Class ID **2111** Montessori Chinese (Age 4-6)

Description

This course is designed to have 7 workshops, using Montessori Method of Education which is a child-centered educational approach based on scientific observations of children for students ages 4 through 6 years old. It includes 5 core components from American Montessori Society (AMS):

- 1. Practical Life, Arts and Crafts
- 2. Sensorial
- 3. Math
- 4. Language
- 5. Cultural (Geography, History, Natural, and Physical Sciences)

Benefits of Montessori Education

"Montessori education offers children opportunities to develop their potential as they step out into the world as engaged, competent, responsible, and respectful citizens with an understanding and appreciation that learning is for life." www.amshq.com

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Dr. Jinhui Xu serves as a Chief Academic Officer at MandarinArk and adjunct faculty member at University of Massachusetts Boston. She teaches an American educational system course which introduces the American educational systems including its policies and reforms for Master's students. Prior to this, Dr. Xu works as a K-12 Chinese teacher in public schools from 2016-2017, and Global Outreach Director at Boston Renaissance Charter Public School from 2009 to 2015. Before she came to Boston to pursue her higher degrees in 2005, Dr. Xu also held positions in business administration and management in production and marketing fields from 1995 to 2005 in Samsonite China. She holds a doctoral degree in education (Ed.D) and a Master's degree in Applied Linguistics from the University of Massachusetts Boston, and a second master degree in business administration (MBA) from Hult International Business School, and a Certificate of Achievement of Teaching Social Studies/History to English Language Learners, and Massachusetts K-12 Chinese Teacher License, and Montessori Certification under the auspices of the American Montessori Society (pending).