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Cedar River Academy Students Contribute to Haiti Relief Efforts

Enumclaw, Washington (January 22, 2010) – Following the suggestion of a student, Cedar River Academy students have made a significant donation to the American Red Cross Haiti earthquake relief fund. Students contributed their personal savings in recognition of the desperate need the Haitians have following the January 12th natural disaster.



Cedar River Academy students Abby Bonzon, Clara Gerken, and Ezequiel Lemus, are shown in the photograph depositing their classmates' contributions at US Bank in Enumclaw, Washington. US Bank provides banking service for the American Red Cross to make it convenient for donors to help Haitian victims. Recognizing the student's efforts, US Bank representatives provided a "Piggy Bank" to each Academy classroom.

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“This charitable effort represents the students' recognition of our global community, and the dire condition of the Haitian people,” said Anne Gerken, Cedar River Academy's Director of Admissions.

About Cedar River Academy, Ltd.

Cedar River Academy is a non-sectarian private elementary school located in the J.J. Smith Elementary building, at 1640 Fell Street, Enumclaw, Washington 98022. At Cedar River Academy, students learn to think at high-levels as they analyze information and solve problems in multiple ways. Academy teachers support individual students as they learn to read, write, master mathematics, become fluent in a foreign language, appreciate arts and music, and present their work. Cedar River Academy's website may be found at <http://www.cedarriveracademy.com/>.

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