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Dear Friend of Bank Street:

The Bank Street Annual Auction is a vital event for the School for Children and Family Center. The Auction generates financial aid for children and families who might not otherwise be able to attend an independent school of Bank Street's caliber. Auction proceeds also help train and support high-quality teachers who will some day work in public and independent schools throughout the nation. This year's Auction will take place at the **Tribeca Rooftop on May 5, 2008.**

Bank Street is a proven leader in education:

- Bank Street gives children opportunities to engage fully in their own learning.
- Bank Street is a model for exemplary curriculum and teaching, visited by educators worldwide.
- Bank Street School for Children and Family Center help train teachers for NYC public schools.
- 30% of Bank Street's students in the School and Family Center receive financial aid.
- Bank Street has one of the most socio-economically diverse student bodies of any independent school or childcare center in New York.
- Bank Street Family Center is a nationally recognized model for inclusion of young children with special needs in its classrooms.

To continue providing such educational leadership, **we need your help.** Businesses throughout the New York metropolitan area are helping by donating an auction item, becoming a sponsor, or by taking an ad in our auction journal. As a sponsor, your company name will appear in the Auction journal and select promotional materials. Auction information is sent by mail and e-mail to nearly 5,000 people, most in the New York metropolitan area, and promoted on our website. All donations are tax-deductible.

Enclosed is a Donation Form. Please return with your donation by April 7, 2008 to the address on the form, or fax it to 212-961-3345. If you would like more information, please contact Carla Scheele, Director, Development & Alumni Relations for Children's Programs, at 212-961-3329. On behalf of the Bank Street Auction Benefit Committee, thank you on advance for your support.

Sincerely,

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