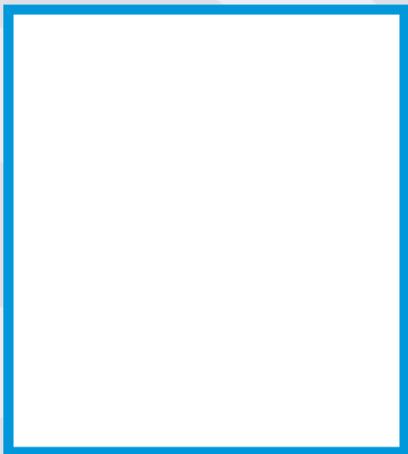




LITTLE LEARNERS PASSPORT



*Place—or draw—a picture
of yourself here!*

Little Learner's Name

Date Started

Date Completed

Your Dream for the Future

LITTLE LEARNERS PASSPORT

You're an explorer, an adventure-seeker, and—most importantly—a learner!

The best way to learn is to try new things. As an official Little Learner, you can explore until you've crossed 100 new experiences off your list before you start Kindergarten. Then, you can use these experiences to find more creative ways to learn throughout the rest of your education journey!

Are you ready for the adventure? Put your senses to the test with this passport that helps you get up and moving in Muncie and Delaware County. See how you can use your head, hands, ears, feet, eyes, heart, arms and legs, stomach, mouth, and nose to get creative in your community!

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MUNCIE & DELAWARE COUNTY BY5 EARLY CHILDHOOD INITIATIVE



Have an adult sign or stamp each space when you've completed a task!

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Draw a picture of your favorite experience from this list below!

Have you reached a milestone? Collect one prize when you've completed 30 tasks and a second prize after 60! Flip to the last page for more details.

1. Visit the local library! Get a library card, and check out a book to read at home.
2. Attend free story time at the local library. Talk about the books you read on the way home.
3. Count the number of cars and trucks that drive by on your way to an appointment.
4. Visit the farmer's market. How many red items can you find? Blue? Yellow? Green? Purple? What other colors do you see?



5. Take a walk, and search for letters. How many letters can you find?

6. Using the free mailer advertisements that come in your mailbox on Tuesdays, cut out letters to make words. Can you spell your name?
7. Draw a picture! Have an adult help you write the address of a friend or relative on an envelope, and stop by the local post office to send your mail.
8. Talk about what to do if there is a fire in your home. Check your smoke detector batteries. If you don't have a smoke detector, visit your local fire department, and ask how you can get one.
9. Go on a walk through your neighborhood. How many street signs and business signs can you read? Ask an adult if you can take pictures of the signs with their camera or phone.

10. Visit the local dollar store. Count out enough change to purchase one item.





HANDS

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11. Practice trying on different types of shoes. Try some that have Velcro, laces, or even buckles.
12. Try on different types of clothes from your family members. Practice buttoning, snapping, and zipping.
13. Go out to eat, and insert your own straw into the hole in the lid of your drink.



14. Visit a local restaurant, and learn how to cut your own food.

15. Visit the grocery store, and help choose items from the shelves to place in your cart. At home, help put the groceries away.
16. Assist your family in packing lunches to take to Canan Commons for a Brown Bag Lunch. This event takes place from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. on Fridays in June, July, and August. While you're there, clap and snap to the music playing!
17. Visit Canan Commons to watch Moonlight Movies. Pack paper, crayons, or markers, and draw your favorite parts of the movie.
18. Help sort the laundry! You can fold washcloths, pair socks, button up shirts, and turn the dials to start the washer and dryer.
19. Work in the yard! Help pull weeds, and talk about the different shades of green you see.
20. Visit the local children's museum, and see how many ways you can use your hands.





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21. Listen to a song from another time period.
22. Dance to the beat of your favorite song with your family.



23. March on different floor surfaces, and hear the different sounds your feet make.

24. Sit in a circle with your family, and see who can come up with the best clapping patterns.
25. Assign each family member a different animal, and see if you can identify who is making which animal sound.



