



Special Needs Scholarship Program

This notice serves to inform parents and guardians with disabilities that the State of Wisconsin has established the Special Needs Scholarship program. Under this scholarship program, and as further specified in state law, a child with a disability who has been denied the opportunity to attend a nonresident school district under the full-time open enrollment program, may be eligible to receive a scholarship from the Department of Public Instruction (DPI) that allows the child to attend an eligible private school that is participating in the Special Needs Scholarship Program.

This is a state-administered program. A parent or guardian who is interested in the Special needs Scholarship Program should independently verify the participating private school and the specific terms, eligibility criteria, and application procedures of the scholarship program with Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction.

The Special Needs Scholarship Program is further defined under section 115.7915(5) of the state statutes. Additional information about the program is available on the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction website: [http:// dpi.wi.gov/](http://dpi.wi.gov/).