

Day 5: Friday, July 8

Lecture: Introduction to Language – The Montessori approach to writing

Presentations: Metal Insets

The Sandpaper Letters

Large Moveable Alphabet

Phonetic Reading Exercises

Phonetic Grammar

Practice with selected materials

Independent Study: Handwriting samples/ Insets for Design samples

**Read selected chapters from Education for a New World
Provided by lecturer.**

Day 6: Monday, July 11

Lecture: The Spiritual Development of the Child/Peace Issues

Presentations: The Phonograms and non-phonetic grammar

Introduction to Cultural materials

Practice with selected materials

Independent Study: Phonetic Reading samples

Day 7: Tuesday, July 12

Lecture: The Role of the Montessori Assistant

The Role of the Montessori Teacher

Presentations: Introduction to Arithmetic

Presentation of Selected Arithmetic Materials

Practice with selected materials

**Independent Study: Read selected chapters from Education for a New World
Provided by lecturer.**

Day 8: Wednesday, July 13

Lecture: Classroom Management Issues, including Freedom &
Discipline and expectations of the child, of the parents and
of the school.

Presentations: Presentation of selected Arithmetic exercises

Practice with selected materials.

**Independent Study: Read selected chapters from Education for a New World
Provided by lecturer.**

**Course Requirement: Attendance at all sessions
Completion of Essay**

Essay topic:

*Discuss the importance of the Prepared Environment in relation to the overall
development of the child aged three to six years.*

Submission Date: Friday August 12, 2011