

NEWS YOU CAN USE

Week of
May 29, 2023

North Kent Head Start
(616) 696-3990

As of June 8, 2023



FEE May 18, 2023

Check out the pictures from
this event on Page 2!

Calendar of Events

Family Engagement Event:
YEAR END CELEBRATION

Tuesday, June 6th
2 – 3 PM

NO SCHOOL, MONDAY MAY
29TH



If we have been able to help your student out with clothing due to accidents this year, please return the washed clothing by June 5th. That way we'll have clothes for the kids next year.

COUNTDOWN TO SUMMER AS OF 5/30/23

7 MORE SCHOOL DAYS

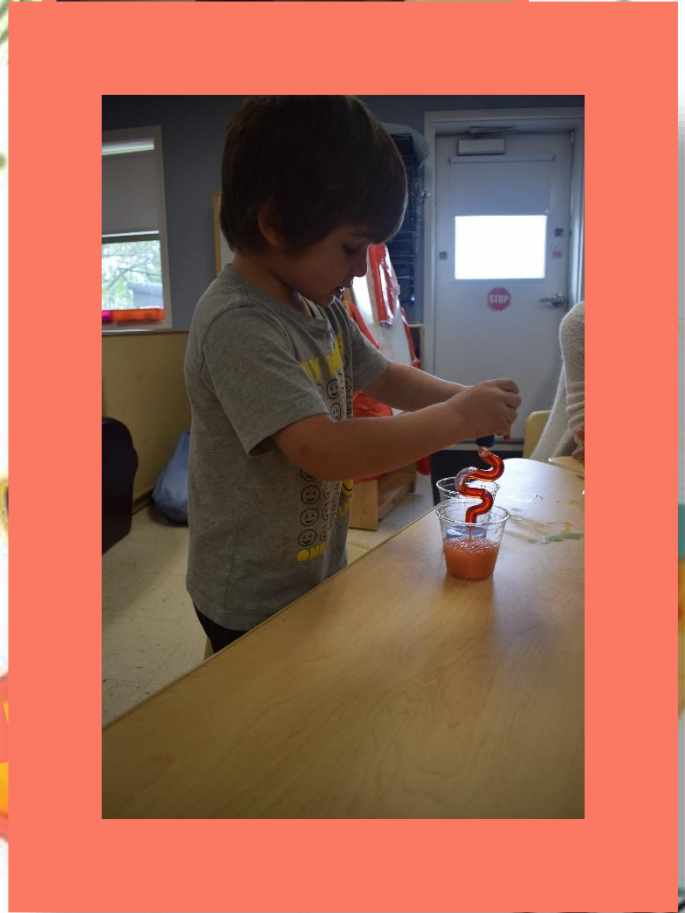
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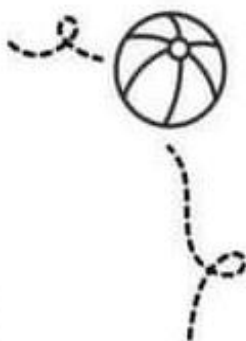
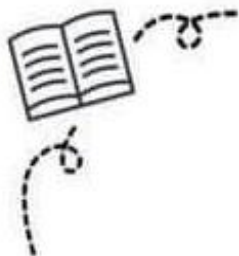
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 Head Start
for Kent County

 Great Start
Readiness Program
Michigan's Nationally Recognized Pre-K Program

“Fun With Science” Family
Engagement Event
May 18, 2023



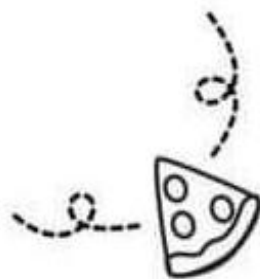


Hey Parents!

Help beat the summer slide and enroll your children in Camp BOOK IT! Students earn one Personal Pan Pizza® a month for June through August for meeting reading goals. This program is totally free to families with students in PreK - 6th grade (ages 4 -12).

