# WISCONSIN PARENTAL CHOICE PROGRAM (WPCP) 

## Wisconsin Statewide Voucher Program

WPCP Facts and Figures for 2013-2014 As of March 2014

In January 2014, there were 25 private schools participating in the WPCP, with a total enrollment of 509 students or 497.9 full-time equivalent (FTE) in the program.* In the 2013-14 school year, the WPCP state aid for a student enrolled full-time in the WPCP is $\$ 6,442$ or the private school's operating and debt service cost per student, whichever is less. The operating and debt service cost per student at the school is determined by an independent auditor in a report due to the DPI by September 1 after the school year. The school's costs per student determined in that audit will be compared to the WPCP state aid amount and, if less, the school will owe the difference back to the state. The program is estimated to cost $\$ 3,221,000$ in 2013-14 for an estimated 500 FTE students. The WPCP is fully funded from state general purpose revenue.

Table 1 provides the total number of students in the WPCP by where (and if) they were enrolled at school in 2012-13. Table 2 shows the WPCP enrollment by grade level for the $3^{\text {rd }}$ Friday in September 2013 and the $2^{\text {nd }}$ Friday in January 2014 count dates. The number of students listed in the tables is reported by headcount and FTE. For example, a four-year-old kindergarten student may be counted as 0.5 or 0.6 FTE.

TABLE 1
2013-14 WPCP Students' Prior Year Enrollments

|  | 3rd Friday in September 2013 |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2012-2013 Enrollment | $\underline{\text { Headcount }}$ | $\underline{\text { Headcount }}$ | $\underline{\text { FTE }}$ | $\underline{\%}$ of FTE |
| Wisconsin Private School | 370 | $72.4 \%$ | 365.1 | $73.1 \%$ |
| Wisconsin Public School | 106 | $20.7 \%$ | 105.1 | $21 \%$ |
| No School | 22 | $4.3 \%$ | 16.2 | $3.2 \%$ |
| Homeschooled | 12 | $2.3 \%$ | 12 | $2.4 \%$ |
| Out of State | 1 | $0.1 \%$ | 1 | $0.2 \%$ |
| Totals | $\mathbf{5 1 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{4 9 9 . 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ |

TABLE 2
WPCP 2013-2014 Enrollment by Grade Level*

|  | 3rd Friday in September 2013 |  | 2nd Friday in January 2014 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Grade Level | $\underline{\text { Headcount }}$ | $\underline{\text { FTE }}$ | $\underline{\text { Headcount }}$ | $\underline{\text { FTE }}$ |
| 4 Year-Old Kindergarten | 24 | 12.4 | 23 | 11.9 |
| 5 Year-Old Kindergarten | 42 | 42 | 41 | 41 |
| 1st Grade | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 |
| 2nd Grade | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 |
| 3rd Grade | 35 | 35 | 34 | 34 |
| 4th Grade | 52 | 52 | 52 | 52 |
| 5th Grade | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 |
| 6th Grade | 35 | 35 | 35 | 35 |
| 7th Grade | 36 | 36 | 36 | 36 |
| 8th Grade | 37 | 37 | 37 | 37 |
| 9th Grade | 38 | 38 | 39 | 39 |
| 10th Grade | 29 | 29 | 28 | 28 |
| 11th Grade | 30 | 30 | 31 | 31 |
| 12th Grade | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 |
| Totals | $\mathbf{5 1 1}$ | $\mathbf{4 9 9 . 4}$ | $\mathbf{5 0 9}$ | $\mathbf{4 9 7 . 9}$ |

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[^0]:    *These are unaudited numbers and are subject to change. Under $\S 118.60$, Wis. Stats., the WPCP is limited to 500 FTE and 25 schools in the $2013-14$ school year.

