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**HARCOURT ASSESSMENT ANNOUNCES 2004 SUMMER
FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM FOR TEACHERS**

SAN ANTONIO – Leading test publisher Harcourt Assessment, Inc., today announced that 14 public school teachers – 13 of them from local school districts – will spend four weeks this summer as Wayne H. Martin fellows at the company’s San Antonio headquarters.

This paid fellowship program is an educational opportunity for teachers who are interested in gaining a new perspective on classroom testing. Martin fellows will assist on a number of projects in the areas of reading, writing, mathematics, science and social studies, and they will be involved in several phases of the test development process.

Teachers who complete the fellowship are eligible for continuing education credit through the University of Texas-San Antonio.

“The Wayne H. Martin fellowship program is a wonderful opportunity for Harcourt Assessment to work in partnership with teachers,” said John Tanner, vice president of testing services. “The Martin fellows will develop a greater knowledge and understanding of quality assessments while providing Harcourt employees insight into what’s happening in today’s classrooms.”

Harcourt established the fellowship program in 2000 and named it last year in memory of Wayne H. Martin, a distinguished educator and a driving force in standards-based assessment.

This year’s Wayne H. Martin fellows are:

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Fellow	School	School District
Patricia Annunzio	Schertz Elementary	Schertz-Cibolo-U.C. ISD
Irene Bugajski	South Lyon High School (Michigan)	South Lyon School District
Amanda Cameron	Norma Paschal Elementary	Schertz-Cibolo-U.C. ISD
Teresa Fernandez	Laura Ingalls Wilder Intermediate	Schertz-Cibolo-U.C. ISD
Beatriz Gloria	Whittier Middle School	San Antonio ISD
Jennifer Hall	Brentwood Middle School	Edgewood ISD
Cathy Hottle	Laura Ingalls Wilder Intermediate	Schertz-Cibolo-U.C. ISD
Melisa Jobson	Whittier Middle School	San Antonio ISD
Karen Lopez	Clark High School	Northside ISD
Lisa Marohnic	Hardy Oak Elementary	Northeast ISD
Rebecca Pinkerton	M.H. Specht Elementary	Comal ISD
Tim Reid	Whittier Middle School	San Antonio ISD
Linda Rios	Sun Valley Elementary	Southwest ISD
Karen Sheppard	Hidden Forest Elementary	Northeast ISD

Based in San Antonio, Harcourt Assessment, Inc., is a leading provider of high-quality assessment instruments and testing programs. Its educational products include the Stanford Achievement Test series and the Otis-Lennon School Ability Test[®]. Under the PsychCorp[™] brand, it also publishes a wide variety of clinical products, such as the Wechsler[®] family of tests, including the Wechsler Intelligence Scale for Children[®] (WISC-IV[®]), as well as the CELF[®] family of speech and language tests.

Through the development of custom statewide educational testing programs, Harcourt is helping more than 20 states meet the accountability requirements of the federal No Child Left Behind Act.

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