videos.

Post to the Discussion Community

- ✓ Some areas specify an assignment.
- ✓ Also be free to post to the discussion community any insights, questions, comments or concerns.

Create Materials

- ✓ Post images of materials you have created for your children or photos of your home/school's unique set-up. At least one for each subject area.

Essay

- ✓ Choose the topic you would like to write an essay about. Consider a few options – areas of interest for you that you would like to explore more about. Your final essay can be as little as 3 typed pages or as long as you need.

Certificate of Completion Fee

- ✓ CHF 150 submitted to ordini@scuolamontessori.ch or request an invoice.

Historical Stories

- ✓ Share an historical story on each of the following:
 - Mathematics
 - Geometry
 - Music
 - Language
 - Geography (earth sciences)
 - Biology (life sciences)
 - Art (all forms)
 - History
 - (post to the discussion community in the appropriate areas)

MONTESSORI-SVIZZERA -COURSE-SYLLABUS

Theory is provided in 3 parts: 1A, 1B, 2A.

- ✓ Post to the discussion community a research study or another modern proof (or refutation) of a concept in the theory album.

Great Lessons - 1A: Creation of Earth, Life, Humans; 1B: Communication in Signs; Numbers

- ✓ Post some of your 'I wonder' questions to the discussion community. Read others'.

Reading

- ✓ Read all corresponding resources noted in the albums.

Mathematics

1A	Intro; remedial; early word problems	1B	Early - numeration
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Biology

1A	Introduction	1B	Introductory Work – no new material – experience real plants and animals
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Language

1A	Intro; remedial	1B	History of Language
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Geography

1A	Intro & Universe	1B	Cards/Nomenclature
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History

1A	Intro	1B	Great Lessons follow-up
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Geometry

1A	Intro & Addendum	1B	Congruency, Similarity, Equivalence I
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Music

1A	Introduction	1B	
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Materials:

Choose a subject area to create a material in. Post photos or descriptions on the discussion community.

Essay:

Choose your topic. Consider several options.

Historical Stories:

Share an historical story from a subject of your choice (not one you have done before).

MONTESSORI-SVIZZERA -COURSE-SYLLABUS

Theory is provided in 3 parts: 1A, 1B, 2A.

- ✓ Post to the discussion community a research study or another modern proof (or refutation) of a concept in the theory album.
- ✓ Post local educational standards for just the 3rd and 6th year of Montessori elementary experience. *Please follow the instructions on the discussion community and the guidelines in the theory album. Do not just post the standards straight from your local authority's website.*

Reading

- ✓ Read all corresponding resources noted in the albums.

Mathematics

2A	Operations part 1 (multiplication)	2B	Squares and Cubes
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Biology

2A	Ecology	2B	Plants
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- ✓ Locate at least one Goings Out resource near to you – related to plants. Post information about it on the discussion community.

Language

2A	Word study	2B	Parts of Speech
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Geography

2A	Human Geography I	2B	Nature of Elements
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History

2A	Fundamental Needs	2B	
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- ✓ Design a chart showing the specifics of how you have met your own fundamental needs either during a specific period of your life, throughout your life overall, generally within your culture, or another perspective. Post to the discussion community.

Geometry

2A	Polygons	2B	Angles I
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- ✓ Create some artwork on based on the presentations – post them to the discussion community.

Music

2A	Bells – Sensorial	2B	Notation
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- ✓ Review the discussion community for additional resources in the music area; share your own ideas as well.

Materials:

Choose a subject area to create a material in. Post photos or descriptions on the discussion community.

Historical Stories:

Share an historical story from a subject of your choice (not one you have done before).

MONTESSORI-SVIZZERA - Month 3 (a &

Theory

- ✓ Post to the discussion community a research study or another modern proof (or refutation) of a concept in the theory album.

Great Lessons

- ✓ Return to the Great Lessons. Read them again for yourself.
- ✓ Share on the discussion community insights, questions and personal studies you want to undertake inspired by the Great Lessons.

Reading

- ✓ Read all corresponding resources noted in the albums.

Mathematics

3A	Fractions 1	3B	Operations 2 (Division)
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Biology

3A	Leaf	3B	Root
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Language

3A	Tenses of the Verb	3B	Logical Analysis 1
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Geography

3A	Sun and Earth I	3B	
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History

3A	Research & Timelines	3B	
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Geometry

3A	Lines	3B	Angles II
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Music

3A	Listening	3B	Singing
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Materials:

Choose a subject area to create a material in. Post photos or descriptions on the discussion community.

