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GEORGIA SEVERE STORMS AND FLOODING

Form **990**

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

OMB No 1545-0047

2008

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

A For the 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning **AUG 1, 2008** and ending **JUL 31, 2009**

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Termination <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type: See Specific Instructions	C Name of organization FIRST MONTESSORI SCHOOL OF ATLANTA Doing Business As Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite 5750 LONG ISLAND DRIVE N. W. City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 ATLANTA, GA 30327	D Employer identification number 58-0940357
		E Telephone number 770-422-0500	G Gross receipts \$ 2,969,698.
		F Name and address of principal officer STEVE DEVINNEY 5750 LONG ISLAND DR NW, ATLANTA, GA 30327	H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No H(b) Are all affiliates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list (see instructions) H(c) Group exemption number ▶
		I Tax-exempt status <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) (3) ◀ (insert no) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527	
		J Website: ▶ N/A	
		K Type of organization <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶	L Year of formation: 1964 M State of legal domicile: GA

Part I Summary

	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities PROVIDING A LEARNING ENVIRONMENT WHERE DIVERSITY OF THOUGHT AND GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE EMPOWER STUDENTS		
	2	Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its assets		
Activities & Governance	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	16
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	16
	5	Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a)	5	59
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	0
	7a	Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, line 12, column (C)	7a	0.
	7b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	0.
	Revenue	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year
9		Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	217,488.	96,558.
10		Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	2,515,330.	2,837,485.
11		Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	154,858.	35,655.
12		Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	<123,540.>	2,764,136.
Expenses	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		
	14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		
	15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	1,566,965.	1,836,129.
	16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		
	b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 17,137.		
	17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)	1,059,289.	989,819.
	18	Total expenses - Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2,626,254.	2,825,948.
	19	Revenue less expenses - Subtract line 18 from line 12	137,882.	143,750.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Year	End of Year
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	9,781,450.	9,863,033.
	22	Net assets or fund balances - Subtract line 21 from line 20	6,442,069.	6,379,902.
			3,339,381.	3,483,131.

Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here	Signature of officer: <i>[Signature]</i> Type or print name and title: J. King Head of School	Date: 12-16-09
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature: <i>[Signature]</i> Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4: MOORE & CUBBEDGE, LLP 366 POWDER SPRINGS ST MARIETTA, GA 30064	Date: 2009.12.15 Check if self-employed: <input type="checkbox"/> Preparer's identifying number (see instructions): P00456220 EIN: 58-1113036 Phone no.: (770) 422-0500

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) Yes No

SEE SCHEDULE O FOR ORGANIZATION MISSION STATEMENT CONTINUATION

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (see instructions)

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission

FMSA PROVIDES AN EDUCATIONAL ENVIRONMENT FOR CHILDREN UNDER 14 YEARS OF AGE. FMSA'S CORE VALUES ARE AS FOLLOWS: ENGAGED LEARNING, STEWARDSHP OF THE ENVIRONMENT, CREATIVITY, AUTHENTICITY, GIFT OF TIME, GLOBAL AWARENESS AND MUTUAL RESPECT.

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?

Yes No

If "Yes", describe these new services on Schedule O

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services?

Yes No

If "Yes", describe these changes on Schedule O

4 Describe the exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program services by expenses Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported

4a (Code) (Expenses \$ 2,052,997. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 2,664,821.)

PROVIDE AN EDUCATIONAL ENVIRONMENT FOR CHILDREN UNDER 14 TO TO ACHEIVE ACADEMIC AND CREATIVE POTENTIAL AS WELL AS BUILD SOCIAL, EMOTIONAL INTELLECTUAL AND PHYSICAL ABILITIES.

4b (Code) (Expenses \$ 50,092. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 62,980.)

AN EXTENSIVE SELECTION OF ENRICHMENT CLASSES IS PROVIDED EACH SEMESTER TO ELEMENTARY AND MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS. CLASSES MAY INCLUDE MUSIC INSTRUCTION (PIANO AND VIOLIN), ART INSTRUCTION (CERAMICS AND JEWELRY MAKING), PHYSICAL EDUCATION (KARATE AND FITNESS TRAINING), COMPUTER INSTRUCTION (POWER POINT), AND FOREIGN LANGUAGE AND DRAMA.

4c (Code) (Expenses \$ 29,218. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 40,680.)

FIRST MONTESSORI OFFERS THREE DIFFERENT SUMMER CAMPS -- PRIMARY, ELEMENTARY AND LANDSCHOOL.

