

## Casa Grande Elementary School District

# KinderSteps

### **What is KinderSteps?**

Students who turn 5 after August 31st but before December 31st of the current year and pass the KinderSteps Screener, are eligible to attend Kindergarten early.

### **What is the KinderSteps process?**

Students will complete the screening in 2 phases.

Phase 1: Students will be screened for academic skills. The student must pass the academic screener in order to participate in phase 2. Students who do not pass the screening will not be rescreened.

Phase 2: If students pass the academic screening, they will be asked to participate in a classroom activity to screen their functional school readiness skills. These skills include attending to tasks, following teacher directions, cooperative play, etc.

### **Where will the KinderSteps screeners take place?**

The Early Childhood Learning Center: 390 E. Lakeside Parkway.

### **When will Phase 1 of KinderSteps screeners take place?**

April 25, May 16, and June 13 by appointment only.

### **When will Phase 2 of KinderSteps screeners take place?**

TBD based on the number of students that pass Phase 1.

### **Who do I call to set up a KinderSteps appointment?**

The Early Childhood Learning Center at 520-876-0045.

