## Montessori Academy

## OCTOBER 2020 NEWSLETTER



What a great start to the school year! I know it has been difficult dropping your children off without entering the school, but I still feel like we have managed to make connections. I hope you feel the same.

This month we focused mainly on re-connecting with returning students and getting to know our new friends. Our older class friends have made sincere efforts to welcome and acclimate those new to the class. We have adjusted to new expectations and also simply picked up where we left off.

With the *GOOPY BOOGERY* (that is a medical term, right?) season upon us, it would be a great help if you supported your child in learning how to blow their nose. (This was actually one of the very first lessons Maria Montessori gave children to support independence and dignity).

HAND WASHING: please talk with your child often about the importance of hand washing especially after using the restroom.

Next month we will begin to explore North America in addition to working with the traditional Montessori Math, Language, Sensorial and Practical Life areas in the classroom.

## IMPORTANT CLASSROOM DATES AND REMINDERS

We would like to send home a class roster with a picture and name of each student so you can get to know your child's classmates. If you would NOT like to be included please email sarah.frazee@montessoriacademyidaho.com.

## IMPORTANT ALL SCHOOL DATES AND REMINDERS

Friday October 16th: Crazy Hair Day

Thursday October 22th - Friday 23th : Parent Teacher Conferences (School Closed)