



Connecting the Montessori Philosophy with the International Baccalaureate Curriculum

Shared Attributes:

Montessori

Inquiry & Exploration

International Baccalaureate

Student questions become the

their excitement to learn.

foundation of their inquiry, and drives

Children's own love of exploration in developmentally-appropriate classrooms allows them to take the lead in their learning.

Teachers are seen as a guide and assist children in finding their own strengths and capabilities.

The Montessori curriculum is international in its heritage and focus, and consciously seeks to promote a global perspective.

Multi-age classrooms allow students the opportunity to model learning and act as mentors for younger students.



The teacher as a facilitator empowers students with knowledge, leading the student to uncover and discover learning themselves.

Focuses on international-mindedness, a view of the world in which people see themselves connected to the global community and assume a sense of responsibility to its members.

Students are empowered to take action through projects that apply to the real world.

Both Montessori and IB strive to inspire a passion for learning and work to develop and support the whole child.

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