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Pictured: Mentor Teachers, Erica Lear, Andrea Fuller and Alicia Conrad, with students

## Daniel Island Academy Holds Successful Food Drive

DANIEL ISLAND, South Carolina (November 23, 2010) – Daniel Island Academy surpassed its goal of 1,000 items donated for its annual food drive benefiting Lowcountry Food Bank. Donations will help to feed many of the poor and hungry of the area through the distribution of healthy food and grocery products to nonprofit agencies serving the poor.

“Each year Daniel Island Academy supports a number of charitable organizations through the philanthropic efforts of our school families and staff,” stated Kerry Nowosielski, School Director. “Not only is it important for us as a school to give back to the community, but also to lead our young students in how they may participate and make a difference!”

This year’s food drive was organized by the school’s mentor teachers, Andrea Fuller, Alicia Conrad and Erica Lear. Mentor teachers serve as teacher liaisons throughout the year to help keep school programs and procedures operating at the highest level. This includes supporting their fellow teachers in maintaining NAEYC standards throughout the year as required of all classrooms.

Daniel Island Academy (DIA) is accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC) and offers full time, part time and mother’s morning out programs for children ages 12 months through 6 years, including Kindergarten. The Academy is an allergy-safe facility, and is currently completing its certification in Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED). For more information on Daniel Island Academy, please visit the school’s website at [www.danielislandacademy.com](http://www.danielislandacademy.com) or call 971.5961.

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