Focus Area 2:

MONTESSORI BEYOND THE WHMS CAMPUS



The Montessori approach to education places great value in a child understanding the greater world around them and the important role we all play in creating a peaceful and just world. As we grow, we strive to recommit ourselves to the important work of service to the greater community. We also want to examine the longstanding traditions at Woodland Hill, explore ways to incorporate experiences that enhance diversity, equity, and inclusion, and increase alumni engagement, all with the goal of strengthening our students' connection to the world beyond our campus.

Leverage Traditions and Capstones

- Focus on and enhance key activities at WHMS that have great meaning for the child's Montessori education
- Bring more visibility of these key activities to the greater community

Alumni Engagement

- Celebrate their achievements within the WHMS community
- Highlight their achievements and share their stories with the broader community

Balance work cycle and outside experiences

- Support a good balance between outside opportunities and preservation of the classroom experience.
- Enhance students learning experience by "going out into the world" and by "bringing the world to our campus"
- Protect the Montessori work cycle

Focus on service learning as an integral part of our curriculum and community

- Strengthen this aspect of the children's school experience with a focus on the "learning" part of service learning