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.)

(Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e Total program service expenses \$ 2,132,307. (Must equal Part IX, Line 25, column (B))

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5 Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations. Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any accounts where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
10 Did the organization hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
11 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, lines 10, 12, 13, 15, or 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
12 Did the organization receive an audited financial statement for the year for which it is completing this return that was prepared in accordance with GAAP? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
13 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the U.S.?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the U.S.? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
17 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
20 Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, questions 3, 4, or 5? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
24a Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer questions 24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to question 25</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
25a Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b Did the organization become aware that it had engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person from a prior year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
26 Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, or substantial contributor, or to a person related to such an individual? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

	Yes	No
28 During the tax year, did any person who is a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee		
a Have a direct business relationship with the organization (other than as an officer, director, trustee, or employee), or an indirect business relationship through ownership of more than 35% in another entity (individually or collectively with other person(s) listed in Part VII, Section A)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
b Have a family member who had a direct or indirect business relationship with the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
c Serve as an officer, director, trustee, key employee, partner, or member of an entity (or a shareholder of a professional corporation) doing business with the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		X
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		X
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>		X
32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>		X
33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>		X
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1</i>	X	
35 Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		X
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		X
37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>		X

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Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure (Sections A, B, and C request information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code)

Section A. Governing Body and Management

For each "Yes" response to lines 2-7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8 or 9b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

	Yes	No
1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body		
1b Enter the number of voting members that are independent		
2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?		X
3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		X
4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		X
5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets?		X
6 Does the organization have members or stockholders?		X
7a Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body?		X
7b Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?		X
8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
a The governing body?	X	
b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	X	
9a Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		X
9b If "Yes," does the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with those of the organization?		
10 Was a copy of the Form 990 provided to the organization's governing body before it was filed? All organizations must describe in Schedule O the process, if any, the organization uses to review the Form 990	X	
11 Is there any officer, director or trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O		X

Section B. Policies

	Yes	No
12a Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	X	
12b Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	X	
12c Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this is done	X	
13 Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	X	
14 Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?		X
15 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision:		
a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official?	X	
b Other officers or key employees of the organization? Describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions)	X	
16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?		X
16b If "Yes," has the organization adopted a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and taken steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?		

Section C. Disclosure

- 17** List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed **GA**
- 18** Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.
 Own website Another's website Upon request
- 19** Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public.
- 20** State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: **THE ORGANIZATION - 404-252-3910**
5750 LONG ISLAND DRIVE N. W., ATLANTA, GA 30327

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Use Schedule J-2 if additional space is needed.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation, and **current** key employees. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

Check this box if the organization did not compensate any officer, director, trustee, or key employee

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
JEFF DINKLE TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
JOHN FUMO TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
JODY NEWMAN TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
LISA STACHOLY TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
JOSH TOLCHIN TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
BERT JONES TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
STEVE DEVINNEY TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
DAVID WINSTON TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
MAX BRICCHI TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
MALCOLM CAMPBELL TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
JIM EVANGELISTA TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
PATRICK BURNS TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
SUE ELLEN CARPENTER TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
EILEEN FISHMAN TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
NOEL HUEBNER TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
METE HABIP TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
JERRI KING TRUSTEE, HEAD OF SCHOOL	40.00					X		95,000.	0.	9,464.

Part VIII		Statement of Revenue		(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
				Total revenue	Related or exempt function revenue	Unrelated business revenue	Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	1 a	Federated campaigns	1a					
	b	Membership dues	1b					
	c	Fundraising events	1c	96,558.				
	d	Related organizations	1d					
	e	Government grants (contributions)	1e					
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f					
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$						
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f		96,558.				
	Program Service Revenue	2 a	TUITION & REGISTRATION	Business Code 611600	2,664,821.	2,664,821.		
b		CULTURAL ENRICHMENT	611710	62,980.	62,980.			
c		SUMMER CAMP	611710	40,680.	40,680.			
d		EXTENDED DAY	611710	37,111.	37,111.			
e		OTHER	611710	31,893.	31,893.			
f		All other program service revenue						
g		Total. Add lines 2a-2f		2,837,485.				
Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		35,655.			35,655.	
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds						
	5	Royalties						
	6 a	Gross Rents	(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
		b	Less rental expenses					
		c	Rental income or (loss)					
		d	Net rental income or (loss)					
	7 a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	(ii) Other				
		b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses					
		c	Gain or (loss)					
		d	Net gain or (loss)					
	8 a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18	a					
		b	Less direct expenses	b				
		c	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events					
	9 a	Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19	a					
b		Less direct expenses	b					
c		Net income or (loss) from gaming activities						
10 a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a						
	b	Less cost of goods sold	b					
	c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory						
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code						
11 a								
b								
c								
d	All other revenue							
e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d							
12	Total Revenue. Add lines 1h, 2g, 3, 4, 5, 6d, 7d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e			2,969,698.	2,837,485.	0.	35,655.	

