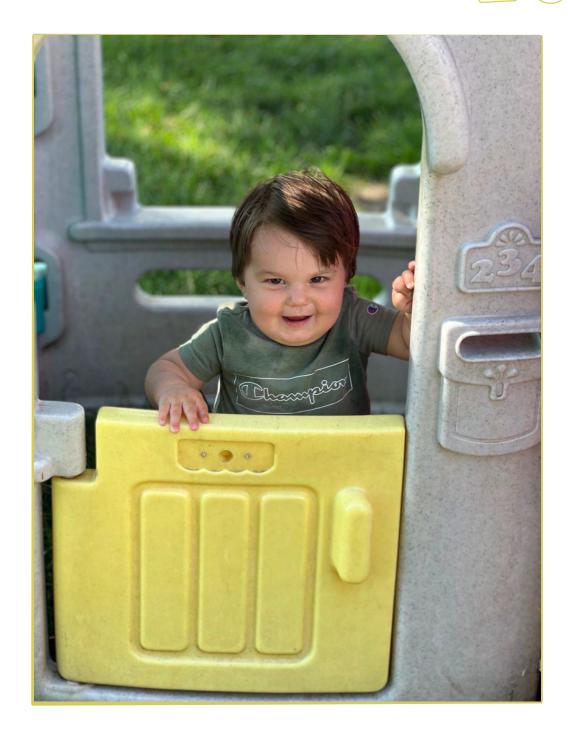
### The Hills Montessori 2023 Colemdor





Coloring Pages
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# WELCOME TO THE HILLS MONTESSORI!



Our rich curriculum emphasizes the principals of Dr. Maria Montessori, which is based on the natural development of children and their intrinsic desire to explore. discover and learn from the world around them.

Our goal is to provide a safe, secure environment for children ages six weeks to six years, helping to develop capable learners who not only know "how" to learn and solve problems, but also to "love" to learn.

Children work in multi-age classrooms as individuals, and in small and large groups. They are challenged to be independent as they explore a wide variety of subjects using specially-designed materials to teach specific skills. The Montessori environment fosters physical, social, emotional, and cognitive development.

#### **PHILOSOPHY**

The Hills Montessori is based on the child development model which incorporates the theories of Dr Maria Montessori, an Italian physician. Dr Montessori created a new vision of education for children, which is often thought as the "Education for Life". Montessori is a worldwide education system founded at the beginning of the century and is based upon a lifetime of research.

Montessori classrooms are carefully designed environments where children of mixed ages work together or independently with multi-sensory materials that invite them to touch, to think and to experience. Children move freely about, choosing activities and working until a sense of accomplishment is achieved. Before the child chooses another activity, materials are put back in place. With the freedom to choose, children develop self-confidence, self-discipline and self-mastery.

Because the Montessori classroom is child-centered, teachers act more as a facilitator than instructor. The teacher serves as the link between the student and the learning environment, observing each child's progress and introducing the next step to enable the child to master a skill.

Learning through play is viewed as the cornerstone of the curriculum. Adults provide protection, security, stimulation, limits and affection. Children are respected as individuals within a child-centered, rather than teacher-centered, program.

The Montessori classroom is divided into five curriculum areas:

- Practical Life (Everyday Living Skills)

- Sensorial

- Math Language

- Cultural

- Language

The sequence of lessons in the different environment areas begins with the simplest level and proceeds to the most complex level. In order for the lessons to have meaning, they must be applied to real life situations. The teachers create inidivudal lessons based on beauty and simplicity. This work is completed for reading and writing.

The Hills Montessori is lovated in North Central Omaha, with easy access off I-680 and Fort Street. Our renovated building has over 9000 square feet of learning space, a state-of-the-art storm shelter, a beautiful playground, and a gourmet kitchen where nutritious meals and snacks are provided daily.

Tuition is All Inclusive for Full-Time Enrollment and includes:

Educational program and quality childcare provided from 6:30 am to 6:00 pm. (No additional cost or before or after school).

