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Kids Learning Adventure opens second location in Coral Gables



Preschoolers interact at Kids Learning Adventure school in Coral Gables.

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Kids Learning Adventure (KLA), an innovative Reggio Emilia-inspired pre-school, celebrated the grand opening of its second location in Coral Gables on Thursday, Dec. 10, a year after opening its first pre-school in Brickell. The event, conducted at the new school located at 4573 Ponce de Leon Blvd., honored parents, family and friends of the community that supported the

opening of the school.

More than 150 guests attended the event and enjoyed live music, delicious hors d'oeuvres and wine sponsored by Bodegas Nieto Senetiner. Roberto Ortega, CEO of KLA schools, and Vicky Mas, KLA Coral Gables director, were on hand to personally welcome guests and they spoke to attendees about the inspirational philosophies behind the school's foundation.

"We're thrilled to expand our wonderful learning experience to

the Coral Gables community," Ortega said. "None of this would have been possible without the help of parents, friends and members of the community. We thank them for their support and we assure them our new pre-school will provide only the highest level of educational excellence."

Drawing upon the inspiration of the Reggio Emilia approach, hailed by Newsweek magazine as having the best preschools in the world, KLA believes that each child constructs his or her own intelligence through direct interaction with the environment and social groups.

The Coral Gables pre-school features the most modern and recognized furniture specifically designed for quality early childhood environments. The classroom materials and equipment are selected carefully to accommodate the different ages the school serves. KLA enrolls students from ages 1 to 5 and maintains small classroom sizes and child-to-teacher ratios.

To obtain more information, visit online at <www.klaschools.com>.