



0-3 Diploma Course Required Reading List

The following books are required reading for the AMI Assistants to Infancy Course. Students should purchase these books prior to starting the course. These are professional titles not normally found on commercial bookshelves. Books may be purchased from <https://amiusa.org/bookstore/> or from a vendor of choice. Please make careful note of specific publishers and any required translations. Some books are available for purchase in the MINT office.

TITLE	AUTHOR	PUBLISHER
<u>The Absorbent Mind</u>	Maria Montessori	Montessori-Pierson
<u>The 1946 London Lectures</u>	Maria Montessori	Montessori-Pierson
<u>The Formation of Man</u>	Maria Montessori	Montessori-Pierson
<u>The Child in the Family</u>	Maria Montessori	Montessori-Pierson
<u>Education for a New World</u>	Maria Montessori	Montessori-Pierson
<u>Understanding the Human Being</u>	Dr. Silvana Montanaro	Nienhuis
Medical Text	Dr. Silvana Montanaro	Provided by MINT
<u>Citizen of the World</u>	Maria Montessori	Montessori-Pierson
<u>What You Should Know About Your Child*</u>	Maria Montessori	Montessori-Pierson
<u>From Childhood to Adolescence*</u>	Maria Montessori	Montessori-Pierson

*Montessori Core Principles

Supplies & Materials:

You will need the following to start:

- Computer
- Printer
- Internet Access
- Printing Paper
- Paper and supplies for notetaking
- Ruler, Compass, Pencils, Colored Pencils of Good Quality, Erasers, Sharpener, Etc.

Additional supplies will be needed for the creation of Montessori materials. These may include craft and sewing supplies, which can be purchased from various sources. You will be given specific guidance during the course. You can expect to spend between \$1,000 and \$1,500 dollars on books, materials, and supplies through the course.

Pay It Forward Stipend

The Pay It Forward Stipend is a special fund created by the 2017-2019 Three-Summer 3-6 Diploma Course Cohort to provide essential financial support to aspiring Montessori trainees. Pursuing a Montessori education often entails additional expenses such as textbooks, transportation, and materials, which can place a burden on trainees. Our stipend program is designed to alleviate this by offering much needed financial assistance.

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