

NO60000 11483

(Requestor's Name)

(Address)

(Address)

(City/State/Zip/Phone #)

☐ PICK-UP

☐ WAIT

☐ MAIL

(Business Entity Name)

(Document Number)

Certified Copies _____ Certificates of Status _____

Special Instructions to Filing Officer:

Office Use Only



900080859629

10/23/06--01026--026 **78.75

FILED
06 NOV -6 PM 5:13
SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

D. WHITE NOV -3 2006

COVER LETTER

Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Wakeland Elementary School of International Studies Parent Teacher Organization, Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for:

☐ \$70.00
Filing Fee

☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee &
Certificate of
Status

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy	<input type="checkbox"/> \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate
ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED	

FROM: Angelita Anderson Stephens, Esq.

Name (Printed or typed)

4526 Egmont Drive

Address

Bradenton, FL 34203

City, State & Zip

(941)356-3069

Daytime Telephone number

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

October 24, 2006

ANGELITA ANDERSON STEPHENS, ESQ.
4526 EGMONT DRIVE
BRADENTON, FL 34203

SUBJECT: WAKELAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL
STUDIES PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION, INC.
Ref. Number: W06000046586

We have received your document for WAKELAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL STUDIES PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Unable to contact you by telephone.

The person designated as incorporator in the document and the person signing as incorporator must be the same.

An effective date may be added to the Articles of Incorporation if a 2007 date is needed, otherwise the date of receipt will be the file date. A separate article must be added to the Articles of Incorporation for the effective date.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6933.

Dale White
Document Specialist
New Filing Section

Letter Number: 306A00063148

Articles of Incorporation for
Wakeland Elementary School of International Studies
Parent Teacher Organization, Inc.

A Not-For-Profit Organization

FILED
06 NOV -6 PM 5: 13
SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

ARTICLE I: NAME

1.1 The name of the corporation is:

Wakeland Elementary School of International Studies Parent Teacher Organization, Inc.

ARTICLE II: ADDRESSES

2.1 The principal place of business address:

1812 27th Street East

Bradenton, FL 34208

2.2 The mailing address of the corporation is:

1812 27th Street East

Bradenton, FL 34208

ARTICLE III: NON-STOCK CORPORATION

3.1 The Corporation shall be organized on a non-stock basis under the Florida Not-for-Profit Corporation Act, Chapter 617, Florida Statutes. As such, the corporation has no authority to issue capital stock.

ARTICLE IV: PURPOSE

4.1 The purpose for which the Corporation is organized is for transacting any and all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the Florida Not-for-Profit Corporation Act and to distribute the whole or any part of the income therefrom and the principal thereof exclusively for charitable, scientific, literary and educational purposes, either directly or by contributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and Regulations issued pursuant thereto, as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended, or the corresponding article of any future federal tax code. Solely for the above purposes, the Corporation is empowered to exercise all rights and powers conferred by the Florida Not-for-Profit Corporation Act, including, without limitation, to:

- a. Support and enhance the education of students at Wakeland Elementary School of International Studies by fostering relationships among the school, parents, community and teachers

- b. Assist the school in accomplishing the goals and standards required by the International Baccalaureate Organization: international education, encouraging students to be active learners, well-rounded individuals and engaged world citizens.

Section 4.2 The Corporation shall have the power, either directly or indirectly, either alone or in conjunction or cooperation with others, to do any and all lawful acts and things to engage in any and all lawful activities which may be necessary, useful, suitable, desirable or proper for the furtherance, accomplishment, fostering or attainment of any or all of the purposes for which a Corporation is organized, and to aid or assist other organizations whose activities are such as to further accomplish, foster, attain any such purposes. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Corporation shall exercise only such powers as are in furtherance of the exempt purposes of organizations set forth in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and Regulations thereunder as the same now exist or as they may be hereinafter be amended, or the corresponding article of any future federal tax code or regulations.

Section 4.3 No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its directors, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of one or more of the Corporation's exempt purposes in accordance with Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and Regulations thereunder as the same now exist or as they may be hereinafter be amended, or the corresponding article of any future federal tax code or regulations.

- a. No proceeds of this corporation will enrich any individual, except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services to the corporation.
- b. If the corporation is dissolved, any assets remaining will be distributed to another corporation serving a similar purpose and qualifying as a tax-exempt, charitable organization under the provisions of 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located.
- c. The Corporation shall distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to tax on undistributed income imposed by Section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- d. The Corporation shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- e. The Corporation shall not retain any excess business holding as defined in Section 4943(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- f. The Corporation shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject it to tax under Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- g. The Corporation shall not make any taxable expenditures as defined in Section 4945(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986

- h. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a

Corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding provision of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a Corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding Section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE V: EXECUTIVE BOARD

Section 5.1 The affairs of the Corporation shall be governed by an Executive Board of Directors (hereinafter, referred to as the "Board"). The Directors shall be elected as Directors/Officers pursuant to the by-laws of the Corporation.

Section 5.2 The Board shall consist of no less than four (4) Directors. This number may be increased or decreased pursuant to the by-laws of the Corporation.

Section 5.3 The Board shall conduct the affairs of the Corporation subject to the restriction any restrictions set out in the by-laws. The affirmative vote of two (2) Directors shall be necessary for all corporate action requiring a vote of the Board, including, but not limited to the approval of charitable gifts, transfers, distributions and grants by the Corporation to other entities.

Section 5.4 The initial Executive Board of Directors shall consist of the following members:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TITLE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Maureen Fitzgerald Marhold	President	3024 Wilderness Blvd. East Parrish, FL 34219
Angelita Stephens	Vice-President	4526 Egmont Drive Bradenton, FL 34203
Diane Ragsdale	Treasurer	7506 52nd Terrace East Bradenton, FL 34203
Angela Graham	Secretary	6188 46th Street East Bradenton, FL 34203

ARTICLE VI: REGISTERED AGENT

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:
Angelita Stephens
4526 Egmont Drive
Bradenton, FL 34203

ARTICLE VII: INCORPORATOR

The name and Florida street address of the incorporator is:
Maureen Fitzgerald Marhold
3024 Wilderness Blvd. East
Parrish, FL 34219

ARTICLE VIII. AMENDMENTS

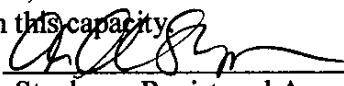
These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner and with the vote provided by the laws of the State of Florida and as proscribed in the Corporation's By-laws.

ARTICLE IX. BY-LAWS

The Executive Board of this Corporation shall adopt By-laws for the governance of the Corporation which shall be subordinate only to the Articles of Incorporation and the laws of the United States and the State of Florida. The By-laws may be amended from time to time by the Executive Board.

CERTIFICATION OF REGISTERED AGENT:

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Signed: 
Angelita Stephens, Registered Agent
Date: September 22, 2006

CERTIFICATION OF INCORPORATOR/PRESIDENT:

The foregoing Articles of Incorporation were approved on the 28 day of September 2006, by unanimous vote of the executive board and shall be effective on the date designated by the Secretary of State Division of Corporations.

Signed: 
President: Maureen Fitzgerald-Marhold

FILED
06 NOV -6 PM 5:13
SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA