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Tutor Time of Cottage Grove Receives Four Stars in Parent Aware Quality Rating

COTTAGE GROVE, Minn., Oct. 27, 2009 – Tutor Time Child Care / Learning Center – located at 7071 East Point Douglas Rd. – is excited to announce that it has earned four stars in the Parent Aware Star Rating program – the highest ranking possible.

The Parent Aware Rating Tool was established by the Minnesota Legislature in 2007 to help families find high quality early education and child care programs. Providers are evaluated on a number of areas including family partnerships, teaching materials and strategies, tracking learning, teacher training and education and child safety.

“Providing children with a quality early education program has always been important to us at Tutor Time and we applaud the state for understanding the critical role early education plays in a child’s development,” said Jeanne Lee, center director. “It is an honor to have our efforts recognized by the state and we intend to continue providing this high level of excellence to all of the children in our care every day.”

To receive a four-star rating, early education providers must submit a narrative describing the program’s philosophy, complete a health and safety checklist, agree to participate in a Parent Aware Rating Tool evaluation, and be free of any sanctions under Minnesota Statutes, may not have operated on a conditional license, or had a maltreatment determination in the past two years.

To learn more about Parent Aware, please visit www.parentawareratings.org.

About Tutor Time Child Care / Learning Centers:

Tutor Time is one of the nation’s largest providers of child care and early educational services, providing care to more than 28,000 students throughout the United States and internationally. Its proprietary *LifeSmart*™ curriculum and age specific classrooms, play spaces and personal spaces foster children’s self esteem and develop their love of learning. For more information, please call Customer Support at (888) 678-4631 or visit www.tutortime.com.

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