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**ALL METALS INDUSTRIES SPONSORS SCHOOL INVESTMENT PROGRAM FOR SHAKER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

CONCORD, NH – The McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center is pleased to announce that All Metals Industries is again sponsoring the Shaker Regional School District (SAU 80) through the School Investment Program.

The generous sponsorship from All Metals Industries provides students in Belmont Elementary School, Belmont Middle School, Belmont High School and Canterbury Elementary School with free admission and transportation for field trips to the Discovery Center during the upcoming 2009-2010 school year.

“We are pleased to be a sponsor for the School Investment Program for students in Belmont and Canterbury. There is a tremendous need for more education in math and science. The Discovery Center provides interactive, hands-on educational experiences that allow students to understand the importance of what they are learning in school and why it's relevant,” said Heidi Paiva, Vice President of Executive Services.

Corporate sponsors are essential to the School Investment Program at the Discovery Center, bringing science and innovation to school districts across New Hampshire. Each year, thousands of elementary, middle and high school students participate in the Discovery Center's interactive programs by engaging in exciting and inspirational ways of learning.

For more information on the School Investment Program, contact Kathleen Regan, Director of Development, at (603) 271-7827 X118.

The new McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center is a lively science center, featuring 21st century interactive exhibits on aviation, astronomy, Earth and space sciences, a state-of-the-art planetarium, and a variety of science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) programs. For more information, visit [www.starhop.com](http://www.starhop.com).

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