

## WHAT HAPPENS EACH NIGHT?

- Students in grades 1-4 attend the afterschool program from 3:30-5:30.
- Students can attend Monday-Friday, or on nights that work for their family.
- From 3:45-4:20 students receive academic tutoring, homework help, supportive instruction in reading/language arts and math. This is dependent upon the students' needs.
- From 4:20-4:45 students eat a free dinner, which has been made possible through the After School Food Program. Becky Frisby has done an incredible job making sure the meals are great for students.
- From 4:45-5:30 students engage in academic enrichment activities, which range from LEGO engineering, various STEM projects, and other hands-on and high interest learning activities.
- At 5:30, students head home on the bus or get picked up. Transportation is free for all students who attend the program. This is a requirement of the grant.

## YEAR 4 AND THE UPCOMING VISIT FROM DPI

- As we are in year four of a five-year grant, a representative from the Department of Public Instruction will be visiting on November 15<sup>th</sup> to review our site and program.
- The After School Coordinator, Cola DeNucci, will work with Mr. Fugate and other District staff to prepare for that visit.
- The primary goal of the visit is to ensure that grant requirements are being met and to experience the program from a student's perspective.
- We look forward to the visit and for the opportunity to share how incredibly valuable the after school program is and has been for our school community.
- Once the visit is complete, we will receive a program evaluation summary with recommendations for continued success and improvement.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2017-2018**

- On October 27<sup>th</sup>, students and staff members from the UCLC will travel to Baker's Apple Orchard.
- On November 15<sup>th</sup>, Mrs. DeNucci has partnered with the Balsam Lake Library to offer the Star Lab for students and family members. We will also have our DPI site visit that night.
- On December 9<sup>th</sup> they will travel to the Children's Theater to experience The Grinch Who Stole Christmas play.

Throughout the year we will have events focused on providing students and families with rich experiences. The events may include parenting tips and parenting through trauma, a visit to Morley's to learn about the maple syrup process, and more!







## **QUESTIONS?**



Thank you for your continued support of this incredible program!