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Preschool Advantage Honors the Hillside Preschool

Hillside Preschool receives award for Excellence in Preschool Education

Succasunna, NJ – May 31, 2019 -- Preschool Advantage awarded its Golden Acorn award for excellence in preschool education to Hillside Preschool in Succasunna. Jessica Lines, Director of Hillside Preschool, was at Preschool Advantage's annual Preschool Director's Luncheon this spring to accept the award to the school.

The Golden Acorn Award is a result of a rigorous process of evaluation by Preschool Advantage's School Committee. This Committee, which is comprised of numerous current and former preschool directors and teachers who care deeply about early childhood education, visit the organization's partner preschools on a three-year cycle to ensure that the quality of their programs is maintained. The partner schools have to maintain excellence in five key criteria: teacher and child interaction, curriculum, family involvement, staff qualifications, professional development, and management of the school. Once the Committee determines a partner school meets the required standards of excellence, Preschool Advantage recognizes its achievement by bestowing its **Golden Acorn Award** for exemplary quality in preschool education.

"We are so privileged to be a partner school of Preschool Advantage," says Jessica Lines of Hillside Preschool. "We believe every child deserves to attend a preschool that creates a loving and caring environment and that nurtures and stimulates them spiritually, emotionally, physically and intellectually." She continues, "We're thrilled about the families that have joined us because of funding from Preschool Advantage and excited for these children to have the opportunity to get that same solid foundation that all our students get and that will help them to love school."

Preschool Advantage is a non-profit organization, which since its inception over 20 years ago, has provided families with financial assistance for high quality preschool education and has

paid some 1,500 tuitions. The organization's goal is to fund 100 tuitions each year. Additional information about the organization can be found on preschooladvantage.org, or by calling (973) 532-2501.