**Enroll now at bookitprogram.com
to join in on the fun!**

SCAN THE QR
CODE TO ENROLL



Prescription Medication Assistance

If you are without health insurance or prescription medication coverage, there are several free or low-cost options in Michigan to help you.

Michigan's Prescription Drug Discount Card: The MiRx Card is a prescription drug discount program for Michigan residents who do not have any prescription drug coverage.

For information, go to: www.mihealth.org/mirx or call 1-800-259-8016

RxAssist Patient Assistance Program Center: RxAssist has information on free or low-cost medication.

For information, go to: www.rxassist.org

NeedyMeds.org: The NeedyMeds Drug Discount Card is a free prescription savings card available to people without insurance and to those who decide not to use their insurance.




For information, go to: www.needymeds.org

HS4KC 2023 SUMMER ENGAGEMENT EVENTS

HS4KC will be hosting fun family events for 6 weeks during the summer.

There will be giveaways at each event!
We can't wait to see you there!



| DATE | LOCATION | EVENT DETAILS |
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| WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14 3-4 PM | PLAINFIELD HEAD START 1710 Woodworth St NE Grand Rapids , MI 49525 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities with HS4KC staff • Explore Plainfield's playground |
| THURSDAY, JUNE 15 3-4PM | KENTWOOD DISTRICT LIBRARY Kentwood Branch 4950 Breton Rd SE, Kentwood, MI 49508 |  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Storytime with a KDL librarian • Info on resources KDL offers |
| WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21 3-4 PM | NORTH KENT HEAD START 14951 White Creek Ave NE Cedar Springs, MI 49319 |  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nutrition & Garden info • Plant your own seeds • Explore North Kent's playground |
| THURSDAY, JUNE 22 3-4 PM | Veteran's Park 355 48th St. SE, Kentwood, MI 49508 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities with HS4KC staff • Explore park playground |
| TUESDAY, JUNE 27 10-11 AM |  Richmond Park 1101 Richmond NW, Grand Rapids, MI 49504 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities with HS4KC staff • Explore park playground |
| THURSDAY, JUNE 29 2:45 - 3:45 PM | Roger's Lane Head Start 2929 Rogers Lane SW Wyoming , MI 49509 |  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fire Truck • Explore Roger's Lane's playground |

| DATE | LOCATION | EVENT DETAILS |
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|  NO EVENTS WEEK OF JULY 4 | | |
| TUESDAY, JULY 11 3-4 PM | SYLVAN HEAD START 1875 Rosewood Ave SE Grand Rapids, MI 49506 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities with HS4KC staff • Explore Sylvan's playground |
| THURSDAY, JULY 13 10-11 AM |  FREDERIK MEIJER GARDENS 1000 E Beltline Ave NE, Grand Rapids, MI, 49525 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore the Meijer Gardens child play area and complete a scavenger hunt! - Free admission! |
| WEDNESDAY, JULY 19 2:45-3:45 PM | SPRINGHILL HEAD START 2626 Walker Ave NW Walker, MI 49544 |  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities with HS4KC staff • Explore Springhill's playground |
| THURSDAY, JULY 20 10-11 AM | GARFIELD PARK 2111 Madison Ave SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49607 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Play at the splash pad!  |
| THURSDAY, JULY 27 TIME TBD | TBD - use QR code listed below for details | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ready for school transition event • Lots of giveaways! |



IMPORTANT INFORMATION:



