



YOUNG SHELDON

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It's 1989, and we meet nine-year-old Sheldon Cooper, the beloved character from *THE BIG BANG THEORY*, who has skipped four grades to start high school alongside his less-intellectual older brother. We get a peek into the early years—with voiceover from Jim Parsons—of a genius who is misunderstood by his family, classmates and neighbours. His mother preps him with what she thinks is the only tool he'll need to survive at his new school: remind bullies that his dad's the football coach and his brother plays on the team. His twin sister, who's happy to stay in fourth grade, has a better sense of what awaits Sheldon than he does. Young Sheldon may understand Newtonian physics, but his blue-collar, church-going family only cares if that knowledge will help them win a football game.