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns.

All other organizations must complete column (A) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21				
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U S See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U S See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees				
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	1,581,564.	1,249,435.	332,129.	
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	19,668.	15,538.	4,130.	
9 Other employee benefits	119,325.	94,267.	25,058.	
10 Payroll taxes	115,572.	91,302.	24,270.	
11 Fees for services (non-employees)				
a Management				
b Legal				
c Accounting				
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees				
g Other	31,710.	17,500.	14,210.	
12 Advertising and promotion	67,431.		55,435.	11,996.
13 Office expenses	126,674.	95,597.	25,936.	5,141.
14 Information technology	27,409.	27,409.		
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	228,442.	228,442.		
17 Travel	509.		509.	
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	1,112.		1,112.	
20 Interest	51,022.		51,022.	
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	219,474.	197,527.	21,947.	
23 Insurance	33,849.	9,640.	24,209.	
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (Expenses grouped together and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below.)				
a BOND FINANCING EXPENSES	48,530.		48,530.	
b ENRICHMENT/SUMMER CAMP	45,500.	45,500.		
c EDUCATION EXPENSES	43,944.	43,944.		
d FIELD TRIPS	16,206.	16,206.		
e MEMBERSHIPS	14,000.		14,000.	
f All other expenses	34,007.		34,007.	
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	2,825,948.	2,132,307.	676,504.	17,137.
26 Joint Costs. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

Part X Balance Sheet

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year	
Assets	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing	2,020,178.	1	2,836,448.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	29,268.	2	26,856.
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	327,642.	3	222,987.
	4	Accounts receivable, net	822,710.	4	825,558.
	5	Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, or other related parties Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6	Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8	Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	49,117.	9	47,481.
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost basis	10a 7,134,846.		
	b	Less accumulated depreciation Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10b 1,403,148.	2,823,296.	10c 5,731,698.
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities		11	
	12	Investments - other securities See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13	Investments - program-related See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14	Intangible assets		14	
	15	Other assets See Part IV, line 11	3,709,239.	15	172,005.
16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	9,781,450.	16	9,863,033.	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	70,499.	17	42,633.
	18	Grants payable		18	
	19	Deferred revenue		19	
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21	Escrow account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22	Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	4,023,465.	23	4,000,000.
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable		24	
	25	Other liabilities Complete Part X of Schedule D	2,348,105.	25	2,337,269.
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	6,442,069.	26	6,379,902.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.				
	27	Unrestricted net assets		27	
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		28	
	29	Permanently restricted net assets		29	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.				
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds	3,339,381.	30	3,483,131.
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund	0.	31	0.
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds	0.	32	0.
33	Total net assets or fund balances	3,339,381.	33	3,483,131.	
34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	9,781,450.	34	9,863,033.	

Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting

- 1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 Cash Accrual Other
- 2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?
- b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?
- c If "Yes" to lines 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?
- 3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?
- b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits?

	Yes	No
2a	X	
2b		X
2c	X	
3a		X
3b		

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

OMB No 1545-0047

To be completed by all section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts.

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▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

Name of the organization FIRST MONTESSORI SCHOOL OF ATLANTA	Employer identification number 58-0940357
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Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part) (see instructions)

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (Please check only **one** organization)

- 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.
- 2 A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E)
- 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. (Attach Schedule H)
- 4 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. Enter the hospital's name, city, and state _____
- 5 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)**. (Complete Part II)
- 6 A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)**.
- 7 An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II)
- 8 A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II)
- 9 An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions - subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See **section 509(a)(2)**. (Complete the Part III)
- 10 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See **section 509(a)(4)**. (see instructions)
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2) See **section 509(a)(3)**. Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h
 - a Type I b Type II c Type III - Functionally integrated d Type III - Other
- e By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2)
- f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box
- g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?

