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MCPS Special Education Parent Summit Saturday, May 16, 2015 Schedule

8:30–9:00 Registration

9:00–9:20 Performance by ArtStream, Inc.

Adrian Forsythe

Opening Remarks

Dr. Maria V. Navarro

Chief Academic Officer

Montgomery County Public Schools

Mrs. Chrisandra A. Richardson

Associate Superintendent, Office of Special Education and Student Services, MCPS

Dr. Gwendolyn J. Mason,

Director, Department of Special Education Services, MCPS

MCPS Special Education Advisory Committee

Co-chair

BOE member

Member, Board of Education

9:20–10:20 Keynote Speaker

Dr. Priscilla Gilman

Author of The Anti-Romantic Child: A Memoir of

Unexpected Joy

Keynote: Discovering Unexpected Joy: Moving Beyond Labels

and Diagnosis to Life Reimagined

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[10:20 Resource Fair Opens]

10:20–10:35	Transition
10:35–11:35	Breakout Session 1 (50 minutes for speakers)
11:35–12:45	Lunch and Resource Fair

[12:45 Resource Fair Closes]

12:45–1:45	Breakout Session 2 (50 minutes for speakers)
1:45–2:00	Transition
2:00-3:00	Breakout Session 3 (50 minutes for speakers)