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Dear Community,

It all began in 1988 when we were looking for a school for our son Eric. Susan was pregnant with our daughter Rebecca, who would soon become a Studio student, joining us from the beginning as we attended Parent Groups at the School. In those early days, we couldn't have known that Studio would have such a profound influence on our lives. Thirty-four years later, we have sought every opportunity to stay connected and actively engaged in the community. Susan has advised Studio with her legal and human resource expertise. Michael has volunteered as a teacher in the Middle School. Both of us have been proud parents of students, generous and heartfelt supporters of Studio's development efforts, and now, we are the grandparents of Azamra. What joy! At two-years-old, she comes home every day from Studio with new insights to share.

The gift of a Studio education is invaluable to all children and their families, building a strong foundation for their lives. We have watched how it has shaped our entire family, from the way we communicate with each other, to how our children embrace learning from every aspect of life. Studio provides children and families with the tools and values most vital to our world: to know oneself, to learn to interact and listen to others, and to develop meaningful relationships where each person is seen and heard. Anyone who has been to a Studio Players' Production or Graduation knows the awe of watching the students share their creativity and enthusiasm, and speak their truth so confidently. This can only emerge through an education that values fostering holistic human beings. We are so proud to be part of a community that has always been ahead of the times and continues to address the needs of our ever-changing world.

Annual Giving is essential to The Studio School's ability to sustain and inspire a transformative education - a gift that shapes children's lives in profound and lasting ways. It is our support that allows Studio to grow, thrive, and maintain their academic programs, train teachers, provide robust financial aid, and enrich students with invaluable experiences in and out of the classroom.

Like all independent schools, Annual Giving is critical for the day-to-day operations of The Studio School, bridging the gap between tuition and operating costs. This year, we hope Studio parents, teachers, trustees, alumni, grandparents, and friends of the school will make a tax-deductible gift, contributing as generously as they are able. No matter the size, each gift helps us reach the goal of 100% participation and demonstrates our collective investment in the success of Studio students.

Join us in our annual support of The Studio School with a financial commitment to further the important work that has been cultivated for generations and will be for generations to come. Thank you!

Warmly,

Susan W. Brecher and Michael Weintraub