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Dear Joyce,

On behalf of the Oakwood City School District and my colleagues at Smith and Harman Elementary schools, I would like to thank you, Children's Historical Publishing and your donors for supplying our schools with Learning Activity Books to enhance our social studies curriculum. As teachers, it is often difficult to find new and exciting ways to get our students interested in history in age-appropriate ways. The Learning Activity Books you supplied to our third grade classrooms certainly help us meet this objective. They books supplement our curriculum perfectly and are a highly engaging way for students to learn more about the culture and history of the Dayton area.

The Learning Activity Books help us meet the goals of the Ohio Academic Content Standards for third grade. The Charles Kettering book, both volumes of Dayton Inventors & Inventions books, the Adventures in Flight book and Dayton People, Places and Things book all help us directly address the benchmark goals set forth in the Content Standards of teaching local history to our students. In addition, the Paul Lawrence Dunbar and Train without Tracks books help us more effectively teach the cultural and historical benchmark goals in the Standards.

We sincerely appreciate your generosity and dedication, not only to our schools, but to all the schools in the Dayton area which you support. You have helped make history more real, accessible and important to thousands of students in the Miami Valley. We are very fortunate to have Children's Historical Publishing as a partner in the education of our students in Oakwood. Their educational experience and our teaching have been enriched because of your efforts and the resources you have provided.

Sincerely,



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