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*Our mission is to encourage
and support Aboriginal people in
building and reinforcing sustainable
healing processes that address the
legacy of physical and sexual abuse
in the residential schools, including
intergenerational impacts.*

*Notre mission est d'encourager
et d'appuyer les autochtones afin de
bâtir et de renforcer les processus
de guérison souhaitables qui
s'attaquent aux séquelles
des abus physiques et sexuels
dans le système de pensionnats,
y compris aux séquelles
intergénérationnelles.*

MEDIA ADVISORY

The Aboriginal Healing Foundation, Legacy of Hope Foundation, Library and Archives Canada and Donna Cona launch the www.wherethechildren.ca and www.lesenfantsdevenus.ca website.

(OTTAWA, Ontario – March 17, 2005) The website *Where are the Children?* will be launched live on March 30, 2005 at 10:00 a.m., at Library and Archives Canada, 395 Wellington Street, Ottawa, Ontario. Funding for the website was received from Canadian Heritage, Canadian Culture On-line Partnerships Fund.

Co-produced by the Aboriginal Healing Foundation, Legacy of Hope Foundation, Library and Archives Canada and Donna Cona, the website is a step towards creating awareness of the affects of the residential school system on First Nations, Métis and Inuit children who attended the schools from 1831 to 1996.

We encourage all Canadians to join us online at www.wherethechildren.ca at 10:00 a.m. EST, March 30, 2005.

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