

From the desk of Maribel Zubieta-Diaz...

In the beginning of 1961 I was 15. I had just arrived from Havana and was adapting to a new school, a new home, a new country. Life had changed drastically.

One morning, I noticed my mother getting dressed.

“Where are you going?” I asked.

My mother explained she was going to go get a piano.

Now life had not changed so much that I knew pianos cost money, and we didn't have any. So, I questioned my mother about how she would do this. She replied that she was going to the House of Pianos, a store owned by Max Trensky. She had heard that Mr. Trensky was an honest, good man. In return for a piano, she would refer every piano student to his store to buy a piano from him.

“There's no way he's going to do that. You do not have any students. He doesn't know you. He doesn't know he can trust you.”

My mom replied, “I trust that the students will come, and I trust in the goodness of people.”

Two days later there was a piano in the house.

Trust is the major cause of success in every walk of life. And trust has been the driving force in the CEA family

Our children feel the pride and the security of knowing their parents trust and believe in the CEA philosophy. They see their parents show their trust by encouraging, supporting, and celebrating the accomplishments and the growth of their school.

Here at Conchita we trust the uniqueness and potential of even the tiniest child. We trust in the ability of our teachers to educate and guide our children with wisdom. We trust in the ability of our middle schoolers in the search for their identities. We trust in the support of our families, of our parents. We trust in the creativity, curiosity, and wisdom in every human. We trust, rejoice, and celebrate the results of hard work, dedication, and passion. We trust in the ability of all of our students to continue the string of success of the past 75 years.

We trust that with your continued support, loyalty, and enthusiasm, our goals will be reached and surpassed.

May God bless you and your families,

