



Montessori
School of Beaverton

2011-2012 Annual Report
Fiscal Year Ending June 2012

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When children are active participants in their development from an early age; when their natural needs and tendencies are recognized and addressed; when choice is allowed and guided; and when responsibility is expected and nurtured, a new child emerges.

This child's characteristics are concentration, self-discipline, love of learning and a respect for others and for the world.

This child represents nothing less than a hope for a better future.

MSB is strongly supported by its community through big-hearted financial contributions and generous donations of time. We offer the most sincere thanks for being part of the dedicated team that maintains MSB's excellence.

A special note of thanks to the Annual Fund and Auction volunteer parent leadership:

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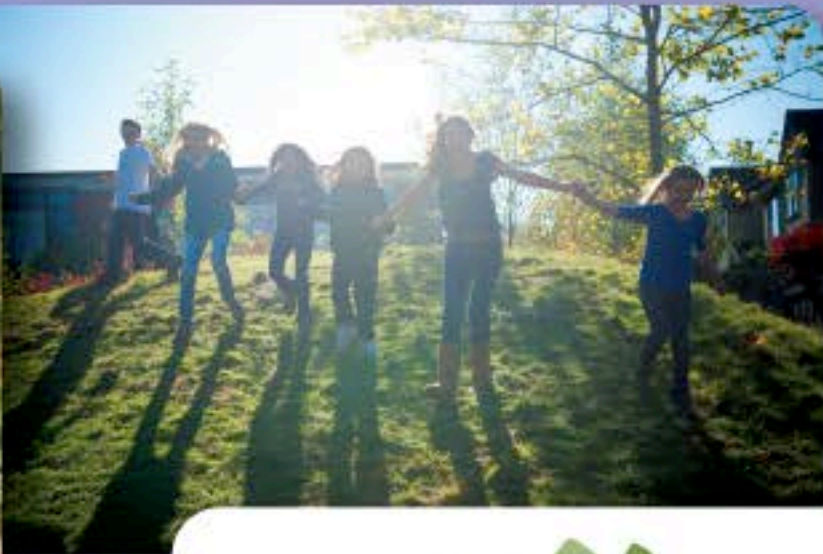
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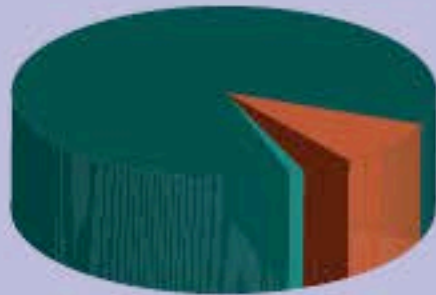
MSB 2011/2012 Financials*

* Unaudited Numbers as of 6/20/2012

Total Assets	\$3,377,808
Total Liabilities	\$1,825,455
Net Assets	\$1,552,353

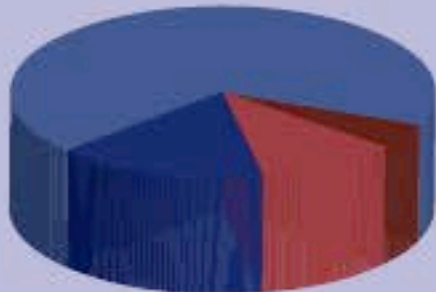
MSB 2011/2012 Revenue*

1% Other	\$13,484
4% Annual Fund	\$64,091
9% Special Events	\$155,132
86% Tuition	\$1,397,162
Total Revenue	\$1,629,869

