



SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN DELLS

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2022 DISTRICT AT A GLANCE



WISCONSIN DELLS HIGH SCHOOL

Located in the City of Wisconsin Dells, serves grades 9-12



WISCONSIN DELLS MIDDLE SCHOOL

Located in the City of Wisconsin Dells, serves grades 6-8



SPRING HILL ELEMENTARY

Located in the City of Wisconsin Dells, serves Early Childhood - grade 5



LAKE DELTON ELEMENTARY

Located in the Village of Lake Delton, serves grades 4K-5

2021-2022 STUDENT POPULATION

* Attending fall 2021-22 seat count.

$$816 + 413 + 588 = 1,817$$

Elementary Middle School High School Total Students

DISTRICT'S STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES:

STUDENT GROWTH AND ACHIEVEMENT

Embed equitable practices; improve K-12 literacy, and graduate students ready for post-high school success.

PROFESSIONAL GROWTH AND LEADERSHIP

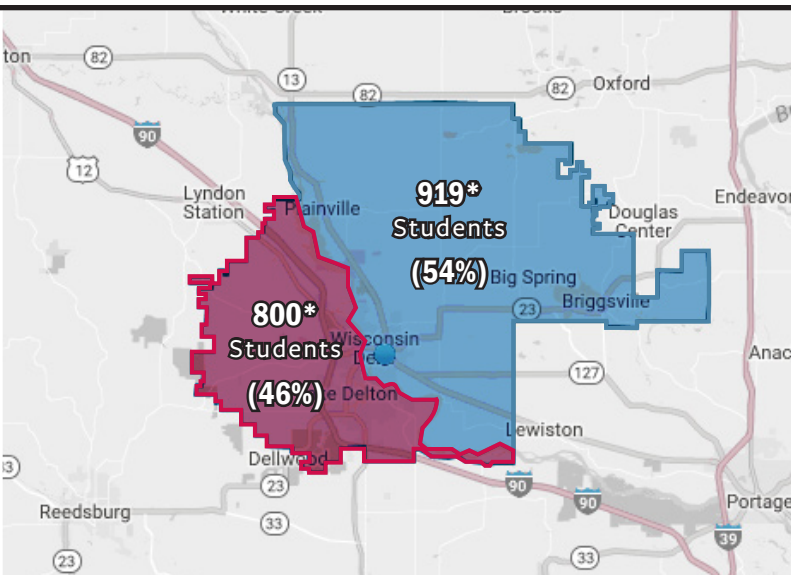
Provide targeted professional development that reflects our student growth and achievement priorities and deepen the implementation and consistency of our professional learning communities.

DISTRICT AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Initiate an ongoing stakeholder feedback process and develop district communication practices that promote our community as a great place to live, work, and raise families.

FACILITIES, FINANCE, AND OPERATIONS

Implement a long-term plan that ensures safe, clean, and healthy facilities and deliver student-focused services while maintaining fiscal responsibility.



* Does not include open enrollment students

GEOGRAPHY & BOUNDARIES

Geographic Area:

- 186 square miles

Counties & Municipalities:

- Adams: Towns of Dell Prairie, Springville, Jackson and New Haven
- Columbia: City of Wisconsin Dells, Town of Newport
- Juneau: Town of Lyndon
- Marquette: Town of Douglas
- Sauk: Village of Lake Delton and Towns of Delton and Dellona



ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

In 2020-21, the School District of Wisconsin Dells received a four-star (exceeds expectations) rating from DPI. Further, students in the SDWD in grades 3-5 had a higher percentage of those scoring Proficient or Advanced on the Wisconsin Forward Exam for Mathematics compared to area schools as well as the state average. Middle School students in grades 6-8 had the highest percentage of these comparisons in both Mathematics and English/Language Arts. All student subgroups in the SDWD demonstrated above average Growth scores on the report card in both Math and ELA. This put SDWD in the 74th percentile for Growth in our students compared to all districts across Wisconsin.

ENROLLMENT BY MUNICIPALITY	
2021-2022*	
Village of Lake Delton	411
Town of Dellona	170
Town of Delton	77
Town of Lyndon	142
City of Wisconsin Dells	453
Town of Dell Prairie	201
Town of Douglas	39
Town of Jackson	27
Town of New Haven	70
Town of Newport	77
Town of Springville	52

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DID YOU KNOW?

- Since opening a new state-of-the-art high school in the fall of 2020, the 9-12 enrollment at WDHS has increased by 69 students.
- WDHS students have access to 10 Dual Enrollment courses specific to Career & Technical Education [Agriculture, Business, Family & Consumer, and Technology] that are aligned with the Wisconsin Technical College System. WDHS is committed to multiple forms of project-based learning activities that foster and support students graduating ready to attend a technical college or successfully enter the workforce post-high school.
- WDHS students have access to the following Advanced Placement Courses: AP English (Literature & Composition), AP English (Language & Composition), AP Calculus, AP Biology, AP Chemistry, AP Psychology, AP US History, and AP World History. Many WDHS graduates leave high school having earned a semester's worth of college credits. This is further proof of their college readiness as well as saving a semester's worth of tuition.
- Graduating students of WDHS are generously supported through the work of the Wisconsin Dells Education Foundation and other local non-profit organizations as they annually award over \$300,000 in local and endowed scholarships. Every graduate who applies for financial assistance scholarships receives at least one award.
- Middle school programming now takes place at the "former WDHS" and for the first time ever, with students in grades 6-8 having their own stand-alone building. This reallocated space is beginning to pay dividends with higher academic outcomes (see academic excellence section), and the extra space allows for Career and Technical Education exploratory courses, many of which offer project-based learning opportunities.
- District elementary students in grades K-3 participate in Wisconsin's Achievement Gap Reduction (AGR) program, which provides district students with class sizes with a maximum of 18-students to 1-teacher. Our elementary students consistently perform at a high level on the state mandated Forward Exams. Lake Delton Elementary School has received a 5-star rating for 4 consecutive years including being named a National Blue-Ribbon School. Spring Hill Elementary has been recognized as a Beating the Odds recipient in 2019 before the pandemic disrupted learning.
- The district is currently developing a long-term plan for the replacement of Lake Delton Elementary School as part of its work within the strategic objective of facilities, finance, and operations.
- During the COVID pandemic, the SDWD provided nearly 100% of its instruction with an in-person delivery model as well as offering a virtual learning platform. Staff consistently went beyond expectations to further ensure the success of our students.

OUR MISSION, OUR VISION

The district continues to be committed to serve students through the framework of the multi-year strategic plan. Beginning with living its mission of Connect, Inspire, Achieve, Everyone, Every day as well as our vision of academic and individual excellence for a stronger community.

For more information, visit www.sdwd.k12.wi.us.