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AMI COURSE ONLINE



Manama Montessori  
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Teacher Training Centre

# AMI MONTESSORI ORIENTATION COURSE - ADOLESCENTS



# WELCOME

Welcome to the AMI Montessori Orientation Course for Adolescents 12-18 (previously AMI Assistants Course) entirely online and with simultaneously translation into Portuguese.

When we hear about Montessori, the most commonly referred age groups are the ones of the Absorbent Mind (0-6) and Reasoning Mind (6-12). However, there is a growing interest in Maria Montessori's vision of Adolescents, and we are at a point of no return: the vision of Adolescents is also about to change radically, with a huge impact on the Adults they will become.

This Course promises to change the way we look at Adolescents in the most varied contexts (schools, home, society, community) and begin a path of deep transformation and harmonization of the relationships and understanding of these small Adults, who want to become someone in their society, conquering their social, emotional and financial independence.

It will be a great pleasure to be part of this adventure with you, and to start this journey, this Brochure intends to compile all the relevant information about the Course, and all its practical aspects.

With our kindest regards,



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**“BUT, ABOVE ALL IT IS THE EDUCATION OF ADOLESCENTS THAT IS IMPORTANT, BECAUSE ADOLESCENCE IS THE TIME WHEN THE CHILD ENTERS ON THE STATE OF MANHOOD AND BECOMES A MEMBER OF SOCIETY.”**

**MARIA MONTESSORI**

# RECOMMENDED BOOKS



**“THE CHIEF SYMPTOM OF ADOLESCENCE IS A STATE OF EXPECTATION, A TENDENCY TOWARDS CREATIVE WORK AND A NEED FOR THE -S TRENGTHENING OF SELF-CONFIDENCE.”**

**MARIA MONTESSORI**

## BOOKS

- From Childhood to Adolescence
- Oxford Lectures

- During the course, students will be asked to read some chapters of the recommended books/lectures in order to carry out their work or support the program.

- The Organisation can provide the mentioned book, upon payment of the respective value. When registering, Participants may communicate if they want the book to be followed up in due time. The Organisation can provide the book in English or in Spanish.

**- In any case, the Organization will provide the compulsory reading chapters in English or dully translated.**



**JENNY HÖGLUND**

AMI TRAINER

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**"LIFE IN THE OPEN AIR, IN THE SUNSHINE, AND A DIET HIGH IN NUTRITIONAL CONTENT COMING FROM THE PRODUCE OF NEIGHBOURING FIELDS IMPROVE THE PHYSICAL HEALTH, WHILE THE CALM SURROUNDINGS, THE SILENCE, THE WONDERS OF NATURE SATISFY THE NEED OF THE ADOLESCENT MIND FOR REFLECTION AND MEDITATION."**

**MARIA MONTESSORI**

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Jenny Marie Höglund is an AMI Trainer for the 6-12 and 12-18 age groups, and holds an AMI 3-6 and 6-12 Diplomas.

She has been a Montessori Guide for well over 30 years, and in 1995 she was the co-founder of Montessoriskolan Lära för livet for the ages 1-16 years of age, where she is the head of school.

Ten years ago, she started a residential Adolescent community on a farm. The farm has been the venue for the AMI/NAMTA Orientation to Adolescent Studies and is now where the AMI 12-18 Diploma Course is given.

Jenny Marie Höglund has thus been one of the pioneers in spreading the Montessori vision for Adolescents, which promises to transform the way they are seen, towards an Education for Peace.





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**“FREE THE CHILD  
POTENTIAL AND YOU  
WILL TRANSFORM  
HIM INTO THE  
WORLD.”**

**MARIA MONTESSORI**

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The Association Montessori Internationale (AMI) was founded in 1929 by Maria Montessori to maintain the integrity of her life's work, and to ensure that it would be perpetuated after her death.

AMI is the recognized international authority on Montessori education. During its long history AMI has fostered the growth and development of Montessori programmes and teacher training, and worked to support the development and education of children and young adults in a vast variety of settings throughout the world.

AMI is a Non-Governmental Organisation (NGO) associated with the United Nations Department of Public Information (since 1985) and an NGO in operational relations with UNESCO (since 1962).

The mission of the AMI is to support the natural development of the human being from birth to maturity, enabling children to become the transforming elements of society, leading to a harmonious and peaceful world.

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# DETAILS

## COURSE STRUCTURE:

- 11 face-to-faceonline sessions of 3 hours each (via Zoom Platform)
- 27 hours of individual and independent work (watching videos, readings and writing)
- 9 hours of Observation

Details of the mandatory Observation hours will be discussed by the Trainer during the Course.

### **FORMAT:**

The Course will be completed online in its entirety.

Through the Google Classroom Platform, Participants will be able to communicate with the Trainer and each other, and there will also be notified and communicated the work to be done and elements to be studied.



# THANK YOU!

## AND... SEE YOU SOON



**JENNY  
HÖGLUND**



**CATARINA  
JERÓNIMO  
&  
MARIA SALES  
SOUSA**



**JARDIM DA  
DESCOBERTA**



**ASSOCIATION  
MONTESSORI  
INTERNATIONALE**

It is a great joy to be able to be part of this pathway. A pathway to Peace through Education, where each new step we take in our preparation as Adults, represents the possibility of introducing a change with Children, which, in the end, will already make all the difference!

It is an enormous joy to be able to walk together in this great will which unites us all, and for that we could not be more grateful.

Many thanks!

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