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Media Advisory

Julian Mitchell Elementary preparing for 11th Annual Holiday Market

Julian Mitchell Elementary School

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Who: Media outlets are welcome and encouraged to attend.

What: The 11th Annual Holiday Market is a much anticipated event for all of the students at Julian Mitchell Elementary School. Each year, through community donations, the school's Behavior Management Specialist, Reggie Terry, sets up a market for students to "shop" for items that will be given to family and friends during the holiday season. Each student chooses two items that are wrapped by volunteers so they can be presented as gifts. This is a day that students look forward to because it allows them the opportunity to give a gift to someone that is special to them. Fifth grade students look forward to the event as well; they help younger students find items and pair them with an adult volunteer that can wrap the gifts.

"Each year the event gets better and better," said Terry. "This is sure to be another success that you don't want to miss!"

When: Thursday, December 19, 2019; 8:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Where: Julian Mitchell Elementary School, Cafeteria, 2 Perry Street, Charleston, SC 29403

For more information regarding this event, please contact Reggie Terry at (843) 724-7261.

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About the Charleston County School District

Charleston County School District (CCSD) is the second largest school system in South Carolina representing a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools spanning 1,300 square miles along the coast. CCSD serves more than 50,000 students in 87 schools and specialized programs. With approximately 6,100 employees district-wide, CCSD is the fourth largest employer in the region.

CCSD offers a diverse, expanding portfolio of options and specialized programs, delivered through neighborhood, charter, magnet, IB (international baccalaureate), and Montessori schools, and is divided into three Learning Communities. Options include specialized programs in science, engineering and mathematics; liberal arts; music and other creative and performing arts; career and technical preparation programs; and military and other public service enterprises.