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Dear Prospective Kindergarten Parent,

Integrated Learning Solutions (ILS) looks forward to meeting you and your child as part of the kindergarten admissions process. We are delighted to be working with several of the local independent schools in order to provide a school readiness screening and to streamline the process of your child's application to Kindergarten for the fall of 2011.

As part of our partnership with these nine schools, we have worked closely with administration, admissions directors and kindergarten teachers at each school in order to gain a solid understanding of their assessment goals. We have made every effort to ensure that the screening experience will be a positive and enjoyable one for your child. During the screening, your child will be asked to participate in a number of developmental tasks which will enable our experienced staff to observe his/her language and reasoning skills, motor skills, as well as visual and auditory processing skills. The screening will be individually administered by ILS personnel and will take approximately twenty to thirty minutes.

Screening appointments will be offered throughout the month of January, 2011. They will take place at the offices of Integrated Learning Solutions, 2233 Huntington Drive, San Marino. (See enclosed calendar and map.)

In order to register, please visit our website, www.integratedlearningsolutions.org, click on Kindergarten Screening and follow the registration prompts. You will be able to select a convenient date/time and register your child on-line. If you have questions about the registration, or want to speak with an ILS representative, please feel free to contact us directly (info@integratedlearningsolutions.org or 626.568.8558). Your child may participate in the screening only once during this admissions period, and our office will make certain that each school you designate receives a copy of the results. We will also mail you a copy of the screening results during the month of February 2011. We believe the information will provide you with a valuable picture of your child's developmental profile at the time of screening.

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ILS and the consortium schools will offer two Parent Information meetings for prospective Kindergarten parents. These will take place on Tuesday, November 16, 2010, at Clairbourn School and on Monday, December 6, 2010, at High Point Academy (for adults only). Both will be from 7:00 – 8:00 pm, and will include the opportunity to talk with representatives of the consortium schools.

These meetings will focus on kindergarten readiness, the value of an independent education, visiting schools and finding a good match for your child. We very much look forward to meeting you and your child, and being of assistance as you participate in the admissions process.

Kindergarten Screening Checklist:

- Contact Integrated Learning Solutions (ILS) between September 20 and December 30, 2010 to schedule your child's screening appointment. Visit www.integratedlearningsolutions.org, click on Kindergarten Screening and follow the registration prompts. Have your credit card ready for easy and secure payment.
- Print a copy of your registration email confirmation and bring it with you to give to the Kindergarten Screening host. Be sure to note any additional information or changes on the form.
- Attend either Parent Information Night.
Tuesday, November 16, 2010 at Clairbourn or
Monday, December 6, 2010 at High Point Academy