



AMI 3-6 Assistants Certificate Course

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The aim of the course – to help adults, that are interested in the Montessori education to become able assistants in a Montessori Children’s House (3-6).

The task of the Montessori 3-6 Assistant is to support and help the director/directress maintain the equilibrium within the class.

- To observe
- To learn when and how to intervene (not interfere)
- To acquire the ability to allow the children to become more and more independent;
“any unnecessary help is a hindrance to development”
- To gain knowledge of Montessori’s understanding of Freedom and Discipline
- To acquire the ability to support the development of the child by assisting the teacher

Duration of the course program:

Sixty hours at the Centre and nine additional hours of observation – either immediately after the course or parallel to the course. Specific topics to focus on will be given for observation.

The Course program:

- Introduction to Montessori
- The Role of the Directress
- The Role of the Assistant
- Overview of the Planes of Development
- The Child's Mind from 0-6 years, Sensitive Periods
- Order: The importance of Order and Precision, Order in the development of personality
- Movement 0-6: Development of Movement and its significance for the child
- Language: Development of, also taking into account the following elements:
 - Preparation of the adult
 - Use of language in general
 - Vocabulary: correct, precise, rich, scientifically exact
 - How to listen to children
 - How to elicit language



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- Independence: Development of, also taking into account different levels of independence - physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual, as conditions for interdependence
- Prepared environment: Home and Casa dei Bambini (the physical and the intangible)
- Freedom and Discipline: Understanding the concept of Freedom from Montessori point of view and the growth of Discipline as inner development
- Social Development
- Observation and its relevance (technique and recording of)
- Music and Art
- Maintaining the environment (indoor and outdoor)

Some time will be dedicated to the reading and discussion of Maria Montessori's texts relevant to topics given.

Location:

Zoom

- ✓ Pre-registration obligatory
- ✓ Register by filling the registration form: <https://forms.gle/RbVzLE85TQ739jfh9>

Registration fee: 150 EUR (non-refundable fee) (included in the total fee)

After filling the registration documents, the invoice is issued for paying by bank transfer.

Total course fee – 700 EUR