	Yes	No
(i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?		
(ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?		
(iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?		
- h Provide the following information about the organizations the organization supports

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col. (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col. (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col. (i) organized in the U.S.?		(vii) Amount of support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Total									

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Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
 (Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 - 3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public Support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						

12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (see instructions) 12

13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2008 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) 14 %

15 Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 26f 15 %

16a 33 1/3% support test - 2008. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶

b 33 1/3% support test - 2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶

17a 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶

b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶

18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions ▶

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2) (Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 - 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of 1% of the total of lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12 for the year or \$5 000						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12)						

14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2008 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27g	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2008 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27h	18	%

19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2008. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 33 1/3% support tests - 2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions

Schedule D
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

▶ Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12.

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Name of the organization **FIRST MONTESSORI SCHOOL OF ATLANTA** Employer identification number **58-0940357**

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year		
2 Aggregate contributions to (during year)		
3 Aggregate grants from (during year)		
4 Aggregate value at end of year		
5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds may be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor or other impermissible private benefit?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7

- 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)
- Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or pleasure) Preservation of an historically important land area
- Protection of natural habitat Preservation of certified historic structure
- Preservation of open space
- 2 Complete lines 2a-2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year
- | | Held at the End of the Year |
|--|-----------------------------|
| a Total number of conservation easements | |
| b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements | |
| c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a) | |
| d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06 | |
- 3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the taxable year ▶ _____
- 4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ _____
- 5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? Yes No
- 6 Staff or volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing easements during the year ▶ _____
- 7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing easements during the year ▶ \$ _____
- 8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? Yes No
- 9 In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8

- 1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items
- b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items
- (i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ _____
- (ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ _____
- 2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 relating to these items
- a Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ _____
- b Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ _____

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued)

- 3 Using the organization's accession and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)
- a Public exhibition
 - b Scholarly research
 - c Preservation for future generations
 - d Loan or exchange programs
 - e Other _____
- 4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIV
- 5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes No

Part IV Trust, Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21

- 1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? Yes No
- b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV and complete the following table
- | | Amount |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| c Beginning balance | 1c |
| d Additions during the year | 1d |
| e Distributions during the year | 1e |
| f Ending balance | 1f |
- 2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21? Yes No
- b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV

Part V Endowment Funds. Complete if organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance					
b Contributions					
c Investment earnings or losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

- 2 Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as
- a Board designated or quasi-endowment _____ %
 - b Permanent endowment _____ %
 - c Term endowment _____ %
- 3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by
- (i) unrelated organizations
 - (ii) related organizations
- b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? Yes No
- 4 Describe in Part XIV the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

Part VI Investments - Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10

Description of investment	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land	537,979.			537,979.
b Buildings	5,985,007.		1,403,148.	4,581,859.
c Leasehold improvements	142,369.			142,369.
d Equipment	469,491.			469,491.
e Other				
Total. Add lines 1a-1e (Column (d) should equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c))				5,731,698.

Part VII Investments - Other Securities. See Form 990, Part X, line 12

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
Financial derivatives and other financial products		
Closely-held equity interests		
Other		
Total. (Col (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12.) ▶		

Part VIII Investments - Program Related. See Form 990, Part X, line 13

(a) Description of investment type	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
Total. (Col (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13.) ▶		

Part IX Other Assets. See Form 990, Part X, line 15

(a) Description	(b) Book value
Total. (Column (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 15) ▶	

Part X Other Liabilities. See Form 990, Part X, line 25

(a) Description of liability	(b) Amount
Federal income taxes	
DEFERRED TUITION	2,334,532.
ACCRUED PAYROLL LIABILITIES	1,857.
ACCRUED INTEREST PAYABLE	880.
Total. (Column (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25) ▶	

In Part XIV, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48

SCHEDULE E
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Schools

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ **To be completed by organizations that answer "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 13, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 48.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**

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Name of the organization **FIRST MONTESSORI SCHOOL OF ATLANTA** Employer identification number **58-0940357**