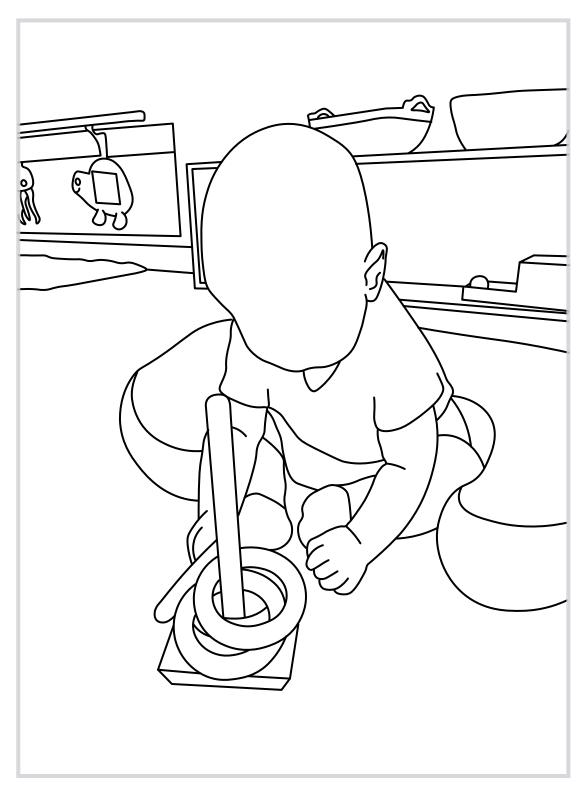
Nutritious breakfast, lunch, and snacks provided.

Part Time options also available.

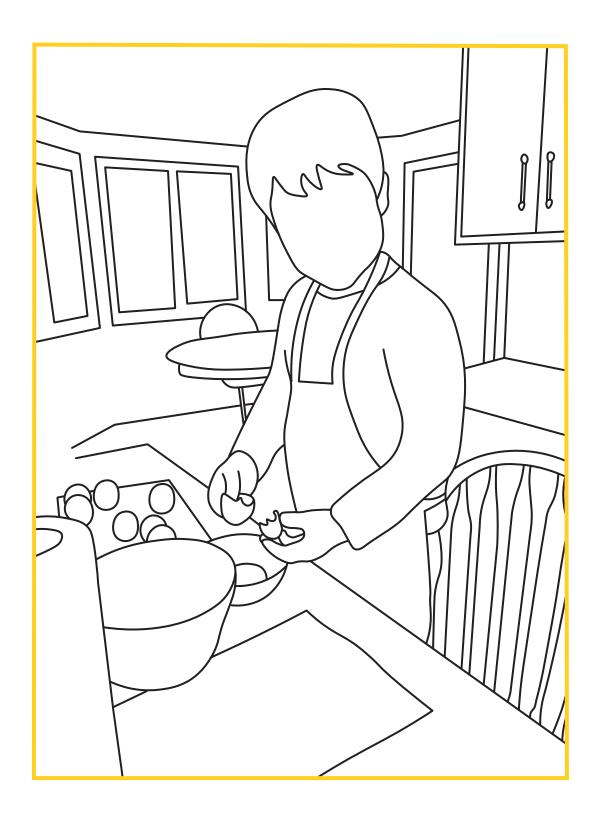
Contact us for more information at 402-884-8715.

# JANUAR 2023





SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	SCHOOL					
	CLOSED					
New Years Day						
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	Martin Luther King Jr. Day					
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Lunar New Year						
29	30	31				



