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NEWSLETTER

I QUARTER AUGUST TO OCTOBER 2025

When children engage with materials, they are not only learning how things work—they are discovering themselves. Each movement, each choice, and each exploration helps them develop independence, focus, and a love for learning.

EVENT CELEBRATED

AUGUST

- Independence Day

SEPTEMBER

- Defence Day
- Mehfil-e-Milaad
- Fruits Day

OCTOBER

- Shapes Day
- Science Experiments

Learning Together, Growing Stronger

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This academic year, we warmly welcomed many young learners into our Montessori community! We are truly enthusiastic to work with them, to guide their learning, and to learn so much from their curiosity and unique perspectives. So far, their joy in exploring materials, developing independence, and engaging with their peers has been incredibly inspiring.

We strongly believe that with the support of parents, we can continue to improve ourselves and create an even more nurturing environment for the children. Communication is the key, and we encourage parents to stay actively involved, share their insights, and partner with us in fostering each child's growth, confidence, and love for learning. Together, we can make this year a truly enriching journey for every learner.

LEAD TEACHER OVIERVIEW

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As we start this new academic year, I am excited and hopeful for the journey ahead. The children have already been joyfully exploring materials, developing independence, focus, and creativity. Their enthusiasm reminds me why Montessori education is so special, and I look forward to guiding their growth and celebrating every discovery along the way

A child has a mind able to absorb knowledge. He has the power to teach himself

The goal of early childhood education should be to activate the child's own natural desire to learn

KB-PLAYGROUP ENVIRONMENT

At KB Playgroup, we offer two thoughtfully prepared environments — KBPG-I and KBPG-II — both following the same Montessori curriculum. Each space is designed to foster exploration, independence, and creativity through hands-on Montessori activities. Learning in our classrooms takes place at the child's own pace, as we believe every child is unique and learns according to their individual needs and understanding. These purposeful experiences not only engage children in active learning but also play a vital role in shaping their confidence, concentration, and overall personality development.

"Children have an absorbent mind. They absorb knowledge from the environment without fatigue."

HANDS ON LEARNING

From August to October, our little explorers have been joyfully engaged in a wide variety of Montessori activities that spark curiosity and nurture a love for learning. The classrooms have been filled with excitement as children explored sandpaper letters and numbers, colour tablets, geometric solids, sound boxes, and many more engaging sensorial and practical life exercises.

They practiced pouring, polishing, folding, buttoning, washing dishes, and setting tables — learning to care for their environment and for themselves. Through these purposeful tasks, children are gradually developing independence, concentration, and coordination.

It is a delight to watch them focus deeply, repeat activities with enthusiasm, and celebrate small successes each day. Their growing confidence, gentle movements, and sense of responsibility reflect how beautifully they are absorbing the Montessori spirit, doing things "all by myself" with pride and joy.

ART & CRAFT ACTIVITIES

Our young artists have been busy expressing their creativity through a variety of fun-filled art and craft activities from August to October. From finger printing on the Pakistan flag, and creating moon-and-star collages for Independence Day, making Defence Day badges, to celebrating Dr. Maria Montessori's birthday with a colourful cake collage, every activity has been a joyful learning experience.

"Through art, children learn to see the world in colours."

Children explored different techniques like paper pasting, leaf stamping, sponge and finger painting, and collage work on themes such as apples, umbrellas, and army helmets. They also enjoyed matching and pasting shapes, exploring colour patterns, and creating with natural materials. These creative sessions not only enhance imagination and fine motor skills but also give children the joy of self-expression and the confidence to bring their ideas to life.

SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS

Our young scientists had a wonderful time exploring the magic of science through a variety of hands-on experiments. From observing sound waves by shouting on salt, to creating floating marker drawings, and learning about germs with black pepper and soap, every activity sparked curiosity and excitement.

Children were amazed to see ice melting with powder and soap, milk fireworks, water illusions, and even a whirlpool with lemon! They also enjoyed discovering magic ink using turmeric and baking soda, watching colors travel through tissue, and exploring air pressure by filling water into a bottle through a straw.

These engaging experiments helped children observe cause and effect, ask questions, and experience the joy of scientific discovery, turning learning into a fun-filled adventure!

EXPLORE THEM ON OUR YOUTUTBE CHANNEL

THROUGH OUR YOUTUBE CHANNEL!

To help parents understand Montessori concepts and keep children meaningfully engaged at home, we regularly upload educational videos on our official YouTube channel "Greenhouse Montessori / KB Playgroup.

Over the past three months, we have shared hands-on learning activities such as:

✅ Educational Videos
- Provinces of Pakistan
- Masjid-e-Nabwi (SAW) Info
- Parts of an Apple
- Pink Tower Demonstration
- Multiplication Board
- Practical Life Frames: Zip Frame & Press & Stud Button Frame

🎬 Short Videos / Fun Clips
- Glimpse of 14th August Celebration
- Transferring Water (Jug to Jug) Activity
- Egg Peeling Practical Life Activity
- Simple Science Experiments

These videos are designed to support learning beyond the classroom and give parents ideas to practice Montessori activities at home.

"WHAT THE HAND DOES, THE MIND REMEMBERS."

SMART PARENTING

COMMUNICATION & CONNECTION

Spend a few moments each day simply listening to your child. Ask about what they enjoyed, what made them curious, or what they found challenging. When children feel heard, they learn to express themselves with confidence and develop stronger emotional intelligence.

Meaningful conversations strengthen the bond between parents and children. Instead of focusing only on right or wrong, talk about feelings, efforts, and experiences. A simple 'Tell me more' or 'How did that make you feel?' encourages open sharing and builds trust.

Children who are listened to grow up feeling respected and valued. They become better communicators, problem-solvers, and more empathetic individuals. **So, take a few minutes every day to pause, connect, and truly listen, your attention is the greatest gift you can offer.**

ADMINISTRATOR'S OVERVIEW

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As we wrap up the first quarter of this academic year, I feel proud and grateful to see our Montessori environment filled with curiosity, laughter, and learning. We began the term by welcoming many new faces, and it has been heartwarming to watch our young learners settle in, explore, and grow with confidence.

Our teachers have shown great dedication in creating engaging experiences, while parents' continuous support has helped strengthen our school community. Together, we are building an environment where every child feels valued, respected, and inspired to learn at their own pace.

We truly value the trust and cooperation of our parents. If you ever have any concerns, suggestions, or feedback, please feel free to reach out to our front desk office. Open communication helps us grow together and ensures that we continue to provide the best for our children.

That's all for this quarter! We'll return in the next edition with more inspiring moments from our little learners' journey.