	YES	NO
1 Does the organization have a racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students by statement in its charter, bylaws, other governing instrument, or in a resolution of its governing body?	X	
2 Does the organization include a statement of its racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students in all its brochures, catalogues, and other written communications with the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?	X	
3 Has the organization publicized its racially nondiscriminatory policy through newspaper or broadcast media during the period of solicitation for students, or during the registration period if it has no solicitation program, in a way that makes the policy known to all parts of the general community it serves? If "Yes," please describe. If "No," please explain. THE SCHOOL HAS PUBLICIZED ITS RACIALLY NONDISCRIMINATORY POLICY THROUGH ITS PROMOTIONAL MATERIAL AND DURING THE REGISTRATION PROCESS. IT IS PUBLISHED ON MULTIPLE PAGES OF THE WEBSITE, ADMISSION DOCUMENTS AS WELL AS ON BROADCAST MEDIA	X	
4 Does the organization maintain the following?		
a Records indicating the racial composition of the student body, faculty, and administrative staff?	X	
b Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis?	X	
c Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?	X	
d Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions? If you answered "No" to any of the above, please explain (If you need more space, attach a separate statement)	X	
5 Does the organization discriminate by race in any way with respect to		
a Students' rights or privileges?		X
b Admissions policies?		X
c Employment of faculty or administrative staff?		X
d Scholarships or other financial assistance?		X
e Educational policies?		X
f Use of facilities?		X
g Athletic programs?		X
h Other extracurricular activities? If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain (If you need more space, attach a separate statement)		X
6a Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency?		X
b Has the organization's right to such aid ever been revoked or suspended? If you answered "Yes" to either line 6a or line 6b, please explain using an attached statement		X
7 Does the organization certify that it has complied with the applicable requirements of sections 4 01 through 4 05 of Rev Proc 75-50, 1975-2 C B 587, covering racial nondiscrimination? If "No," attach an explanation	X	

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Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2008

Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000

		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other Events	(d) Total Events (Add col (a) through col (c))	
		SPRING AUCTION (event type)	(event type)	NONE (total number)		
Revenue	1	Gross receipts	38,376.		38,376.	
	2	Less Charitable contributions				
	3	Gross revenue (line 1 minus line 2)	38,376.		38,376.	
Direct Expenses	4	Cash prizes				
	5	Non-cash prizes	3,000.		3,000.	
	6	Rent/facility costs	6,131.		6,131.	
	7	Other direct expenses	10,833.		10,833.	
	8	Direct expense summary Add lines 4 through 7 in column (d)				(19,964)
	9	Net income summary Combine lines 3 and 8 in column (d)				18,412.

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (Add col (a) through col (c))
Revenue	1	Gross revenue			
Direct Expenses	2	Cash prizes			
	3	Non-cash prizes			
	4	Rent/facility costs			
	5	Other direct expenses			
	6	Volunteer labor	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No
	7	Direct expense summary Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)			()
	8	Net gaming income summary Combine lines 1 and 7 in column (d)			

	Yes	No
9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities _____		
a Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states?		
b If "No," Explain _____		
10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year?		
b If "Yes," Explain _____		
11 Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers?		
12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entry formed to administer charitable gaming?		

		Yes	No								
13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in <table style="width: 100%; margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td style="width: 10%;">a The organization's facility</td> <td style="width: 10%;">13a</td> <td style="width: 10%;"></td> <td style="width: 10%;">%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>b An outside facility</td> <td>13b</td> <td></td> <td>%</td> </tr> </table>	a The organization's facility	13a		%	b An outside facility	13b		%			
a The organization's facility	13a		%								
b An outside facility	13b		%								
14 Provide the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records Name ▶ _____ Address ▶ _____											
15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?	15a										
b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$ _____ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$ _____											
c If "Yes," enter name and address Name ▶ _____ Address ▶ _____											
16 Gaming manager information Name ▶ _____ Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ _____ Description of services provided ▶ _____ _____ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Director/officer <input type="checkbox"/> Employee <input type="checkbox"/> Independent contractor											
17 Mandatory distributions a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license?	17a										
b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$ _____											

**SCHEDULE K
(Form 990)**

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Supplemental Information on Tax-Exempt Bonds

▶ Attach to Form 990 To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 24a
Provide descriptions, explanations, and any additional information on Schedule O (Form 990)

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Part I Bond Issues (Required for 2008)

(a) Issuer name	(b) Issuer EIN	(c) CUSIP #	(d) Date issued	(e) Issue price	(f) Description of purpose	(g) Defeased		(h) On behalf of issuer	
						Yes	No	Yes	No
DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF A FULTON CO REVENUE BONDS		NONE	06/21/07	4,000,000.	SCHOOL EXPANSION		X		X
B									
C									
D									
E									

Part II Proceeds (Optional for 2008)

	A		B		C		D		E	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
1 Total proceeds of issue		4,000,000.								
2 Gross proceeds in reserve funds										
3 Proceeds in refunding or defeasance escrows										
4 Other unspent proceeds										
5 Issuance costs from proceeds		148,874.								
6 Working capital expenditures from proceeds										
7 Capital expenditures from proceeds		3,851,126.								
8 Year of substantial completion		2008								

9 Were the bonds issued as part of a current refunding issue?										
10 Were the bonds issued as part of an advance refunding issue?		X								
11 Has the final allocation of proceeds been made?	X									
12 Does the organization maintain adequate books and records to support the final allocation of proceeds?	X									

Part III Private Business Use (Optional for 2008)

	A		B		C		D		E	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
1 Was the organization a partner in a partnership, or a member of an LLC, which owned property financed by tax-exempt bonds?										
2 Are there any lease arrangements with respect to the financed property which may result in private business use?										

