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New Learning Center Opening in Manchester

Manchester, NH — Latitude Learning Resources, an Auburn based non-profit education organization, is opening its first quarter of individualized, student-centered, community-based learning in North Manchester on September 9, 2019.

Recognizing a need for student-directed learning in a community setting, Director Sharon Osborne created a platform for homeschool students and families wanting more educational choice to take enrichment classes in diverse subjects from enthusiastic instructors. Said Osborne, "As a homeschool parent, I want my kids as well as other families to experience enrichment classes of interest to their personal educational journeys in a place that feels like a second home."

Latitude Learning offers the uniqueness of affordable classes in cross-curricular or single-interest subject areas including programming, musical theatre, American history, mathematics, and more. Additionally, Latitude offers advisory, social events, and meaningful opportunities for families to connect with each other. Classes are engineered to be engaging and fun, with respect to the different ways kids learn. Instructors encourage critical and independent thought, creativity, and problem solving through cooperative learning.

From Latitude's website:

Our curated schedule and excellent instructors do not follow the *recitation of facts modality* imposed by the majority of schools. In fact, prior to instructing at Latitude, instructors must agree to our standards of excellence which include the following beliefs:

- All children are unique,
- All children have individual learning styles that are valid,
- Work asked of children should be valuable to the process of learning.

If you are a homeschooling family or a schooling family looking to embark on student-centered experience of learning, visit www.LatitudeLearning.org and register to attend our Open House on August 28, 2-5 pm at Brookside Church on Elm Street in Manchester.

Latitude Learning Resources is the brainchild of Sharon Osborne, a homeschool mother of three children who each has divergent learning styles and needs. With an economics background, and entrepreneurial and non-profit experiences, Sharon brings her business wisdom and passion for individualized education to lead Latitude. Her vision for Latitude is to continually expand educational alternatives ensuring more children and individuals find the unique learning paradigm that works for their needs.

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