



School District of Milton Educational Options

Pursuant to 2015 Wisconsin Act 55, the School District of Milton is required to notify parents and guardians of both the district's school accountability report card, as well as the educational options available to children who reside in the school district.

District/School Accountability Reports

The district and school's individual accountability report cards may be found at:

<https://apps2.dpi.wi.gov/reportcards/>

Educational Options

Please review the following information and links regarding the educational options for students residing in the School District of Milton.

Public and Private School Options:

- Public Schools: School District of Milton (<http://www.milton.k12.wi.us>)
- Private Schools:
 - Rock Prairie Montessori School
(<https://www.rockprairiemontessori.com>)

Wisconsin Virtual Schools:

- For a list of Wisconsin Virtual Schools, please see the DPI website at:
<https://dpi.wi.gov/sms/charter-schools/virtual-charter-schools>
- Due to the pandemic, state statute ([PI 8](#)) governing school district standards was modified allowing districts to implement innovative instruction design. This updated standard allows districts to design more virtual learning options in their instructional schedule. For more information on the **Milton WIRED (7th-12th) program** please contact the High School office.

Full-Time Open Enrollment:

- The interdistrict public school open enrollment program allows parents to apply for their children to attend public school in a school district other than the one in which they reside. For more information, please see the DPI website at: <https://dpi.wi.gov/open-enrollment>

Part-Time Open Enrollment:

- Under part-time open enrollment, a pupil enrolled in a public school in the high school grades may attend public school in a nonresident school district for the purpose of taking a course offered by the nonresident school district. A pupil may attend no more than two courses at any time in nonresident school districts. For further information, please see the DPI website at:
<https://dpi.wi.gov/open-enrollment/ptoe>

Early College Credit Program (ECCP):

- ECCP allows Wisconsin public and private high school students to take one or more courses at an institution of higher education for high school and/or college credit. Under this section, "institution of higher education" means an institution within the University of Wisconsin System, a tribally controlled college, or a private, nonprofit institution of higher education located in the state. While technical colleges are not eligible institutions under the new program, pupils that have completed 10th grade will continue to have the option to take courses at technical colleges through a separate statute, 38.12(14). For further information, please see the DPI website at:
<https://dpi.wi.gov/dual-enrollment/eccp>

Start College Now Program:

- Start College Now is a program that allows qualified 11th and 12th grade high school students to enroll in college-level degree courses offered through the Wisconsin Technical College System. For additional information, please refer to the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction (DPI). For further information, please see the DPI website at:
<https://dpi.wi.gov/dual-enrollment/start-college-now>

Youth Apprenticeship Program:

- The Wisconsin Youth Apprenticeship program, authorized in 1991 by the Wisconsin Legislature, provides high school juniors and seniors with the opportunity to explore their chosen career while still in high school. Students receive occupational related instruction and on-the-job training as part of their regular high school schedule and they leave high school with a state skill certificate and career related work experience. The program prepares students for all options after high school, whether it's directly into the workforce, a technical college, or a university.
- To learn more about the Youth Apprenticeship program at Milton High School, go to:
<https://sites.google.com/milton.k12.wi.us/mhs-school-to-career/ya-co-op-programs?authuser=0>

*Advanced Standing Courses:

- Advanced Standing courses provide students with a high school grade and credit for prior learning once they are admitted to Blackhawk Technical College. Other Wisconsin technical colleges and UW schools may also accept that credit. To become eligible for this credit, the student must receive an 80% or better in the class. For more information, see page 12 of the MHS Program of Studies:

<https://www.milton.k12.wi.us/wp-content/uploads/2026/01/Program-of-Studies-2026-2027-3.pdf>

*Special Note: Due to changes in policies by the Higher Learning Commission effective in September of 2023, the Transcribed Credit and Advanced Standing courses require the Milton High School staff member teaching the course to hold a master's degree in their course discipline.

Home-Based Private Education (Homeschooling):

- For more information on home-based private education (homeschooling) options, please see the DPI website at: <http://dpi.wi.gov/sms/home-based>