26. Play telephone. Sit in a circle, and whisper a sentence to the person next to you. Then that person will pass it on to the next person. The last person in the circle will say the sentence they heard out loud!
27. Talk about the difference in using a soft voice and a loud voice.
28. Read a book out loud to your family member.
29. Listen to the different emergency vehicles, and talk about the differences in the sounds their sirens make.
30. Go bowling at a local bowling alley. Listen to all the different sounds—swooshes, crashes, and bangs—as your bowling ball hits the pins.



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31. Take a walk on the Cardinal Greenway or along the White River. Look for leaves on the ground and collect different types of them. When you return home, make a book about your leaves.
32. Try to tap dance!

33. Practice tying your shoes with different family members.

34. Kick and wiggle your feet in the water at a local pool or at Prairie Creek Reservoir.



35. Play "This Little Piggy."
36. Count your toes, and then count a family member's toes.
37. Trace an adult's footprint on a piece of paper. Then place your foot inside of the adult foot, and trace it.
38. Create foot prints in the snow, mud, or wet sand.
39. Count the number of feet on animals, insects, and fish.

40. Paint the bottom of your foot, and make a foot print on paper.



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41. Work on a puzzle with your family. Notice how the different colored pieces fit together!

42. Open a book, and look at the pictures. Make up a story using only the pictures—don't look at the words on the pages!

43. Start a rock collection from rocks you find outside in your yard or while walking through your neighborhood. How many different rocks can you find? Can you sort them into piles that look the same or different?
44. Go on a walk, and talk about the different shapes you see.
45. Stand face-to-face with your family member, and mirror each other as you make silly movements.
46. At dinner time, talk about the different colors of your food.
47. Talk about the different buildings you see as you ride in the car.
48. Talk about the different hair and eye colors of each of your family members.
49. Use blocks to make a building, and count them as you build.
50. Visit your local park and play toss.





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51. Make someone else's heart smile. Clean out your toy box, and donate toys that you don't play with. Take your donation to a local donation site.

52. Take a healthy picnic lunch and a storybook to the local park. Have lunch and snuggle up while reading a story under a tree.



53. Ask a doctor if you can listen to your heart during your check-up visit.



54. Exercise! Visit the downtown YMCA in February or March to sign up for free swimming lessons.

55. Attend festivals or fairs about children's health in April.

56. Visit the local library, and read the book *The Kissing Hand* by Audrey Penn. Talk about what it might be like when you go to school.

57. Make someone else's holiday a little brighter. Put a few spare coins in the red kettles for the Salvation Army bell ringers during the holiday season.

58. Go to Ball State University, and walk up the steps of the arena. Count the number of steps as you go!

59. Plan a play date with your friends.

60. Hike along a trail. One good spot for a short hike is the prairie at Minnetrista!



ARMS & LEGS

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- 61. Play catch with a ball.
- 62. Practice writing your name in uppercase and lowercase letters.

63. Participate in an obstacle course where you go over, under, and through objects.

- 64. Play tag with friends.
- 65. Play hopscotch, and pay attention to how you move your arms and legs to stay balanced.
- 66. Learn how to jump rope.

67. Play Simon Says with family and friends.

- 68. Enjoy the Garden Fair at Minnetrista. Pick out a plant to bring home and take care of.



- 69. Visit your local park, and play on the swings. Practice pumping your legs back and forth to go higher and faster.
- 70. Take a bike ride on the Cardinal Greenway.



STOMACH

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71. Cook dinner at home, and eat as a family at the table for one whole week.

72. Use fresh fruit to make a smoothie.

73. Eat a meal that has food from every color of the rainbow.

74. Cook or bake something for a neighbor.

75. Donate boxed goods to a local food bank.

76. Look for whole grain products while shopping at a local grocery store.

77. Keep track of everything you eat in a food journal for a week.

78. Plan a menu for a week, including three meals and snacks each day.

79. Get ready for kindergarten by practicing packing a healthy lunch.

80. Create a collage of healthy foods by cutting out pictures from grocery store ads and gluing them to paper plates.





MOUTH

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- 81. Count to 20 aloud.
- 82. When out to eat, ask the server, "May I use the restroom to wash my hands?" before you eat.
- 83. Practice counting numbers 0-10 when you see numbers in your neighborhood
- 84. Talk about basic shapes you see in the designs of buildings around downtown Muncie. Do you see circles? Squares? Rectangles? Triangles?

