

Petoskey/East Jordan Head Start Family Engagement Specialist



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Hello!

I would like to introduce myself! My name is Abbie Byers and I work for Northwest Michigan Community Action Agency in the Head Start Program. I have been with the agency for 2 years now. My role with your child's preschool program is to:

- ◇ Offer home visits during the school year.
- ◇ Partner with families to prioritize their family goals.
- ◇ Encourage good attendance by collaborating with families to remove barriers.
- ◇ Connect families to community resources and events
- ◇ Provide support to the teachers.
- ◇ Work alongside teachers to provide family activities, either virtual or in-person.
- ◇ Provide opportunities for parents and children to attend engagement activities.
- ◇ Provide family focused messages through text/emails and Learning Genie.
- ◇ Offer opportunities to connect with other parents to help support each other during this parenting journey.

Let me know if you would like to learn more about the opportunities that Head Start provides!

