

March 1, 2009

## **HomeSchool Connection**

### **2009-2010 School Year**

HomeSchool Connection at Montessori Peaks Academy offers a unique, enriching educational experience for your children. Our classes are *only* held on Fridays. The school day runs from 8:30 – 3:00. We feature multi-age classrooms with lower elementary including 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3rd and upper elementary for 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>.

During the course of the day, students will participate in physical education, art and music, as well as, academic enrichment. Our enrichment program features many creative, hands-on group activities. We do science experiments, field trips, and classroom events. Examples of enrichment include an indepth study of Antarctica by the lower elementary that included weather, global warming, animal life and exploration of the continent. This past year, upper elementary did a long term study of the Middle Ages and Renaissance that culminated with a Madrigal Festival written and performed by the students. We also explored the world of physics from energy to light to magnetism and beyond. Our study of the physics of sound ended with a trip to hear a Colorado Symphony rehearsal. Our unique, educational program is perfect for gifted and talented students, visual-spatial learners, as well as, traditional learners.

Enrollment criteria are as follows:

- All incoming first graders **MUST** meet district requirements for first grade. They must be six years old by October 1<sup>st</sup> 2008. No exceptions. No kindergarten students may enroll.
- Students **may not** be dual enrolled in COVA (or other publicly-funded programs) and enroll in or attend MPA.
- A non-refundable \$25 family application fee is due with the “Request for Space Reservations.” A per student \$50 materials/activity fee is due on the first day of school.

We are currently accepting “Request for Space Reservations.” Space is very limited and class size is controlled. Please return the attached HomeSchool Registration form as soon as possible. Spaces are reserved in the order applications are received. We will e-mail you with a confirmation of receipt. Placements from the wait list will be made as openings occur.

Please call 303-972-2627 or e-mail ([paanders@jeffco.k12.co.us](mailto:paanders@jeffco.k12.co.us)) with any questions. I look forward to meeting you and working with your children.

Sincerely,

Patty Dwyer, M.A.  
Montessori Peaks Academy  
HomeSchool Connection Coordinator

P.S. The first day of school for 2009-2010 is Friday, August 28. Students will need to bring a snack and lunch. Drop off is in the modular classroom. Cherie and Patty will meet the students at 8:30. The first day concludes at 2:00 with an ice cream social for all students and families. (We provide the ice cream. You bring the toppings. – *No nuts please...MPA is a nut-free school due to allergies.*)

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**Request for Space Reservation**  
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**- New Students -**

Parent's Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return this form to MPA's Office with non-refundable  
\$25 application fee. Placement will be based on  
date of receipt and space availability.**

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