
School Choice Reminders



- ★ Open enrollment for the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program (WPCP) ends **April 20, 2019**. If you live outside the city of Milwaukee or the Racine Unified School District, please consider applying for the WPCP. ***Early application provides LoG time to verify your residency and income to DPI.***
- ★ For those who have already applied for the WPCP, please remit your required documentation to **Mr. MacKain** for verification. Mr. MacKain is available before school, after school, or by appointment.
- ★ Open enrollment for the Milwaukee Parental Choice Program (MPCP) begins **Friday, March 1, 2019**. If you live in the city of Milwaukee, please consider applying for the MPCP. Please read the following.

Milwaukee Parental Choice Program

Application period: **March 1 - March 20, 2019 or August 1-20, 2019**

Eligibility:

1. The student must reside in the city of Milwaukee.
2. The family income must be at or below the amount listed on table 1 for MPCP which can be found at dpi.wi.gov/choice by clicking on the *Income Limits 2019-20* link.

Application:

1. **Only online applications are accepted.** Parents/guardians must visit dpi.wi.gov/choice to access the Online Parent Application. An Application Process Presentation is available on the site to help with the application.
2. **Proof of Residency** - Parents/guardians must provide proof of residency documentation to LoG. Allowed Residency Documentation may be found at dpi.wi.gov/choice by clicking on the *Allowed Residency* link.

3. **Income Documentation** - Parents/guardians must also provide income documentation to LoG which must be selected on the online application. There are two methods of verification from which to choose:

DOR (Department of Revenue) method - If the parent(s) has received a Wisconsin tax refund for 2018, the 2018 income will likely be used. Otherwise, the 2017 Wisconsin income tax return will be used. Applicants should consider using the DPI method if they do not qualify based on their 2017 income. FAQ's may be accessed at dpi.wi.gov/choice by clicking on the *Department of Revenue (DOR) Income Determination Method FAQ* link.

DPI (Department of Public Instruction) method - Parents/guardians will answer a series of income questions on the application. Hard copies of income documentation must be provided to LoG for verification. All information will be kept confidential.

Documentation Delivery - Parents/guardians must also provide required documentation to LoG ***by the end of the application period.***

Resources For Parents: dpi.wi.gov/choice

- Link to Online Parent Application
- Application Process Presentation
- Parent Brochure (available in English and Spanish)
- Frequently Asked Questions (available in English and Spanish)
- Online Parent Application Print Screens
- School Lists and Contact Information (posted February 1)
- Allowed Residency Documents
- Alternative Residency Documentation Form
- Income Limits 2019-20
- Department of Revenue (DOR) Income Determination Method FAQ

Questions

Parents or guardians enrolling students for the Choice program should direct any questions to Timothy MacKain at Lamb of God Ev. Lutheran School at 414-321-8780 or mackain@logls.org.