COUNTING PART TIME PUPILS

Part Time Home-Schooled, Resident Pupils

Current law permits a <u>resident</u>, home-school pupil who has met the standards for admission to the course under Wis. Stat. <u>§118.53</u> to enroll in up to two courses at a public school, per semester, if the school board determines that there is sufficient space in the classroom. Enrollment in courses at the public school by the home-school pupil is open to <u>all grade levels</u>.

Part Time Resident Home-Schooled Pupils will be counted under Wis. Stat. <u>§121.004(7)(e)</u>: FTE count will be equal to the aggregate number of hours attended by these part-time, home-school pupils divided by the full-time hours of attendance at each grade level.

Part Time Home-Schooled Pupils should be included in Step 1 of the wizard. Then, in Step 3, Resident Reductions, the pupil count wizard will direct districts to enter the number of resident part-time home-school pupils, the number of hours attended by these pupils, and the hours of full time attendance for each grade level. The FTE for this set of pupils will be calculated automatically from this data and added to the district's membership count for General Aid purposes.

Part Time Private/Tribal School, Resident Pupils

These resident, private or tribal school pupils may take up to two courses per semester in the <u>high school grades only</u> (9-12) at a public school within their resident district, provided they meet the standards for admission to the course under <u>§118.145 (4)</u> and if the school board determines that there is sufficient space in the classroom.

Part Time Private/Tribal School Pupils should be included in Step 1 of the wizard. Then, in Step 3, Resident Reductions, the pupil count wizard will direct districts to enter the number of resident part-time private/tribal school pupils, the number of hours attended by these pupils, and the hours of full time attendance for each grade level. (Note that private-school pupils may take courses in grades 9-12 only; while home-school pupils [see above] may take courses in any grade.) The FTE for this set of pupils will calculated automatically from this data and added to the district's membership count for General Aid purposes.

Part Time Home-Schooled, Non-Resident Pupils

Current law permits a school district to count, for General Aid (but not Revenue Limit) purposes, a <u>non-resident</u>, <u>home-school pupil</u> (but not a non-resident private-, parochial- or tribal-school pupil) taking courses in the district under <u>§118.53</u>, in an amount equal to 0.25 FTE per course, up to two courses per semester (i.e., district could count a maximum of 0.50 FTE per non-resident, home-school pupil). [see §121.004(7)(em)]

Part time Home-Schooled, Non-Resident Pupils are collected only in Step 5 of the PI-1563 wizard.

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