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Fontana Unified Elementary School to Host Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony for Campus Garden on Earth Day

WHAT: In celebration of Earth Day, Cypress Elementary School will host a ribbon-cutting ceremony to unveil its newly revitalized campus garden. The restoration was a community effort between Fontana Unified School District families and staff, SoCalGas, Kellogg, and Lowe's, each of whom donated time and resources to transform the space into an outdoor learning area. The garden will provide students with opportunities to explore sustainability, learn about the stages of food production, and develop an understanding of where their food comes from.

WHEN: **Wednesday, April 22**
9 – 9:30 a.m.

WHERE: **Cypress Elementary School**
9751 Cypress Ave, Fontana

DETAILS: Established in 2016 through the Inland Empire Utilities Agency Water-Wise "Garden in Every School" program, the campus garden has been restored to support year-round student use. The updated space spans approximately 150 feet and features raised planting beds, fruit trees, and a variety of seasonal crops, with plans for each grade level to help maintain its own section.

District officials and representatives from partner organizations have been invited to the event. School officials and students will be available for interviews upon request.

Coverage and/or inclusion of this event in your calendar of events is welcome and greatly appreciated.

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OUR MISSION: The mission of the Fontana Unified School District is to graduate all students prepared to succeed in a changing world. Fontana Unified School District celebrates learning through the development of the whole child. Our commitment to excellence provides quality education, in depth, for all students.