



The KinderCare Education™ Family of Brands

September 29, 2026

Meridian Community Unit District School #223
207 West Main Street
Stillman Valley, IL 61084

Re: Intent to Execute an Expansion of Extended Day Services Agreement

Dear Superintendent Plourde,

Meridian Community Unit District School #223 ("School") and KCE Champions LLC ("Champions") have been negotiating an Expansion of the current Enrichment Program Agreement (the "Agreement") between the parties since the Proposal submission date of July 14, 2026.

This letter agreement sets forth the intention of the parties to continue a business relationship and memorializes the parties' agreement to ultimately execute the Agreement that provides for Before and After School Care, for grades K–5, of which offerings and age ranges may be reasonably altered prior to execution of an Agreement.

Accordingly, the parties hereby acknowledge and agree to continue to work toward execution of the Agreement in good faith and further acknowledge and agree that the Agreement shall be executed and delivered by the parties before October 10, 2026, in order for Champions to perform services by June 2026.

Please sign and return a copy of this letter to my attention.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth Cortolillo

Elizabeth Cortolillo
Partnership Manager

Acknowledged and Agreed:

Meridian Community Unit District School #223

By: _____
[Name, Title]

Date: _____