MGNS SCHOLARSHIPS

(AND OTHER FINANCIAL AID RESOURCES)

MGNS believes that all children should have a quality early childhood program available to them.
MGNS provides a limited number of scholarships per year for preschool students, each for up to one half of the total tuition cost of whatever class a child is enrolled in. (School families with other unusual and/or emergency financial needs are always encouraged to contact the school director for support.)

In an effort to apply limited resources equitably, MGNS scholarship applications will only be accepted from families AFTER families have explored their qualifications and/or applied for financial aid from the following three sources:

1. **WI Shares Child Care Subsidy Program**
   https://dcf.wisconsin.gov/wishares
   This program will cover a portion of tuition for eligible families.

2. **City of Madison's Tuition Assistance Program**
   http://www.cityofmadison.com/commserv/CommunityTAP.html
   Families not eligible for WI Shares can receive assistance with tuition for fully accredited child care programs, like MGNS.

3. **UW Child Care Tuition Assistance Program**
   https://occfr.wisc.edu/financial-assistance/uw-madison-students/child-care-tuition-assistance-program-cctap/
   If you or your spouse is a full-time student in any UW program, you are eligible to apply for tuition assistance with the UW CCTAP.

An MGNS scholarship application, if not attached, can be requested from the School Director or found on our website (www.mgns.org). **Return completed applications no later than April 15th to Sue Carr at MGNS, 4200 Buckeye Road, Madison WI 53716.**

ANNUAL TIMELINE AND PROCESS

APRIL 15: **MGNS scholarship applications are due to School Director.**
Director will redact any personally-identifiable details.
Director will forward applications to scholarship committee for anonymous consideration.
MAY 1: **Final scholarship decisions will be communicated to applicants by School Director.**

ALL INFORMATION ON SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS WILL BE KEPT IN STRICTEST CONFIDENCE.