

MILWAUKEE PARENTAL CHOICE PROGRAM (MPCP)

MPCP Facts and Figures for 2018-19

In January 2019, there were 129 private schools participating in the MPCP, with a total enrollment of 28,343 students or 27,493.7 full-time equivalent (FTE) in the program.* The 2018-19 MPCP state aid payment for a student enrolled full-time in the MPCP in grade kindergarten through eight is \$7,754 and \$8,400 for a student enrolled full-time in grade nine through twelve.

The program was estimated to cost \$221,800,000 in 2018-19. Beginning in the 2013-14 school year, the previous 38.4% aid reduction to MPS will be reduced by 3.2 percentage points per year until the program is fully funded by state general purpose revenue. In the 2018-19 school year the MPCP is funded 19.2% from a reduction in state general aid to MPS (\$42,585,600 in 2018-19) and 80.8% from state general purpose revenue (\$179,214,400 in 2018-19).

The table below shows the MPCP enrollment by grade level. The number of students listed in the table is reported by headcount and FTE. For example, a four-year-old kindergarten student may be counted as 0.5 or 0.6 FTE.

MPCP 2018-19 Enrollment by Grade Level*

Grade Level	3rd Friday in September 2018		2nd Friday in January 2019	
	Headcount	FTE	Headcount	FTE
4 Year-Old Kindergarten	1,989	1,131.7	1,970	1,120.7
5 Year-Old Kindergarten	2,125	2,125.0	2,112	2,112.0
1st Grade	2,234	2,234.0	2,219	2,219.0
2nd Grade	2,238	2,238.0	2,203	2,203.0
3rd Grade	2,282	2,282.0	2,227	2,227.0
4th Grade	2,389	2,389.0	2,363	2,363.0
5th Grade	2,447	2,447.0	2,400	2,400.0
6th Grade	2,383	2,383.0	2,379	2,379.0
7th Grade	2,334	2,334.0	2,290	2,290.0
8th Grade	2,039	2,039.0	2,000	2,000.0
9th Grade	2,001	2,001.0	1,892	1,892.0
10th Grade	1,725	1,725.0	1,663	1,663.0
11th Grade	1,481	1,481.0	1,405	1,405.0
12th Grade	1,237	1,237.0	1,220	1,220.0
Totals	28,904	28,046.7	28,343	27,493.7

* These numbers are as of October 2019 and are subject to change.