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The Presentation School Announces Selection as a RULER Spotlight School

Sonoma, California - The Presentation School, Sonoma's only independent school committed to whole child educational excellence, is excited to announce their recent selection by Yale University's Center for Emotional Intelligence as a RULER Spotlight School. This achievement positions The Presentation School, with its talented faculty and administration, as a leader within the Emotional Intelligence movement not just here in Sonoma Valley, but as a global leader and model school.

Presentation was nominated as a Spotlight School for their outstanding commitment to the RULER program and successful integration of the program's tools, principles, and skills within their school community.

"We are thrilled to have earned this recognition as one of 12 schools across the globe to become a Yale RULER Spotlight School," said Dr. Jackie Gallo, Head of School. "Our faculty leadership team's diligent implementation and teacher-wide dedication to this curriculum in tandem with our students' and families' desire to embrace these skills together has made us a more compassionate and inclusive community".

The RULER program is an evidence-based approach designed to enhance emotional intelligence in students, educators, and families. RULER is an acronym which stands for the five skills of emotional intelligence: Recognizing, Understanding, Labeling, Expressing, and Regulating emotions. RULER skill development helps people of all ages to acknowledge the value of emotions, and how to use them wisely to succeed at school, at home, and in the wider community.

To learn more about the Ruler program at Presentation, visit our website and our Ruler Spotlight video.

About The Presentation School:

The Presentation School is an independent TK-8 school located in Sonoma, California. Founded in 1997, the school is committed to helping students become life-long learners and socially responsible leaders. The Presentation school is accredited through California Association of Independent Schools (CAIS) and Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC).

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