



MARION HIGH SCHOOL

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Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
Attention: Michelle Jones
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To Whom it May Concern:

The Marion School District has discovered an error in the data reported in WISEdash for Districts regarding Graduation, High School Completion Rates data for "non-completers not known to be continuing" for Marion Junior/Senior High School.

As a result of the timing of this error, this information can no longer be corrected in ISES, as that system is no longer a valid DPI reporting system. Please accept this data errata letter explaining the inaccuracy of the following items:

- HS Non-completers - 4 Year Rate for 2018-19: Our records indicate that the student in question enrolled in our district from a school in Tennessee, attended school in our district for two days, was absent for two days and withdrew, returning to Tennessee.
- HS Non-completers - 6 Year Rate for 2018-19: Our records and WISEdata both indicate that one student transferred and continued in another Wisconsin school district after withdrawing, but was inadvertently listed as an "Interstate Move" exit type in our WSLs/ISES reporting.

Our district would be interested in correcting these data, if possible, for the upcoming release of the school report cards. If there is a process for updating the data, please let me know.

We have reviewed our data entry & reporting practices and incorporated our findings into our new WISEdata reporting practices, and we believe that our new process will prevent further errors of this sort from occurring in the future.

Sincerely,



Daniel Breitrack

Principal

The School District of Marion, in partnership with families and community, is committed to the continuous growth of every student. By ensuring a safe, respectful, and challenging environment; and by providing quality, comprehensive, educational opportunities, we will prepare all students so they can learn and contribute to society for a lifetime.