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GATEWAY ACADEMY CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS TO OPEN SECOND SCHOOL THIS SUMMER JUST SOUTH OF NORTHLAKE MALL, CHARLOTTE

(July 2009) Gateway Academy Child Development Centers are pleased to announce the August 10th Grand Opening of a new 10,000 new square foot “built to suit” child care center located at 9206, Reames Rd. Charlotte (just south of Northlake Mall). The Northlake location is the **second of three** new locations to open this summer, making a total of eight Gateway Academy centers in the greater Charlotte area.

“Gateway Academy schools are state of the art child care centers that focus as much on children’s well-being as on their educational needs,” said Audrey Burton, Regional VP of East Coast Operations. “Our centers are designed specifically with children in mind, from the beautiful outdoor play areas to the bright and cheerful classrooms.”

“We are truly committed to the Charlotte market. This is the seventh Gateway Academy center we have opened, with plans to open one more center in Charlotte this summer,” Ms. Burton continued. “We welcome children six weeks to 12 years old, providing innovative, age-appropriate educational programs, Before and After School for school-age children along with a Summer Camp program.”

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“We cater to the communities we serve,” Ms. Burton said, “by tailoring the activities specifically to the needs and wishes of our families. Each Gateway Academy has a true neighborhood feel to it.”

Gateway Academy is a member of the family of Mini-Skool Early Learning Centers. Operating since 1969, Mini-Skool is one of the largest privately owned child care and early education providers in North America. Today, the company cares for more than 16,000 children every day at over 100 child care centers across the country and Canada.

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