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CHARTER SCHOOL STUDENT ENTREPRENEURS TO HOST DOWNTOWN HOLIDAY MARKET

Pittsburgh (December 2, 2011) – Students from the Manchester Academic Charter School’s I-OWN entrepreneurship program will host a Downtown Holiday Market on Wednesday, December 7th, 2011 on the first floor of One Oxford Centre from 11AM – 2PM. The popular event will feature a variety of products designed and marketed by I-OWN student businesses.

I-OWN is a unique educational program of the Manchester Academic Charter School that teaches middle school students the basics of small business development and operations. It offers hands-on assistance for student entrepreneurs starting their own businesses. The program is now in its second year of operations, with Saturday and summer courses for participants.

About the Manchester Academic Charter School

The Manchester Academic Charter School (MACS) is a nationally recognized, Blue Ribbon school serving grades kindergarten to eight at a community-centered facility on Pittsburgh’s Northside. As one of the region’s oldest independent charter schools, we are committed to providing children of all backgrounds with a superior education in preparation for success in high school, college and beyond. For more information visit www.macsk8.org.

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