



Educates children, strengthens families and builds community

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Media Advisory and Photo Opportunity

Kingsley House Hosts Drive-Thru Graduation Parade for Transitioning Kindergarten Students

What: Kingsley House Drive Thru Graduation Parade

When: Thursday, July 16, 2020, 10 AM to 11 AM

Where: Kingsley House Historic Campus, 1600 Constance Street
*If raining, the parade will pass under the covered Patrick Taylor Campus
Adult Services Pavilion at 901 Richard Street (across from the Historic Campus)

Background: Students, staff and teachers will participate in a drive thru graduation parade to hand off diplomas and say goodbye to rising kindergarten students, many who have been a part of the Kingsley House community since they were toddlers.

Teachers will greet the line of cars with cheers, waves, signs and gift bags. Sixty-two students are transitioning to kindergarten; 30 families are expected to participate in the graduation parade. Traditionally, Kingsley House hosts a graduation ceremony in its Tom & Gayle Benson Community Center but coordinated the drive thru graduation instead due to the coronavirus.

Photos: Students and car pool parade.

About Kingsley House

Kingsley House's mission is to educate children, strengthen families and build community. At Kingsley House, we envision a city and region where all young children are ready to succeed and all citizens are healthy and economically stable. Recognizing that vulnerable families are at risk of being caught in an intractable cycle of poverty, we are committed to ensuring that individuals and families have the supports necessary to be successful at all stages of life. To accomplish our goals, we join forces with dedicated community partners. Collectively, we work with families to fuel economic growth and social change in our city, state and region. Kingsley House is a proud United Way Community Impact Partner. For more information about Kingsley House visit www.kingsleyhouse.org.

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