

REVIEWS FEATURED ON



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~Dina

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~Ning

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~Shelly

"Our family has been so impressed with Apple Montessori. The facility is very safe, clean and advanced. Our daughter is in her 2nd year and absolutely loves going to school everyday. She is academically challenged and greatly supported by her amazing teachers and staff. As the parents, we are excited to know our child is getting the best education possible. Being in a mixed age classroom allows our daughter to learn above and beyond her age independently and by older children. Also, our daughter can teach younger children her knowledge, which only reiterates her complete understanding of a subject. We can't be any happier with our decision to have our daughter attend Apple. Any child would be so lucky!"  
~Jacqueline

"My daughter has been attending Apple Montessori since may 2014 and has thrived since day 1. She receives attention from her teachers and has developed academically and socially at a rate faster than I expected. Her teacher Ms. Carbone is very caring and always open to discuss her progress or behavior before and after school. Parents should also consider this school and the benefits of the Montessori method of having mixed aged classrooms. I've started to notice my daughter discussing how she helps younger students in addition to being mentored by the

older students. I also believe interacting with the older students helps with her emotional development and maturation. Most importantly, my daughter love going to school here."  
~Matthew

"My daughter attends school at Apple Montessori Hoboken location. She started preschool at 27 months and loves it there. Every morning she is excited to leave for school and initially asked every sat and sun to be dropped off to school - that's the biggest testament to the enriching and nurturing environment offered by her teachers there.

We toured several other schools in our area but AMS was was top choice for several reasons. We loved the school curriculum and the Montessori methodology of learning offered. The school premises were spotlessly clean and coat closets very well organized. When we toured the classroom, the children genuinely seemed happy and engaged in their activities.

My daughter has become extremely independent and enjoys doing all the activities by herself - such an achievement compared to how she was before starting school. She has also become more social and has improved her communication skills. She is showing increased interest in learning new things - at the age of 30 months she knows all the colors, the shapes, and can accurately count the number of objects! Now she is beginning to recognize the numbers and letters in writing. It is fascinating to see her grow!

I am very happy with our choice of school and cannot recommend AMS enough for a strong educational foundation for a child."  
~Sanjukta

"If you are looking for a safe and great environment for your children, you should definitely look at this school. Our children have been happier and happier there building their confidence, competence, self-esteem and respect for others.

The classrooms are beautifully equipped and designed in a multi ages mix which allows both individual and social development.

All the staff is nice and devoted especially the teachers who are caring, understanding and academically good.

Lastly, as a parent you will get a excellent update on your child progress.  
I highly recommend this school. My children love going to school."  
~Clemence

"My daughter has attended Apple Montessori for the last year and half, and we are very pleased with the school. The curriculum of this school is excellent and my daughter is already reading and writing better than a 1st grader even though she just started Kindergarten. Using the video monitoring system that was installed last year, I am able to see what my daughter is doing in the class at any time. The school itself is very neat and clean. Teachers and staff are professional and caring towards the kids. Overall, we have had a great experience with this school!"  
~Charu

"This is a fantastic school run by an incredible group of teachers and administrators. The combination of mixed-age classrooms, the Montessori teaching philosophy, wonderful, clean facilities and caring teachers creates an environment that really fosters learning and emotional growth."  
~Jeff G

“Our daughter joined Apple Montessori initially in the infant program and now is in the toddler room. We are constantly amazed on an almost daily basis when she says or does something she learned in school. The daily pictures and videos the school sends show just how much she is learning, while enjoying programs like music enrichment and developing socialization skills with her classmates.

We are extremely impressed with the dedication, professionalism and compassion of the entire staff. We feel very fortunate to have our child in Ms. Valladares' class.”

~Joe K

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“My daughter loves her school. Not only she can read many books all by herself, she's always try to help me at home. Ms. Skiba has done a tremendous job on nurturing the kids in her class. She is a wonderful teacher. This part of the review comes from my daughter. "I love my friends and all my teachers especially Ms. Skiba. I've met a lot of good friends at school. I love to learn and see my friends every day at school. Ms. Skiba taught me to work hard and think really hard so that I can get smarter. I just love school!"

– Annabel

“Our daughter has learned so much, beginning in the infant program and now in the toddler program. On an almost daily basis, we are amazed at something new she learned in school, everything from sign language to putting her toys and art supplies away. The daily pictures and videos show her not only learning, but having fun with music enrichment and just being a toddler! The entire staff is nothing but friendly and professional, and we couldn't be happier with her teachers, particularly Ms. Valladares.”

~A parent

“My daughter is almost 4. She has been in Ms. Skiba's class for over a year and she really enjoys it. She adores Ms. Skiba, who is attentive, patient and very engaged with the kids. She has learned so much over the past year, and has made lots of friends at school. One of the best things about her class is the mix of cultures, which makes for a very rich learning environment. I would recommend Apple Montessori to other parents.”

~A parent

“I'm so happy and extremely satisfied about my sons progress since he started going to Apple Montessori Schools. It's the best school that a parent would ever want for their child.”

~A parent

"My three-year old daughter has been in Ms. Skiba's classroom for a full year. Ms. Skiba is loving, patient, and enthusiastic about early education. She tries her best to accommodate parent requests and is very detail oriented. She always keeps me well informed on what's going on with my child. I really appreciate her high level of care and nurturing which makes the classroom a great place to be."

~A parent

"Our daughter has been at Apple Montessori in Hoboken since last summer/fall and we have had only positive experiences. Her teacher, Ms. Vera, is absolutely amazing! She loves all of her kids and each day gives it her all. She is always happy and trying to help the children develop, learn and have fun! Thank you Ms. Vera for everything you do!"

~A parent

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~A parent

"Our daughter joined this school when it opened in 2013 and she has continuously blossomed here since then. We couldn't be more happier. The school has a great reading program and our daughter started reading proper level 1 books at 4 years of age. She is currently at Miss Bathla's class who is a great compassionate teacher, handling even all small little things with kids with great concern and care. We love her class assistant teachers too and even in the after care program, all kids seem happy and properly engaged by teachers. Our daughter is doing so well in academics whether it's math, writing, reading, science, geography, arts and we give all the credit to school who pays attention to all their materials and if the child is ready, they let the child grow faster with elder kids. We love the fact that all their cultural performances are run by kids which give kids a lot of confidence in public speaking at an early age. Our daughter loves going there and we sure recommend this great school to others."

~A parent

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"AMS Hoboken has been a great addition to the private school offering in Hoboken. While their distinctive reading & writing approach has taught my 5 yrs old to read and write before K, it has also inspired him to take ownership of his homework (15' a day tps, 4 times a week) as well as getting him exposed to new projects when becoming a K, like book reports and school annual festivals. There is one relevant aspect still to be fully addressed: outside play -where it's in the form of free time or playground or just walks around the area-: toddlers and young children need to have periodic breaks, not only mentally but also physically to best attune with their inner selves and best engage in their daily tasks; the fact that the Hoboken facility lacks an indoor play area is the biggest cons I can point out. Most staff -director, teachers and office admins- are willing and able to address any questions, doubts and concerns parents might have, PTC are scheduled regularly and even the owners are nowadays more visible and approachable than in prior years. Aftercare staff and overall coverage has also improved dramatically since Sep/15 - designated teachers are available till 6pm- as well as homework club -where older children get to do their homework, supervised by a teacher (not daycare staff)-."

~A parent

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"Love it! Even more results that I expected. My child can read can ride even multiple in his 5 years."

~A parent