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# Books

- Montessori: The Science Behind the Genius** \$32.00  
By Angeline Lillard, Ph.D. (hard cover)  
*Dr. Lillard presents current "...research concerning eight insights that are foundational to Montessori education and describes how each of these insights is applied in the Montessori classroom."* Companion DVD available, see below.
- The Scientist in the Crib—What Early Learning Tells Us About The Mind** \$14.00  
By Alison Gopnik, Ph.D., Andrew Meltzoff, Ph.D., and Patricia Kuhl Ph.D.  
*Dr. Meltzoff revolutionized the field of child psychology with his discoveries about how much infants know, learn, and remember, and was a keynote speaker at the 2007 AMI/USA Centenary Celebration.*
- One Hundred Child Development Tips—** \$8.00  
**Insights and Suggestions from AMI Teachers for Educators Working in Partnership with Parents**  
By Heather Pedersen, Ph.D.  
*Distributed at the Montessori Centenary Celebration and Refresher Course in San Francisco, February 2007.*
- By Paula Polk Lillard:
- Montessori in the Classroom—** \$14.00  
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- Montessori Today** \$12.00
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## Multimedia: DVD & VHS

- The Montessori Promise** \$50.00  
An introduction to the value, advantages, and principles of Montessori education. Perfect for open houses, parent orientation, opening of school year, public relations.  
*Produced by AMI/USA • VHS or DVD, 15 minutes*
- Montessori: The Science Behind the Genius** \$30.00  
By Angeline Lillard, Ph.D.  
In a lively and engaging presentation based on her widely acclaimed book, Dr. Angeline Lillard presents Montessori's theoretical principles, the research that has followed them, and how they are implemented in a Montessori classroom. Suitable for parents of Montessori students as well as prospective families.  
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- Optimizing Intelligences: Thinking, Emotion & Creativity** \$75.00  
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How do we develop human potential? Peter Salovey, Ph.D. of Yale University brings together three internationally renowned authorities—Howard Gardner, Daniel Goleman and Mihaly Csikszentmihalyi—who, through their theories and research, have transformed thinking about learning, intelligence, and happiness.  
*Produced by National Professional Resources, Inc • VHS, 40 minutes*
- The Genius in Every Child** \$70.00  
Presented by Thomas Armstrong, Ph.D.  
Featuring footage from three AMI schools and AMI/USA Executive Director, Virginia McHugh Goodwin. Dr. Armstrong, author of *Awakening Genius in the Classroom*, explores how learning environments based on the Montessori approach nurture the genius in children.  
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# A Collection of Essays

by Margaret E. Stephenson

Trained by Maria and Mario Montessori, Margaret Stephenson devoted her life to training both teachers and trainers in the United States. Noted as a brilliant lecturer, she possessed an extraordinary knowledge of Dr. Montessori's teachings. This collection of her writings covers a span of more than 30 years and represents her commitment to and understanding of Dr. Montessori's work with children from birth through adulthood.

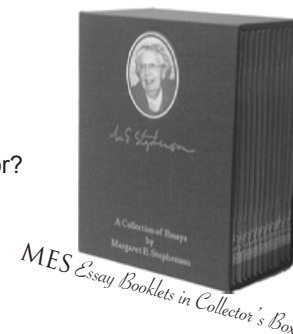
AMI/USA is continuing the legacy begun by Miss Stephenson by contributing one-half of the proceeds from each set of essays to the MES FUND, INC.—a scholarship fund established in Margaret Stephenson's name to benefit AMI teacher trainees in the United States.

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8. Cosmic Education
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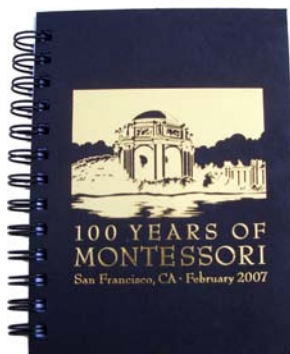
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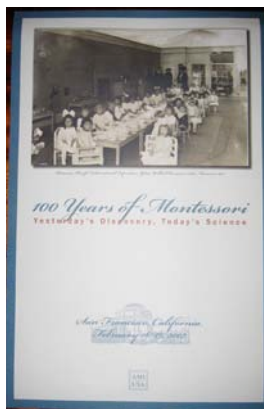
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