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## NEW PALOS VERDES AREA MONTESSORI PRESCHOOL NOW OPEN

Palos Verdes Peninsula, California, SEPTEMBER 24th, 2013 – Families living near the Palos Verdes Peninsula now have a new, <u>authentic Montessori preschool</u> choice.

This month, LePort Schools, the <u>leader in Montessori preschool education</u> in Orange County, opened a new Montessori program, at 2342 Pacific Coast Highway in Lomita. Located on the Pacific Coast Highway, just two blocks east of Crenshaw at the base of the Palos Verdes Peninsula, the new school provides convenient Montessori childcare for infants, toddlers and preschoolers for families living in Redondo Beach, Torrance, Rancho Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills Estates, and San Pedro.

"We are very excited about this opportunity to bring high-quality Montessori for infants, toddlers and preschool children to the South Bay communities of the Palos Verdes Peninsula, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Lomita and San Pedro," explains Ray Girn, CEO of LePort Schools. "Early education is such a profound value, and we at LePort have devoted our lives to getting it right. We offer a rare combination of a passion for a high-quality Montessori education, and the professionalism required to bring great customer service to parents. Parents in the South Bay will now be able access the same loving and enriching environment that serves over 900 families in the six Montessori schools we have been operating in Orange County for over thirteen years."

By October, LePort Schools will complete the conversion of the existing facility into a beautiful, nurturing Montessori environment. Upgrades will include bright floors, wooden furniture, well-crafted Montessori materials, and a natural toddler playground to upgraded landscaping, all together making the campus will be one of the <a href="most inviting preschools">most inviting preschools</a> in the Palos Verdes, Torrance, Redondo Beach and San Pedro area. Enhanced security features will include keypad locks, finger-print activated electronic sign-in and out, and campus-wide two-way radios for direct communication. An experienced team of <a href="Montessori administrators">Montessori administrators</a> and teachers will work to ensure that children have a joyous and safe Montessori experience, whether they are infants, toddlers or preschool-aged children.

Several casual informational events are scheduled for the next few weeks, culminating in the new preschool's Grand Opening event on Saturday, November  $2^{nd}$ , from 10 am to 12 pm. Parents interested in participating are requested to RSVP at <a href="www.LePortSchools.com/palos-verdes">www.LePortSchools.com/palos-verdes</a>. Members of the media are also invited to the Grand Opening on November  $2^{nd}$ ; please contact us at <a href="PalosVerdes@LePortSchools.com">PalosVerdes@LePortSchools.com</a> to set up a visit to photograph the school and speak with our executives and campus team members.

LePort Schools has been educating Orange County children for 13 years, and currently operates seven preschools and private schools in Southern California, serving over 900 children from infants through 8<sup>th</sup> grade. For more information about the company, visit www.LePortSchools.com.



The new Palos Verdes area campus offers an <u>authentic Montessori</u> <u>preschool program</u>, led by preschool head teachers who hold Bachelors degrees, and have completed the rigorous, year-long AMI Montessori teacher training.



The Montessori classrooms at the campus are beautiful, light-filled spaces, equipped with a wide variety of high-quality Montessori materials.



In its first Los Angeles location, LePort will offer Montessori programs for babies as young as 12 weeks, for toddlers (ages 18 months – 3 years), and preschool/kindergarten students.