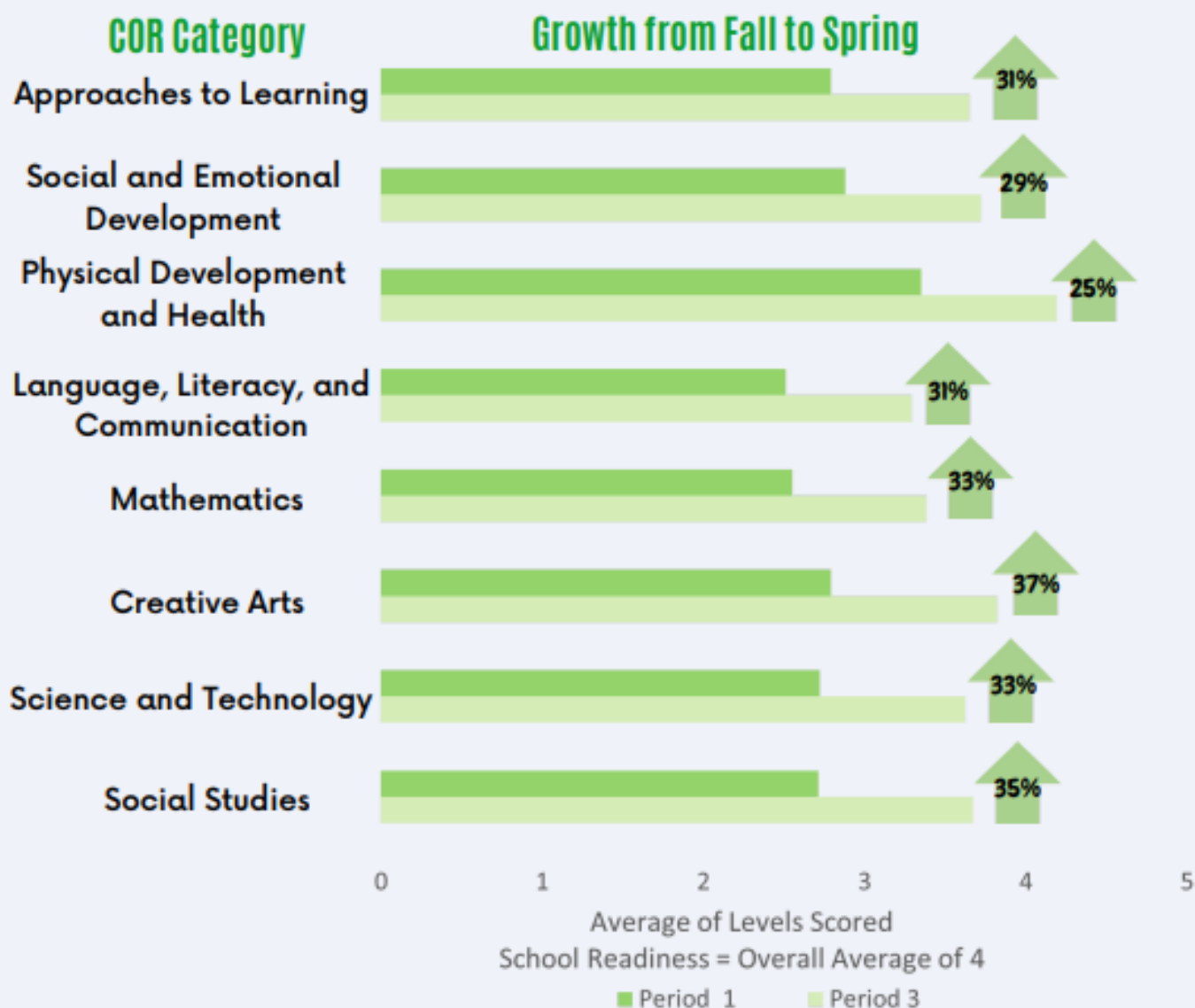
*Event details are subject to change.

Use this QR code to check our website events calendar for the most updated information on our summer events!

We can't wait to see you this summer!

SPRING 2022-23 CHILD OUTCOMES

Below shows the growth from fall to spring for our children ages 0-5!



STRENGTHS

1. Fine-motor skills

(Physical Development and Health)

2. Building relationships with other children

(Social and Emotional Development)

AREAS OF OPPORTUNITY

1. Phonological awareness

(Language, Literacy, and Communication)

2. Patterns

(Mathematics)