



## Suggested Reading Material

The Montessori, Early Childhood Curriculum and Child Development books listed below will provide valuable information for you in preparation for our courses. We recommend that you read or review at least one book from each section as a prerequisite to our classes. It is not, however, necessary that you choose a book from our list. There are many textbooks on Early Childhood available through your local library, college library, or bookstore. If you have difficulty locating a book we will be happy to assist you.

### **MONTESSORI**

Learning How to Learn  
Montessori: A Modern Approach  
The Absorbent Mind  
The Discovery of the Child  
The Secret of Childhood  
The Montessori Method  
The Hidden Hinge  
Maria Montessori: Her Life and Work  
Maria Montessori: A Biography  
Nurturing the Spirit

### **AUTHOR**

Nancy Rambusch  
Paula Polk Lillard  
Dr. Maria Montessori  
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Dr. Maria Montessori  
Rosa Packard  
E.M. Standing  
Rita Kramer  
Aline D. Wolf

### **EARLY CHILDHOOD CURRICULUM**

Early Childhood Education Today  
Skills for Preschool Teachers  
Who Am I in the Lives of Children?  
The Whole Child  
Fundamentals of Early Childhood Education

### **AUTHOR**

George S. Morrison (2011)  
Janice J. Beaty  
S. Feeney & D. Christensen  
Joanne Hendrick  
George S. Morrison

### **CHILD DEVELOPMENT**

Child Development  
Child Development : An Intro  
The Developing Child  
The Healthy Young Child  
Infancy, Childhood & Adolescence  
Theories & Development  
Montessori: The Science Behind the Genius  
Introduction to ECE  
The Tao of Montessori  
A Delicate Task

### **AUTHOR**

Robert Feldman (2009)  
J.W. Santrock (2010)  
Helen Bee  
Sari F. Edelstein  
L. Steinberg and J. Belsky  
William Crain  
Angeline S. Lillard  
Eva Essa (2010)  
Catherine McTamany  
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