

Registration Information

Space is limited.

To reserve a space in the Elementary Summer Camp or Primary Summer School program, please complete and return the Reservation Form (see website) with a \$200 Reservation Fee.

New students, need to complete an application (see our website) and pay a \$50 application fee in addition to the \$200 Reservation Form and Fee.

Please note:

The application and reservation fees are non-refundable and non-transferable, but the reservation fee is applied toward your tuition fee.

Before & After School Care

Available at an additional cost, fees are based on the following:

Before school care for 8 weeks:

7:30am - 8:30am \$160

After school care for 8 weeks:

3:15pm - 6:00pm \$400

More Information

Reservation forms for all summer programs can be found at:

www.skinnermontessori.com

For questions please contact:

360-696-4862

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to providing the finest Montessori
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SUMMER 2007 PROGRAM

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Skinner Elementary Montessori Summer School

July 2-August 24

**Elementary Summer Camp
Primary Summer School**

Experienced, Trained Teachers

Before and After School Care

**Half and Full Day options
(Primary only)**



Elementary Summer Camp

This year's summer camp will involve children in various art and craft activities and increase their understanding of different mediums.

Arts & Crafts suggested:

- Leather work
- Beading
- Embroidery
- Sculpting clay masks
- Chinese calligraphy
- Button blanket technique
- Macramé
- Knitting & Crocheting
- Watercolor Painting
- Needlepoint.

Highlights include:

- Hosting guest artists and craftsmen
- Four select field trips to art or craft galleries/museums
- Three individual projects to be completed
- Traveling by mass transit
- Lunch at Esther Short Park

- Taught by Patti Valle Stevenson, AMI

Patti has been a Primary Montessori Directress for 19 years. This is her seventh year as the camp coordinator and teacher. She currently attends Marylhurst University studying psychology and human studies. When she is not teaching she is the delighted grandmother of two beautiful granddaughters. She also enjoys scrapbooking, jazz and blues music, gardening, reading and soaking up everything Portland and Vancouver has to offer!

Register Today!

**Space is limited to
20 Elementary Students
&
20 Primary Students**

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Elementary Summer Camp Students entering grades 1 - 6

Dates: July 2 - Aug. 25 (July 4th holiday)
Full Day: 8:30am - 3:15pm
\$1,500
(Field trips, bus pass, and supply costs are additional)

Primary Summer School Ages 2 1/2 - Kindergarten

Dates: July 2 - Aug. 25 (July 4th holiday)
Full Day: 8:30am - 3:15pm
\$1,300
Half Day: 8:30am - 1:00pm
\$1,100

Primary Summer School

The Primary Montessori program will have a special emphasis on two children's authors this summer. First we will explore the natural world as we read books by Louis Ehlert, such as "Planting a Rainbow", "Waiting for Wings", "Pie in the Sky", and "Growing Vegetable Soup". Each week activities will be planned as extensions to the Ehlert stories - making pies and soup, growing plants to attract butterflies, creating collages, raising butterflies, and identifying plants and animals in our outdoor environment and more!

Next we will discover folktales from around the world as we read stories gathered by Margaret Read MacDonald, a well known storyteller from Seattle Washington. Some of her stories that Gina will share include: "Mabela the Clever", "Go to Sleep, Gecko! A Balinese Folktale", and Conejito: A Folktale from Panama". As we read her books, the children will have opportunities to participate in "story play", make puppets, cook international dishes, and learn about the cultures our stories come from.

- Taught by Gina Lefever, AMI

Gina has been with Skinner for 19 years, 15 years as a Primary Montessori teacher. She completed her Masters of Arts from Marylhurst University in 2006 and holds a Bachelors of Arts in Social Science in History from Washington State University. When she is not teaching, she enjoys scrapbooking, antiques, walking, reading, spending time with her 3 grandchildren, and working part-time at a local bookstore.