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Award-winning Author Visits Heritage Oak School

Christina Das, award-winning author of five picture books, visited 4th – 8th grade students at Heritage Oak Private Education. Mrs. Das spoke to the students about the path that led her to become an author, and gave them wonderful tips for their own writing, especially for dealing with writer's block. Also an illustrator, Ms. Das shared how art inspires her work, and some of the techniques she uses to illustrate her own books, including colored pencils, pastels, ink and watercolor. Students were inspired by her visit, and eager to share their own writing with her.

About Heritage Oak

Heritage Oak is a traditional school appealing to parents who are seeking a proven curriculum and a safe, nurturing environment. Community awareness, academic achievement, and family values are part of its program that focuses on the development of the whole child.

The U.S. Department of Education bestowed its highest honor upon Heritage Oak when it awarded the school the 1998-1999 "Blue Ribbon" award. The "Blue Ribbon", our Nations most prestigious education award, distinguishes Heritage Oak for its excellence in leadership, teaching, curriculum, student achievement, parent involvement, and community support.