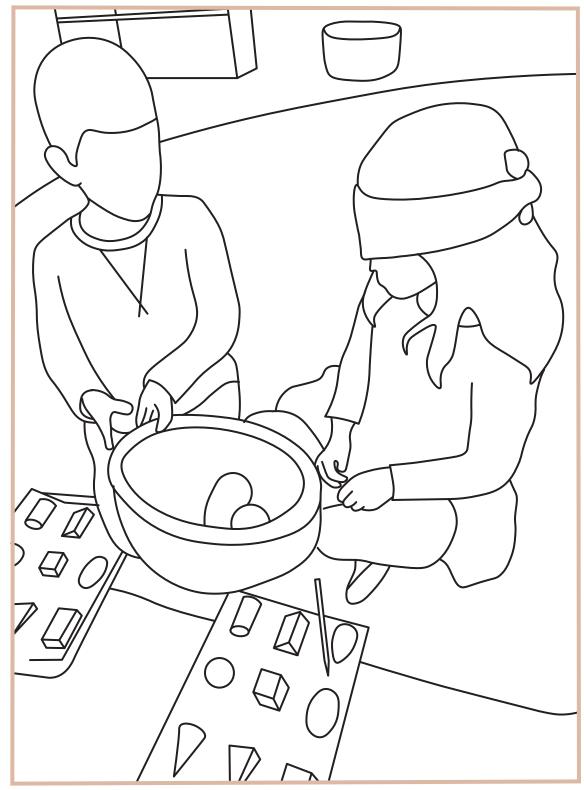
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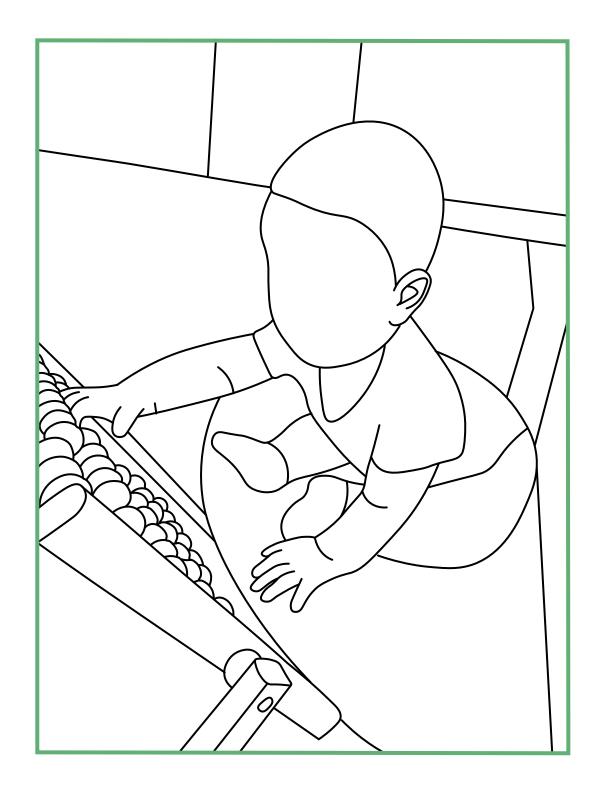
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_			_	Groundhog Day		
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		Valentine's Day				
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Presidents' Day		Ash Wednesday			
26	27	28				

# MARC 2023





SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12  Daylight Saving Time	13	14	15	16	SCHOOL CLOSED Teacher In-Service Day St. Patrick's Day	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
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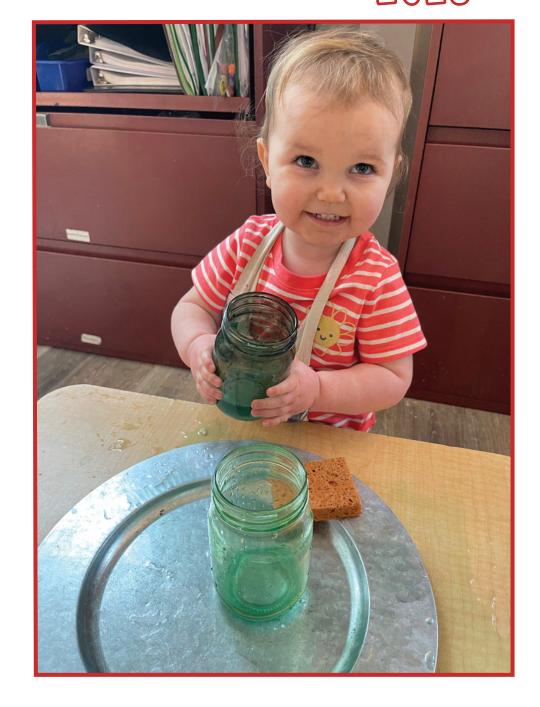