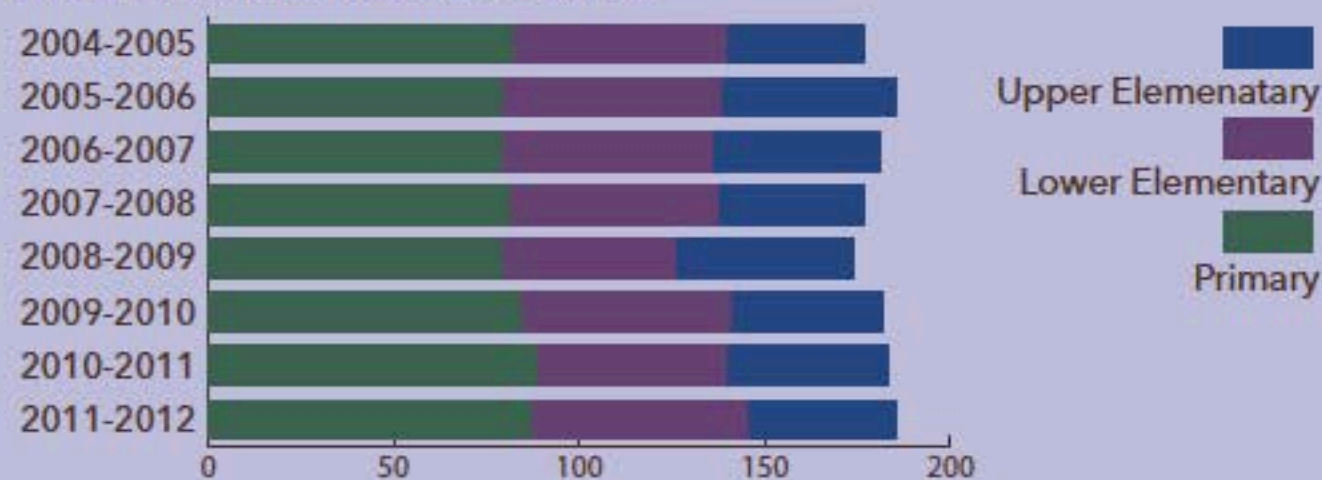


MSB 2011/2012 Expenses*

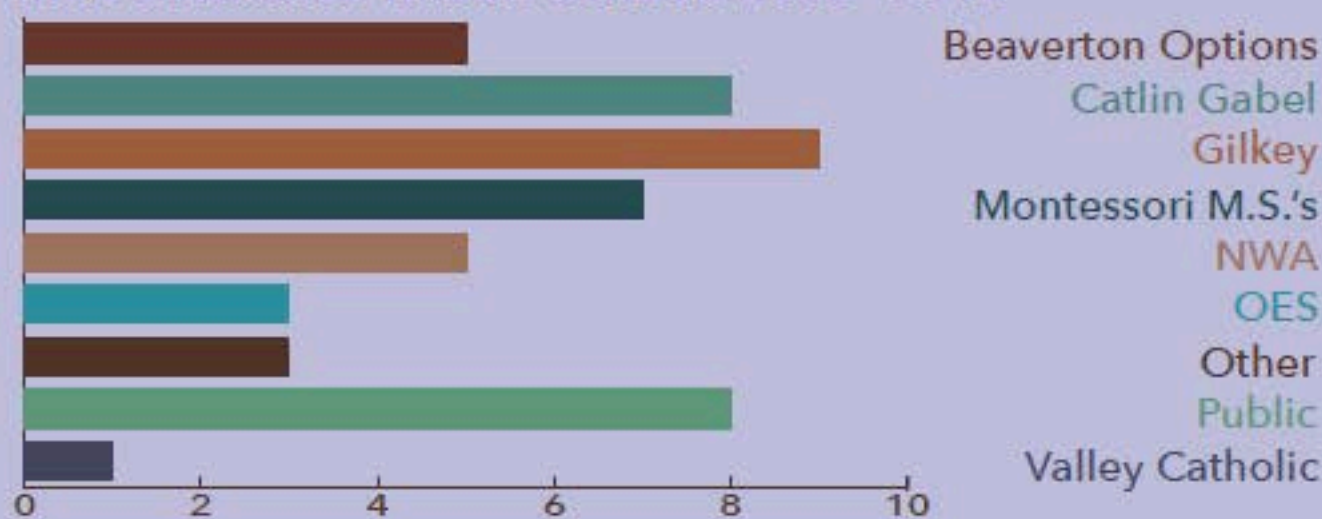
5% Administrative	\$83,569
11% Program	\$176,047
16% Facilities	\$286,894
68% Payroll & Benefits	\$1,083,893
Total Expenses	\$1,630,403



MSB Enrollment 2004 - 2012



MSB Graduates' Middle Schools 2008 - 2012



Dear MSB Community,

From humble beginnings in the early 1900's, Dr. Maria Montessori's legacy continues to reach children the world over. Montessori education is experiencing a burst of growth despite today's fast-paced, high-tech global environment. Here at the Montessori School of Beaverton we are proud to celebrate our 36th year of providing this timeless, nurturing, and visionary educational method.

In this, our first Annual Report, we note that our school is financially strong and enrollment remains steady. We are proud of our MSB graduates who, possessing the knowledge and skills necessary to pursue their individual passions, continue to be accepted at the middle schools of their choice. These achievements are the results of the efforts and generosity of many dedicated people: parents, teachers, staff and board.

MSB celebrated its 35th year, and its 25th auction, with the Silver Jubilee Gala Auction on March 10, 2011. Outstanding attendance and support by families from the present and the past made this the most successful auction in MSB's history. Parents understand that MSB is an exceptional educational choice, and a sense of pride and solidarity was in the air. A special thank you to the many community members who participated in this memorable event.

In addition to supporting financial aid, professional education, and campus preservation, the 25th Auction funded the construction of the Discovery Garden. This beautifully landscaped garden provides our students with an opportunity for learning about botany, and developing a deep connection with nature. The Discovery Garden has proved to be the perfect anniversary memorial for MSB.

Also this year, we launched the new MSB website with a refreshing makeover. The new msb.org better reflects the ideals and community that are so important to MSB. Please spread the word and share our site with your friends. We want everyone to see our extraordinary school.

Remarkably, Portland will host the 2013 International Montessori Congress, July 31 - August 3, 2013. This will be the first Congress in the US in over 40 years. With its theme Guided by Nature, Oregon's diverse and idyllic landscapes will provide the perfect backdrop. We look forward to taking part in this Congress and are excited to welcome visitors from around the world to our campus. We strongly encourage you to consider attending, too.

So much of Montessori is, indeed, guided by nature. It is rooted in Dr. Maria Montessori's early observations of young children who were free to follow their instincts to grow and learn. In the carefully prepared classrooms of MSB, opportunities abound for the children to master the academic concepts of language, mathematics, the humanities and science. This is coupled with the challenges and experiences of living within a dynamic, social community. The daily interactions of MSB students with our incredible outdoor spaces allow them to experience the wonders of the natural world, of which they are each a profound and intricate part. With guidance, they come to understand themselves as learners and social beings and become confident, thoughtful and capable global citizens.

The MSB Board of Directors and its dedicated staff appreciate your confidence in MSB for your child's education. We continually aspire to meet your hopes and expectations, and are proud to provide a safe and nurturing environment, with an excellent Montessori education for each child in our care.

With warm regards,

Carol Bennett, Head of School
Deborah Lockwood, President, MSB Board