

Our Locations

Marquette County

Ishpeming: Greenwood Head Start Center, Phelps Square Early Childhood Center, and Aspen Ridge School

Marquette: Brookton Early Childhood Education Center and the Dolores Wright Early Childhood Center

Harvey: Silver Creek Head Start

Gwinn: Gwinn Area Early Childhood Education Center located in KI Sawyer and KI Sawyer Elementary School.

Alger County

Munising: Munising Head Start located in Alger Parks & Rec

Eben Junction: Superior Central Schools

The mission of CAAM Early Childhood programs is to educate and empower low-income families with young children by providing enrichment opportunities, parent support, and high quality early childhood programs in a safe, respectful and compassionate environment.



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Early Head Start Program

- The Early Head Start Program provides free, high quality home visiting services for qualified pregnant women and families with children who are 0-3 years old.
- Home visitors provide family centered services that facilitate child development, health, nutrition, preschool readiness, social/emotional health, and support parental roles and self sufficiency.
- Socialization with children and families are provided biweekly at several locations.
- High quality, two-year-old classroom in Marquette, free for qualified families. The program provides a developmentally appropriate curriculum, active learning, snacks/meals, and also includes family & health services.
- If you are interested in Early Head Start, please contact the EHS Manager at 906-228-6522 ext. 253.



Head Start Program

- The Head Start Program provides free high quality preschool education for qualified children 3-5 years old, along with Family and Health Services.
- Critical components of the classroom include comprehensive developmental screenings & assessments, developmentally appropriate curriculum, nutritional snacks/meals and kindergarten transition activities.
- Family Services identify family strengths, provide ongoing support towards achieving individual family goals, as well as parenting support.
- Head Start fosters family/parent involvement through parent education, classroom volunteering, parent policy council, as well as home visiting. All of these help parents to nurture and assist their child's development.
- If you are interested in Head Start, please contact our Enrollment Coordinator at 906-228-6522.



Great Start Readiness Program

- The Great Start Readiness Program provides high quality preschool education which is free for qualified children 4-5 years old.
- Child must be at least 4 years old by September 1st of the year they apply.
- Services that are provided are: parent involvement, comprehensive developmental screenings & assessments, nutritional snacks, developmentally appropriate curriculum, kindergarten readiness and transition activities.
- If you are interested in the Great Start Readiness Program, please contact our Enrollment Coordinator at 906-228-6522.

