

WISCONSIN Public Schools at a Glance

SCHOOLS & DISTRICTS (2016-17)

Total Public Schools – 2,217

High Schools	510
Junior High Schools	22
Middle Schools	355
Elementary Schools	1,234
Combined Elementary / Secondary	74
District Charter Schools (all types)	215
Non-district (2R) Charter Schools	22

Public School Districts – 422

Common	
K-8*	43
K-12	322
First Class	1
Unified	46
Union High School (UHS)	10

* One of the state's 44 K-8 districts is a unified school district

STAFF (2016-17)

FTE Staff – 108,820

Administrators	4,154
Aides, support, and other staff	37,265
Licensed staff	67,402
Teachers	60,649
Pupil to teacher ratio	14.2:1
Teachers with advanced degrees	48.3%
Average salary*	\$51,439
Average years of experience*	14.1

* Full-time public school teachers

SCHOOL FUNDING

Total state aids:

\$5.63 billion (General aids: \$4.58 billion) Fiscal 2018

Total 2016-17 funding (\$11.51 billion) comes from:

State aids	46.2%	Federal aids	7.2%
Property taxes	42.1%	Local revenue	4.5%

STUDENTS (2017-18)

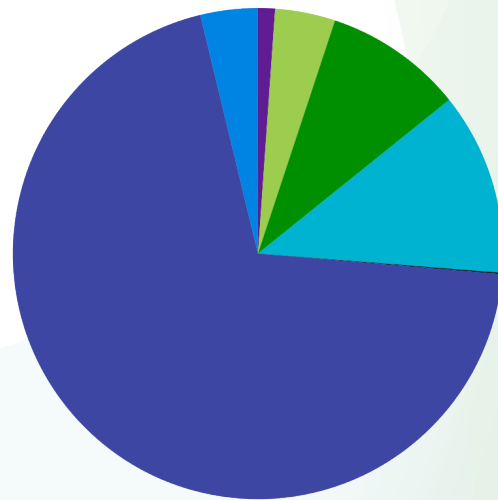
Student Enrollment – 860,138

High Schools	261,304
Middle Schools	185,484
Elementary Schools	413,342

Demographics

Students with Disabilities	13.8%
English Learners	5.9%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	38.3%

Race & Ethnicity



American Indian	1.1%	Asian	4.0%
Black or African American	9.1%	Hispanic	12.0%
Pacific Islander	0.1%	Two or More Races	3.8%
White	69.9%		

ATTENDANCE (2016-17)

Public school attendance rate	94.0%
School-age population	1,005,743
Public	85.9%
Private	12.1%
Homeschooled	2.0%

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