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Articles of Incorporation
Non-profit Corporation

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Please Note: This form does not automatically confer tax-exempt status. For additional information, contact the Internal Revenue Service prior to filing the Articles of Incorporation. Pursuant to KRS 14A and KRS 273, the undersigned hereby forms a nonprofit corporation and for that purpose sets forth the following:

Article I: The name of the nonprofit corporation is

MARY ANN MONTESSORI FOUNDATION OF GLASGOW Inc.

Article II: The purpose of the nonprofit corporation is **exclusively for charitable, civic, and educational purposes.**

Article III: The name of the initial registered agent is

Mary Ann Alexander

and the street address of the entity's initial registered office in Kentucky is

880 Jim Jolly Rd, Glasgow, KY 42141

Article IV: The mailing address of the entity's principal office is

100 Montessori Way, Glasgow, KY 42141

Article V: The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors is **3**

The names and mailing addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial board of directors are as follows:

Director	Brandi Button Johnson	414 Jenny Rd, Cave City, KY 42127-9205
Director	Mariah Levi	880 Jim Jolly Rd, Glasgow, KY 42141
Director	Lauralee Turner	876 Jim Jolly Rd, Glasgow, KY 42141

Article VI: The name and mailing address of the incorporator is as follows:

Incorporator	Mariah Levi	100 Montessori Way, Glasgow, KY 42141
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Additional articles not inconsistent with law may be stated in the space below.

Articles of Incorporation
Mary Ann Montessori Foundation of Glasgow, Inc.

Article I: Name

The name of the corporation is Mary Ann Montessori Foundation of Glasgow Inc.

Article II: Duration

The duration of the corporation shall be perpetual.

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Article III: Purpose

The purpose of the corporation is to nurture the whole child's intellectual, emotional development through a child-centered Montessori education, for learning, curiosity, and a deep respect for themselves and their environment, so that they can become confident and responsible local as well as global citizens. The proper training, services, infrastructure, scholarship opportunities, educational tools and materials needed to do so.

Focus on the whole child: Emphasizes development across intellectual, social, and emotional aspects.

Montessori principles: Use of Montessori methodology to guide learning in all facets.

Independent learning: Fostering self-directed learning abilities through proper instruction, access, educational tools, infrastructure, and environment.

Respect for environment: Infrastructure, educational tools, staff, and lessons that incorporates the importance of environmental awareness and responsibility.

Positive impact on society: Aims to cultivate children who are confident and contribute positively to the world through these principles and creating the proper physical, emotional, social, educational, and spiritual environment for them to do so.

The Mary Ann Montessori Foundation of Glasgow, Inc. is organized exclusively for charitable, and educational purposes including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. No part of the net earnings of Mary Ann Montessori Foundation of Glasgow, Inc. shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in the purpose clause hereof.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by any organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Mary Ann Montessori Foundation of Glasgow, Inc. is not organized and shall not be operated for the private gain of any person. The property of the corporation is irrevocably dedicated to its educational and charitable purposes. No part of the assets, receipts, or net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to any individual. The corporation may, however, pay reasonable compensation for services rendered, and make other payments and distributions consistent with these Articles.

Article IV: Registered Agent

The registered agent of the corporation is Mary Ann Alexander, located at 880 Jim Jolly Rd Glasgow, KY 42141.

Article V: Incorporators

The names and addresses of the incorporators are as follows:

Mariah Levi, 100 Montessori Way Glasgow, KY 42141

Article VI: Membership

The corporation shall have no membership.

Article VII: Board of Directors

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors consisting of 3 directors. Directors shall be elected in accordance with the bylaws.

Article VIII: Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, any assets remaining after the payment of debts shall

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be distributed to another nonprofit organization that operates for educational purposes and is exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Article IX: Limitation on Activities

The corporation shall not engage in any activities prohibited under Section 1372 of the Internal Revenue Code, including political campaigning or substantial lobbying.

Article X: Indemnification

To the fullest extent permitted by law, the corporation shall indemnify its directors and officers against any and all expenses and liabilities incurred in connection with the corporation, provided that such indemnification shall not apply to matters arising from gross negligence or willful misconduct.

This filing will be effective on **Monday, February 3, 2025.**

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Kentucky that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signature of individual signing on behalf of **Incorporator: Brandi Button**

I, **Mary Ann Alexander**, consent to serve as the Registered Agent on behalf of this entity on Monday, February 3, 2025.

