



M.O.M.I.E.'s TLC

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"A TRANSFORMATIVE EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM, NURTURING THE GENIUS OF CHILDREN VIA OUR SCHOOL AND NURTURING A MOVEMENT FOR EDUCATIONAL CHANGE"

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Submissions for "Visions of Greatness" Auction Needed

Proceeds go to an Eco-Green Children's Facility

WASHINGTON – Mentors of Minorities in Education's Total Learning Cis-tem (M.O.M.I.E.'s TLC) is issuing a call for artists, collectors, and filmmakers to submit for the "Visions of Greatness" art auction taking place Saturday, December 17th from 6-8pm at Sankofa Video and Books. Artists, collectors, and filmmakers are invited to submit original artwork for the event. The auction welcomes all media and styles for submission.

Artists work will receive formal recognition at M.O.M.I.E.'s TLC Art Auction. The auction is the main event celebrating "Visions of Greatness: Georgia Avenue Day," which highlights community institutions and businesses that are a part of Georgia Avenue's history and resurgence. Artists' names and work will also be featured in a "Visions of Greatness" catalogue which will be distributed to local partnering businesses along the Georgia Avenue corridor. Attendees of the event include community organizations, art collectors and neighbors from all over the DMV region.

This inaugural auction will help raise money for M.O.M.I.E.'s TLC Eco-Green Children's Facility building fund. The organization is currently working to renovate their new facility – located across the street from Howard University - that will eventually house all their programs.

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To be considered for the auction, artists, collectors, and filmmakers must contact M.O.M.I.E's TLC at (202) 545-1919 or email info@momiestlc.com to receive an Auction Application. The deadline for submitting work is November 15, 2011.

M.O.M.I.E's TLC is an award-winning DC-based nonprofit organization dedicated to “nurturing the genius” of our children by creating a transformative educational experience. Our model uniquely integrates creative and culturally-relevant out-of-school time programs, opportunities for parent and community engagement, and the sharing of educational tools and resources for the community. For more information about M.O.M.I.E's TLC, please visit www.momiestlc.com.

Sankofa Video and Books is located across from Howard University in Washington, D.C. Its focus is videos and books by and about people of African descent. The store offers a variety of classical titles as well as new releases in culture, history, sociology, biography, and fiction. It has a dedicated children's and adolescent literature section, which includes several Spanish and bilingual titles. It is a proud partner of M.O.M.I.E.'s TLC, and other community groups who are committed to developing creative youth into creative adults.

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