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Challenger School Unveils Newest Preschool Playground in San Jose

San Jose, CA—September 29, 2009—Parents and children alike are invited to visit Challenger School's Almaden campus at 19950 McKean Road to see the latest addition to an already exciting preschool program—a brand new playground! Challenger School has been providing preschool education for over 45 years, and this fun play area is the newest feature.

"Our students are enjoying the colorful, new equipment, including a prairie wagon that was inspired by the campus's country setting. Our play area provides opportunities for fun and imaginative play," said Judy Burbank, headmaster of Challenger's Almaden Campus.

A fire truck turns children into fire fighters; a train lets them be engineers and conductors. Sandboxes allow them to create castles and design towns. Everything on a Challenger playground adds value. The surrounding trees provide a respite from the sun, and the synthetic grass has a two-inch pad beneath it to serve as fall protection.

"We are committed to continuously investing in our facilities," said Barbara B. Baker, CEO and founder of Challenger School. "Challenger's development team has renovated 18 playgrounds so far—adding not only new equipment, but also artificial turf. They're beautiful!"

Headquartered in Sandy, Utah, Challenger School is an independent private school with 20 campuses in California, Idaho, Nevada, and Utah that serves more than 10,000 preschool to 8th grade students annually. Challenger focuses on the core foundation of knowledge (reading, composition, math, and history) and emphasizes the rights and values described in America's founding documents. For more information, go to ChallengerSchool.com.

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