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PEAK MASTERY AT HOME: An Invitation to Family Members

Dear parents and grandparents:

Your son or daughter has been offered a unique learning experience: his or her own personal account on the "Peak Mastery" online learning system. Peak Mastery guides teens to discover, first hand, how choices made today will create their future. By guiding them step by step through building a career and life plan, they discover the important relationships between education, career, money, and lifestyle.

Welcome to Peak Mastery: This program will help your daughter or son picture the future that's possible. They'll discover the importance of school, setting goals, and the consequences that come from the choices they make. Peak Mastery acts as another voice to support you and guide them, step by step, through a process of learning important life lessons.

Teens see the reality of the working world and what it actually costs to live on their own. It directs them to compare the uncertainty of their expectations with the reality of their capabilities. If your teens are going on to college, you don't want to waste years of tuition payments and their precious time. If they're going directly into the job market, you don't want them to move home in a year because they couldn't manage their finances.

How it works: With their password, teens log on to the Peak Mastery web site. The online Courses guide them through a series of interactive Learning Activities, found on the web site. They discover the working world, decide the future lifestyle they want, and build a detailed financial budget. Then, they are guided to select jobs and careers, discover if the salaries will support them, and interview someone working in their chosen field. After discovering the education they'll need to realize their dreams, they must set goals and decide steps to take today. They'll get a thorough introduction to the business world, and even write a business plan. When they're done, they have a road map to a future they've designed themselves.

At Home: Peak Mastery offers a great chance to interact, dialog, and spend time with your teenagers. You can log on from your home computer. Teachers may assign homework and ask students to log on from home. It's a great way for you to share this discovery process with them and support their learning. Log on at <http://pikespeaklearning.com>.

On into the future: Your school, community center, or youth program has provided Peak Mastery for your child, and their password is theirs to keep. After they finish their first career and life plan, your daughter or son can come back to the program anytime, to create new career plans and update their goals. It's like a scenario planner that teens can return to whenever they change their minds about their future. Their account does not expire, and there's never any additional charge.

If you want to learn more about Peak Mastery, call toll free at 866.471.4285, email us at bob@pikespeaklearning.net, or discuss the program with your child's teacher.