

October 8, 2024

Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
125 S. Webster St.
Madison, WI 53703

Attn: Data and Accountability Services

RE: 2023–24 Attendance and Chronic Absenteeism Data Errata

The School District of Fort Atkinson is submitting this formal errata letter regarding the 2023–24 Attendance and Chronic Absenteeism data submitted via WISEdata as part of the December 2024 Snapshot. Upon subsequent review, it was discovered that the submitted data had not been fully scrubbed prior to certifying it for the snapshot resulting in a data verification oversight. This oversight caused the initially submitted data to reflect elevated attendance rates and increased chronic absenteeism rates for each of the district's six buildings and for the district as a whole.

The district has completed a thorough review of all relevant records and has corrected the data in WISEdata. The corrected figures, including both the original and updated rates by building and district total have been provided to DPI via a data inquiry.

The district is committed to continued improvement in data oversight and management and has implemented additional verification steps to prevent similar discrepancies in future submissions.

We respectfully request that DPI update its records to reflect the corrected 2023–24 Attendance and Chronic Absenteeism data as provided. Please contact me directly with any questions or if additional information is required.

Sincerely,

Lisa Hollenberger
Director of Student Services



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Barrie Elementary | Luther Elementary | Purdy Elementary | Rockwell Elementary



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