



**Lakeshore Public Schools** is offering a **Young Fives** play-based program designed for younger students and/or students needing more time to develop academically, socially, and emotionally prior to experiencing a traditional kindergarten program. The program will provide a pre-kindergarten curriculum through the use of thematic units, Zoo-Phonics, handwriting, Building Blocks math, and other creative literacy activities. Students spend time every day in circle time, reading, writing, math, arts and crafts, and dramatic play as well as participate in music, gym, and art time each week.

#### Age Eligibility:

Five years old between June 1 and December 1, 2017, and independent bathroom users (preference given to those born between 9/1—12/1).

#### Site:

One of the elementary schools in Lakeshore Public Schools

#### Session/Schedule:

The Young Fives program is a **full day every day free program to those students who reside within the Lakeshore school district attendance boundaries**. The calendar will follow the Lakeshore Public Schools' district elementary calendar. Transportation is provided.



#### What happens after my child completes the Young Fives program?

Students who participate in the Young Fives **will attend their home elementary school for Kindergarten**.



**To Register:** Registration for the 2017-18 school year will take place on **Monday, February 6, 2017, from 9am-6pm** at Lakeshore Public Schools Central Office 5771 Cleveland Stevensville, MI 49127. After this date, registrations will continue until classes are full. See our website under Enrollment for registration materials. Non-residents will have the opportunity to register during the spring School of Choice window **ONLY** if space is available. If you are interested in being placed on a list as a non-resident, please email Julie Hoge at [jhoge@lpslancer.net](mailto:jhoge@lpslancer.net).