Historical Stories:

Share an historical story from a subject of your choice (not one you have done before).

MONTESSORI-SVIZZERA - Month 4 (a &

Theory

- ✓ Post to the discussion community a research study or another modern proof (or refutation) of a concept in the theory album.

Art

- ✓ Consider the key experiences your children need. Practice the skills yourself and post about your experiences on the discussion community.

Reading

- ✓ Read all corresponding resources noted in the albums.

Mathematics

4A	Fractions 2	4B	Decimal Fractions
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Biology

4A	Stem	4B	Flower
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Language

4A		4B	Written
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- ✓ Post and review shared resources on the discussion community.

Geography

4A	Sun and Earth II	4B	
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History

4A	Time	4B	
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- ✓ Visit livingmath.net for additional resource suggestions for history, time, and more.

Geometry

4A		4B	Circles I
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Music

4A		4B	Movement: Control
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Materials:

Choose a subject area to create a material in. Post photos or descriptions on the discussion community.

Historical Stories:

Share an historical story from a subject of your choice (not one you have done before).

MONTESSORI-SVIZZERA - Month 5 (a &

Theory

- ✓ Post to the discussion community a research study or another modern proof (or refutation) of a concept in the theory album.

Reading

- ✓ Read all corresponding resources noted in the albums.

Mathematics

5A	Squaring and Cubing	5B	Square/Cube Roots
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Biology

5A	Fruit	5B	Seeds
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Language

5A		5B	Spoken
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- ✓ Post and review shared resources on the discussion community.

Geography

5A	Functional Geography	5B	
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History

5A	Phases	5B	
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Geometry

5A		5B	Equivalency II
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Music

5A		5B	Movement: Expression
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Materials:

Choose a subject area to create a material in. Post photos or descriptions on the discussion community.

Historical Stories:

Share an historical story from a subject of your choice (not one you have done before).

MONTESSORI-SVIZZERA - Month 6 (a &

Theory

- ✓ Post to the discussion community a research study or another modern proof (or refutation) of a concept in the theory album.

Reading

- ✓ Read all corresponding resources noted in the albums.

Mathematics

6A	Signed Numbers	6B	Powers of Number
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Biology

6A	Botany Card Material	6B	Zoology Discussions
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- ✓ Locate at least one Goings Out resource near to you – related to animals. Post information about it on the discussion community.

Language

6A		6B	Literature
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- ✓ Post and review shared resources on the discussion community.

Geography

6A	Work of Air	6B	
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History

6A	Civilizations	6B	
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Geometry

6A		6B	Polygons II
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Music

6A		6B	Rhythm
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Materials:

Choose a subject area to create a material in. Post photos or descriptions on the discussion community.

Historical Stories:

Share an historical story from a subject of your choice (not one you have done before).

MONTESSORI-SVIZZERA - Month 7 (a &

Theory

- ✓ Post to the discussion community a research study or another modern proof (or refutation) of a concept in the theory album.

Reading

- ✓ Read all corresponding resources noted in the albums.

Mathematics

7A	Word Problems	7B	Other Number Bases
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Biology

7A	Zoology Story Material	7B	Zoology Body Function
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Language

7A		7B	Style
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- ✓ Post and review shared resources on the discussion community.

Geography

7A	Work of Water	7B	
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History

7A		7B	
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Geometry

7A	Area	7B	Equivalency III
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Music

7A	History and Instruments	7B	
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- ✓ Post and review shared resources on the discussion community.

Materials:

Choose a subject area to create a material in. Post photos or descriptions on the discussion community.

Historical Stories:

Share an historical story from a subject of your choice (not one you have done before).

MONTESSORI-SVIZZERA - Month 8 (a &

Theory

- ✓ Post to the discussion community a research study or another modern proof (or refutation) of a concept in the theory album.

Reading

- ✓ Read all corresponding resources noted in the albums.

Mathematics

8A	Algebra	8B	Ratio & Proportion
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Biology

8A	Classification Vegetalia	8B	Classification Animalia
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Language

8A		8B	Logical Analysis 2
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Geography

8A	Human Geography II	8B	
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History

8A		8B	
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Geometry

8A	Circle II	8B	Solid Geometry
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Music

8A	Tone Bells	8B	
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Materials:

Choose a subject area to create a material in. Post photos or descriptions on the discussion community.

Essay:

Submit your final essay.

Those seeking a certificate of completion: submit chf 150 certificate fee.