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**Neuhaus Launches Innovative Pilot Program Empowering Young Adults
with Dyslexia Through Literacy**

[Bellaire, TX, February 16, 2024] – Neuhaus Education Center (NEC), a leading non-profit organization that specializes in literacy education, proudly announced the launch of a groundbreaking pilot program catering to young adults aged 16-24 with dyslexia and related reading difficulties. Made possible by the generous support of the William Stamps Farish Fund and other benefactors, this initiative marks a significant step forward in addressing the diverse needs of learners seeking to overcome literacy challenges.

Dr. Tracy White-Weeden, President & CEO of Neuhaus, underscores the profound impact of this endeavor, stating, "Every one of our Adult Literacy students has a unique story about how systems failed to meet their need to be literate for life. When they enter our doors, they become part of a family that will not let them fail to become skilled readers. It is about the stage, not the age. At Neuhaus, we believe it is never too late to make your dreams come true through literacy that liberates."

The program, launched in Fall 2023, offers a comprehensive, year-long curriculum delivered in person to provide tailored support to young adults grappling with dyslexia and related challenges. By employing a Structured Literacy approach, participants are equipped with the tools and strategies necessary to unlock their literacy potential and thrive in both academic and personal pursuits.

Despite diverse educational backgrounds, ranging from high school students to those engaged in the workforce or higher education, students enrolled in the program share a common journey toward literacy empowerment. Through dedicated instruction and a supportive learning environment, they have quickly forged bonds of camaraderie and encouragement, extending their growth beyond the confines of the classroom.

The pilot program represents a significant investment in the future of these young adults, fostering not only academic success but also bolstering their confidence and self-esteem. As Neuhaus continues to champion literacy initiatives, it remains steadfast in its commitment to breaking barriers and empowering individuals of all ages to realize their full potential through the transformative power of literacy.

For more information about Neuhaus Education Center and its programs, please visit www.neuhaus.org.

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Neuhaus Education Center is a non-profit educational organization dedicated to promoting reading success for all. Neuhaus provides evidence-based training and support to teachers, supplies information and resources to families, and offers direct literacy services to adult learners. Visit www.neuhaus.org to learn more.