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Polly-Glot Tots Combines Language and Movement for an Enriched Learning Experience

November 17, 2010 (Seattle, WA): Polly-Glot Tots now integrates the BrainDance into their already innovative curriculum. Adapted for all ages, fitness levels and settings, BrainDance layers foreign languages with fundamental movement patterns, offering students a double dose of creative, multi-sensory interactions. "It's wonderful to offer families this unique introduction to language learning. Connecting BrainDance with foreign language immersion for young students makes sense," says Anne Green Gilbert, Artistic Director at the Creative Dance Center.

Movement specialist, linguist, and instructor Ines Andrade, is the latest addition to the Polly-Glot Tots team. Fluent in English, French and Spanish, she is a true polyglot who has helped bring the BrainDance into the language program. "The opportunity to bring foreign language to young children through conscience physical movement patterns - to help them reach their fullest potential - is such a powerful gift."

Over the past three years, many children have benefited from Polly-Glot Tots' language classes. "My daughter had a lot of fun and said she'd love to go back," said mom Marian after their first week in the Mandarin program.

Winter quarter classes are being offered throughout the Seattle area and in Kirkland. To learn more about what classes are offered and to enroll, please visit www.pollyglottots.com. Online registration is available for the French, Spanish and Mandarin classes starting in January.

Polly-Glot Tots was founded in 2007 by Tanya Knudsen, a mom with a dream of bringing the wonder of her multi-lingual upbringing to other children. Its mission is to offer engaging and affordable language immersion classes for children and to foster a community of families interested in bringing foreign language and culture into their homes.

The Creative Dance Center is a non-profit organization that has been providing brain-compatible dance education to the Seattle community for over 25 years.

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Polly-Glot Tots provides foreign language immersion classes for Seattle-area children. For more information on Polly-Glot Tots: www.pollyglottots.com
The BrainDance is a mind-body movement tool developed by Anne Gilbert of the Creative Dance Center For more information on the Creative Dance Center: www.creativedance.org