



Does your child age 2-5 have a birthday this month? If so, it's time for a FREE developmental check-up and Birthday Celebration!

Why do a developmental check-up/screening? Children may grow and learn at different speeds. A screening helps you to know if your child is reaching milestones in playing, learning, speaking, behaving, and moving (crawling, walking, etc.) at the typical ages. If your child is not developing properly, there are things you can do that may help. Most of the time, a developmental problem is not something your child will "grow out of" on his or her own. A screening helps to identify areas and to assist your child in reaching his or her full potential! It is [just as important as a well-child visit!](#)

What Should I Expect? Your child will hardly even know that he is being screened. He/she will be involved with other children while a specialist observes his/her play and other activities. You will be given a form (either ahead of time or on the same day) with several questions related to development—there are no wrong answers, so it's easy! If there are any concerns, you will be told immediately and also given ideas of how to help your child learn and grow. [Your child will receive a special gift and birthday treat!](#)

Who should be screened? All children should have a developmental screening at least annually, but especially between the ages of 2 ½ -5. Identifying any red flags and tackling the issues before a child starts school can help to ensure your child's future success.

I Know How Important This Check-up Is and Want My Child Screened. What Do I Do? All you need to do is indicate that you are interested in having your child screened. The next screening will be held during the story hour/play group on **Thursday, December 14th**. The story hour runs from 8-10. The parent portion takes about 10- 15 minutes after the screening.

I Can't Make it This Month, What Can I Do? We welcome children at any time, not just during their birthday month. Just come next time! If you want [more information](#) just give us a call at [\(715\) 882-2361](tel:7158822361) and we can arrange a different time/day. The Story Hour/screening occurs at the school: [405 Bissell St, White Lake, WI](#) [Hope to see you soon!](#)

