

## HISTORY OF NAMMA VEEDU MONTESSORI - Uni5 INFANCY DAY CARE CENTER - Theethipalayam - Coimbatore.

5 years back Pradheep and me were visiting Ganesan's family in Coimbatore and shared about the Montessori education to their family children. We also gave many Montessori presentations in maths to their family's elder children. We were constantly insisting about the basic child education through Montessori system and their family women can adopt in.

Time passed away. In mean time there were many changes. Our school in Sendurai got observed by Mr.Ganesan and Ms.Jeyanthi Ganesan. Later Mr.Ravi kumar observed a working session and implemented Montessori ideas in his first son's play time. We were glad to see his interest in gifting his son with a Montessori kit. Tiny environment was setup in his hall for his son. Many children took the tools and involved in various activities.

Pradheep's long time stay, my instructions, ideas about Montessori education, family's thought about true service to their rural community all made Mr.RaviKumar to call us one day in December 2011 regarding his idea about opening a Montessori Infancy Day care center in Theethipalayam. We were so happy and also appreciated his effort in projecting a great service to his village.

We were already aware about many issues which we faced in past 5 years with Sendurai and so we started working slowly. First we selected 4 teachers and trained them for several weeks but unfortunately all of them left and only we had a good helper Ms.Valsa.

This was expected, so we were preparing ourself for the opening of the new environment. We were gifted with a good beautiful home and we thank the owner for all the support he gives.

Mean while Mr.Kumar, Ms.SumathyKumar, Mr.SureshKumar, Miss.Viji, Ms.JeyanthiGanesan and Ms.Kalamani were actively participating in our training sessions, arranging the house for children, visiting Sendurai for a day observation. Ms.Sumathy has agreed to be the correspondent. Miss.Viji will be the cultural coordinator. Ms.Kalamani will be taking charge of songs, music and stories.

By last week of April all the Montessori materials purchased from Danush foundation and The ocean foundation were displayed for the parents' view.

Official papers, booklets, notice, reading materials were prepared.

We have started collecting funds also. The Infancy Day care center will be implementing Montessori system along with Uni5 syllabus for children from 1-4 years. So far 5 children has been admitted.

The center is getting inaugurated with the people who are really interested and child caring in nature.

May 1st Tuesday has been chosen as the INAUGURATION DAY.

Mr.and Ms.Kandasamy will be inaugurating the environment by lightening the sacred lamp of wisdom.

We thank all the members of Sakthi Foundation, Chennai-Coimbatore CAC members, Alchem staff members for their help in making this project getting into reality.

We thank SureshKumar for spending his time and car for a long day purchase and all his interest in making his sister Miss.Viji to work for the center.

We also thank Mr-Ms.M.Ganesan for their true service in providing all needs and help for the project. We also thank all our family children who were helping us in preparing the environment.

Dr.Madesawaran has been blessed by his teacher Ms.ShanthiPrabakar with the portrait of Christ with mothers and children for the Montessori environment which is the real indication of divine blessing.

So we wait for the May first dawn for the birth of the fresh environment - NATION'S 4th Montessori Infancy Day Care Center.

Wait for the evolution.....