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The Discovery Of The Child





Synopsis

Maria Montessori went beyond the conventions of the day to seek a new way of knowing and loving a child. In THE DISCOVERY OF THE CHILD, she describes the nature of the child and her method of working more fully with the child's urge to learn. With 16 pages of photographs.

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Customer Reviews

This is a very good introduction to Dr Maria Montessori's teachings and ideas. It gives an account of how she derived many of her methods and the materials she used. The book is filled with details and interesting encounters with her little charges which makes her an endearing educator. However, it does not contain enough information for the actual exercises the child is supposed to practise.

I like the book. I haven't finished reading it so I cannot express a full opinion. The understanding of Maria Montessori for the child and how the child is the man or woman to be is remarkable and never before expressed in our culture. It is something all parents and teachers should be aware of when interacting with their children.

This is a very good book but more science aimed, like previous people said. I absolutely love everything Montessori and appreciate knowing how it all began with this book. There are many references to other books that I would like to read as well.

this book is fabulous. all educators should read what she has to say. she was ahead of her time and everything is so relevant

The Discovery of the Child, is very useful to me as a teacher as a catechist in the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd.

Excellent... that is because the subject is the montessori method. Her insight into how children grow, developed and learn is amazing.

This book is definitely interesting, but can be a little hard to read especially if your first languange is not engelish.

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