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**Pathfinder on Early
Childhood/Montessori Education**
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Scope:

Early Childhood / Montessori Education is a term that refers to educational programs and strategies geared toward children from birth to the age of eight. This time period is widely considered the most vulnerable and crucial stage of a person's life. Early childhood education often focuses on guiding children to learn through play, games, small grouping, The term often refers to preschool or infant/child care programs.

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Library of Congress Subject Headings : *Broader Term , Related Term and Narrower Terms*

Used For : Infant education

Broader Term : Education

Related Terms :

- Child rearing
- Day nurseries
- Early childhood
- Family education
- Parent education

Narrower Terms :

- Education, Preschool
- Education, Primary
- Kindergarten
- Montessori Education

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E-RESOURCES (online databases)

- **MONTESSORI EDUCATION**

<http://www.montessori.org>

Montessori Online The electronic journal of the Montessori Foundation, publisher of *Tomorrow's Child*, offers articles which can be read online, links to Montessori sites around the world, and publications and services.

<http://www.montessori.edu.edu>

International Montessori Index includes information about methodology, teacher training, evaluating schools, and related topics.

<http://www.montessori.com>

Montessori Unlimited focus on teaching children to discover the potential in themselves.

- **Preschool / Early childhood**

200,844 Results from proquest Preschool / Early childhood

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Preschool searchasaurus

<http://search.proquest.com/docview/211436184/1425047C9B83FC37979/1?accountid=50192>

<http://web.ebscohost.com/sas/search?sid=2d4c8a7f-6f8c-4c7c-9c79-b77a6d6dc29b%40sessionmgr110&vid=3&hid=113>

The American Heritage Children's Dictionary

<http://web.ebscohost.com/sas/multimedia?sid=2d4c8a7f-6f8c-4c7c-9c79-b77a6d6dc29b%40sessionmgr110&vid=5&hid=113>

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(A. Buchcik Hall – South Campus)

- 305.234 M58 (disc 3) - Social and Emotional Development
- 305.234 M58 (disc 1) – Middle Childhood 1 (Learning Seed)
- 305.234 M 58 (disc 2) – Middle Childhood 2 (Cognitive and Language Development)
Preschoolers (DVD)
- 305.233 P 92 (disc 1) – Physical Development
- 305.233 2 (disc 2) – Cognitive Development
- 155.4 D 49 – Developmental Psych in Film Child Development (DVD)
- 371.39 Ed 83 – Educating everybody's Children (DVD)
- 372.7 H 81 – Math Song for Young Learners Kindergarten
- 155.4 D 49 – Developmental Psych in Film
- 371.394 D 56d – Differentiated School – Making Revolutionary Change in Teaching and Learning
- 371.394 D 56 – Differentiated Instruction in Action 1 – Elementary Education (DVD)
- 371.242 T 68 – Transforming Instruction for Block Scheduling (VHS)
- 305.233 P 92 (D1, c2) – Preschooler – Cognitive Development
- 305.233 P 92 (D2, c2) – Cognitive Development

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