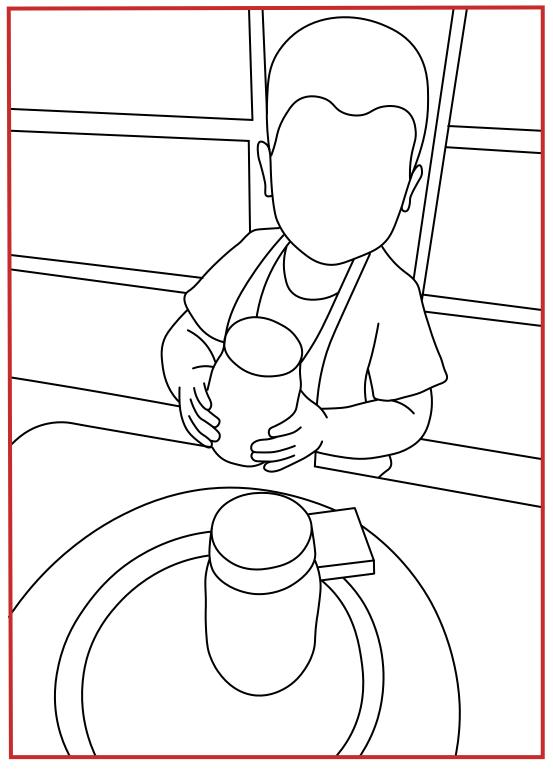
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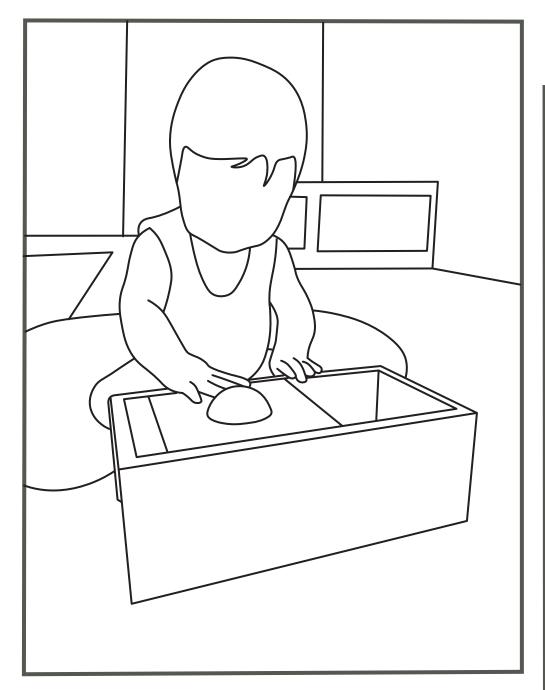
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Palm Sunday			Passover		Good Friday	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Easter						
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
		Tax Day				Earth Day
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30						

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			THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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				Cinco de Mayo	
8	9	10	11	12	13
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29	30	31			
SCHOOL					
CLOSED					
Memorial Day					
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## JUNE 2023



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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
			Flag Day			
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Father's Day	Juneteenth					
25	26	27	28	29	30	

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
_	3	SCHOOL	SCHOOL			
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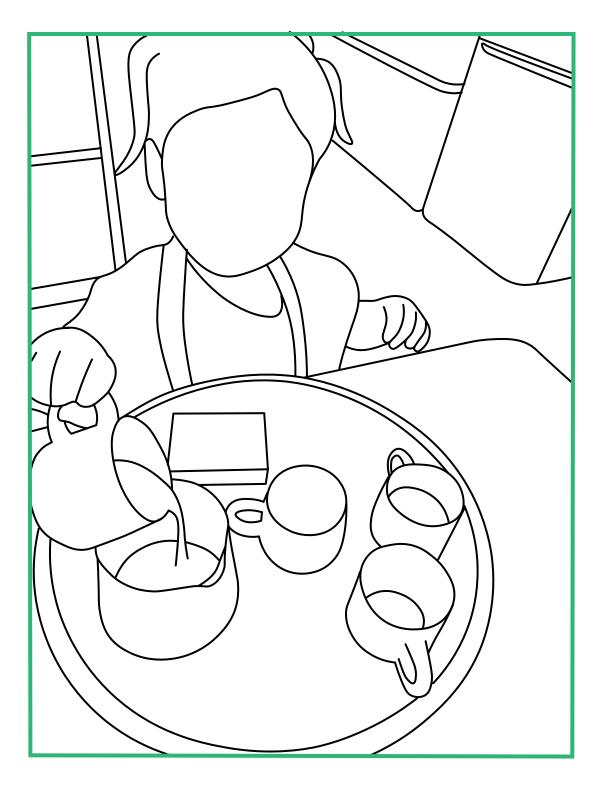
#### AUGUST 2023



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 SCHOOL CLOSED Teacher In-Service Day	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

# SEPTEMBER 2023





SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	SCHOOL					
	CLOSED					
	Labor Day					
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
24	25	20	21	20	29	30



#### OCTOBER 2023



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9  Columbus Day Indigenous Peoples' Day	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	SCHOOL CLOSED Teacher In-Service Day	28
29	30	31 Halloween				

## NOVEMBER





SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
5  Daylight Saving Time Ends	6	7 Election Day	8	9	10	11 Veterans Day
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	<b>22</b> School closes at 4pm	CLOSED	SCHOOL CLOSED	25
26	27	28	29	30		



#### DECEMBER 2023



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
					Hannukkah	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	SCHOOL	SCHOOL	27	28	29	30
	CLOSED	CLOSED				
Christmas Eve	Christmas Day	Kwanzaa				
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
	SCHOOL	SCHOOL				
	CLOSED	CLOSED				
New Year's Eve	New Years Day					

Thank you staff and families for VOTING us Best of Omaha nine years in a row!