85. Find a neighbor, and tell them your favorite story.

- 86. Visit a store in the mall, and ask an employee about the most popular item they sell.
- 87. Help in the kitchen. Add ingredients to a bowl, use measuring cups, stir the ingredients, and practice pouring.



- 88. Stop by the Ivy Tech Fisher Building downtown. Tell the person at the desk your full name and what you want to be when you grow up to get a special prize.
- 89. Visit the local grocery store. Can you find groceries belonging to each of the food groups?
- 90. Pick out one new fruit or vegetable at the grocery store. Help an adult use this when cooking your next meal.



NOSE

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91. Take a walk around Minnetrista, and smell the flowers.
 92. Smell the treats being made at a local bakery, or notice the smell of popcorn at the movie theater.
 93. Visit the Fair Midway, and experience all of the smells associated with the county fair.
 94. Visit the Rinard Orchid Greenhouse in rain or shine, and smell the different flowers blooming.
 95. Visit Farm Days at the Delaware County Fairgrounds, and describe the different smells of the animals.
 96. While helping your parents with the laundry, smell the fresh scent of clean clothes.

97. While playing outside at a local park, identify the smell of freshly cut grass.

98. Visit Prairie Creek Reservoir, and experience the smell of the water and fresh air.
99. Bake cookies with your parents, and smell the cookies as they bake.
100. Help your parents with spring cleaning! Recognize the smell cleaning products. Learn about how dangerous these products can be.
101. **Sign up for Kindergarten! Contact Carrie Bale at carrie@muncieby5.org or 765-216-7423 with any registration questions, and show off your school pride on the next page!**

YOU'RE READY FOR TAKE-OFF!

You did it! You completed all 100 tasks in your Little Learners Passport. Now, launch your education journey with these fill-in-the-blank fun facts about your Kindergarten experience.

Your School

School Colors

Mascot

Teacher's Name

What Makes You Excited to Start Kindergarten?

GETTING STARTED!

Write Your Full Name

The Name of One Friend You've Made

The Highest Number You Can Count To

Check the box of each task you can do:

Tie Your Shoes

List 5 Colors

Zip Your Coat

Raise Your Hand in Class

Recite Your Address

HEALTHY HABITS

Check the boxes of the healthy habits you practice everyday!

Brush your teeth twice a day

Take a bath or shower

Get dressed by yourself

Wash your hands after using the bathroom and before you eat

Practice healthy eating.
Do you know the 5 Food Groups?

Make sure you can check all of these boxes before starting Kindergarten!

Get your teeth cleaned at the dentist

Have an eye doctor check your vision

Visit the doctor for a regular check up.
Do you know your height and weight?

Get the shots you need to start Kindergarten

SHAPES & COLORS

Draw lines to match the shapes and colors to the right pictures.

Circle



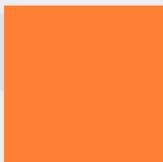
Orange

Star



Green

Triangle



Purple

Square



Blue

FAVORITES

Your Favorite Book

Your Favorite Thing to Learn About

What You Like to Do While Playing Outside

Your Favorite Color

Your Favorite Snack



CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

This certificate is awarded to

Little Learner's Full Name

*for successfully registering
for Kindergarten!*



Date



*Turn this page in at your school after you register for Kindergarten.
Then BY5 will contact your family for your Grand Prize!*





Guardian's Name

Guardian's Address

Guardian's Phone Number

Once the completed certificate is received, BY5 will contact the family on their Grand Prize!



COLLECT YOUR PRIZES!

30 Tasks

Have you completed 30 tasks in your Little Learners Passport? You're making progress! Go to MuncieBY5.com and click the Family Resources tab. Then click the Little Learners Passport dropdown tab to learn where to collect your prizes!

60 Tasks

Have you finished 60 tasks in your passport? Way to go! Visit the Muncie BY5 website again to see which prizes you're eligible for now!

100 Tasks

Once you've completed all 100 tasks and registered for Kindergarten, take your certificate to your new school. Then, BY5 will contact your family for your Grand Prize!



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