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990)

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Supplemental Information to Form 990

▶ Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations to provide additional information for responses to specific questions for the Form 990 or to provide any additional information.

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FORM 990, PART I, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:

TO BE INQUISITIVE, KNOWLEDGEABLE, INDEPENDENT, COMPASSIONATE AND EFFECTIVE.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 10: A DRAFT OF FORM 990 IS PROVIDED TO THE FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR COMMENTS WHICH MAKES A RECOMMENDATION TO THE BOARD FOR APPROVAL. A COPY OF THE 990 IS AVAILABLE FOR ALL BOARD MEMBERS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C: EACH BOARD MEMBER IS REQUIRED TO ACKNOWLEDGE BY SIGNATURE THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH TERM. STAFF MEMBERS ARE REQUIRED TO ANNUALLY ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT AND UNDERSTANDING OF THE EMPLOYMENT HANDBOOK WHICH INCLUDES THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15: THE HEAD OF SCHOOL AND KEY ADMINISTRATIVE POSITION SALARIES ARE COMPARED TO LOCAL SCHOOLS PRIMARILY THROUGH SURVEY RESULTS. THE HEAD OF SCHOOL CONDUCTS PERFORMANCE REVIEWS FOR STAFF MEMBERS AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES EVALUATES THE HEAD'S PERFORMANCE. THE HEAD OF SCHOOL RECOMMENDS SALARIES FOR ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS AS PART OF THE ANNUAL BUDGETING PROCESS. THE BUDGET IS THEN REVIEWED IN DETAIL BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD. THE BOARD SETS THE HEAD'S SALARY.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: GOVERNING DOCUMENTS ARE AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW BY REQUEST.

**SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
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Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

▶ Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, lines 33, 34, 35, 36, or 37.
▶ See separate instructions.

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Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities

(A) Name, address, and EIN of disregarded entity	(B) Primary activity	(C) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(D) Total income	(E) End-of-year assets	(F) Direct controlling entity
FMSA LAND LLC	FMSA LAND LLC WAS FORMED TO ACQUIRE REAL PROPERTY IN SOMERVILLE, GA. WHICH		450.	99,643.	

Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations

(A) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(B) Primary activity	(C) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(D) Exempt Code section	(E) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(F) Direct controlling entity
NA					

LHA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.

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Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership

(A) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(B) Primary activity	(C) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(D) Direct controlling entity	(E) Predominant income (related, investment, unrelated)	(F) Share of total income	(G) Share of end-of-year assets	(H) Dispropor- tion- ate allocations?		(I) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(J) General or managing partner? Yes No
							Yes	No		
NA					0.			X	N/A	X

Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust

(A) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(B) Primary activity	(C) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(D) Direct controlling entity	(E) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(F) Share of total income	(G) Share of end-of-year assets	(H) Percentage ownership
NA					0.	0.	.00%

Part V Transactions With Related Organizations

Note. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV

1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?

a Receipt of (i) interest (ii) annuities (iii) royalties (iv) rent from a controlled entity

b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to other organization(s)

c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from other organization(s)

d Loans or loan guarantees to or for other organization(s)

e Loans or loan guarantees by other organization(s)

f Sale of assets to other organization(s)

g Purchase of assets from other organization(s)

h Exchange of assets

i Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to other organization(s)

j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from other organization(s)

k Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for other organization(s)

l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by other organization(s)

m Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets

n Sharing of paid employees

o Reimbursement paid to other organization for expenses

p Reimbursement paid by other organization for expenses

q Other transfer of cash or property to other organization(s)

r Other transfer of cash or property from other organization(s)

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds

	Yes	No
1a		X
1b		X
1c		X
1d		X
1e		X
1f		X
1g		X
1h		X
1i		X
1j		X
1k		X
1l		X
1m		X
1n		X
1o		X
1p		X
1q		X
1r		X

	(A) Name of other organization(s)	(B) Transaction type (a-r)	(C) Amount involved
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

