

MINERAL POINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT POLICY 424

SHARED SERVICES

Students who attend non-public schools in the district or are enrolled in home-based private educational programs and are residents of the district may participate in courses, co-curricular or/and extra-curricular activities offered by Mineral Point Unified School District if space is available in the requested class or activity. Students from home-based private educational and/or private schools may not participate in activities or competitions where the district belongs to an organization which has governing rules prohibiting such participation. In some cases, participation may be allowed with parental payment of required fees. These activities may include, but are not limited to interscholastic athletics, music and forensics. The student will be registered as a part-time student and appropriate fees will be pro-rated. The student must abide by the public school rules and regulations including being on the public school premises only during the time that the class or activity is in session. Transportation of the non-public school student to the public school shall not be the responsibility of Mineral Point School District. The district will provide services to private school students as required by law.

Students attending non-public schools or enrolled in a home-based private educational program wishing to take courses in the public school shall apply in writing to the principal of the public school they desire to attend. The letter or application shall include the name of the course(s) requested, the rationale for the request and the signature of the non-public school principal or parent approving the request. The request will be limited to two courses.

Written application should be submitted by May 1 for the succeeding school year and Semester I. A final decision will be made by August 15. An application should be submitted by October 1 for Semester II. A final decision will be made by December 15.

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Approval of the student's requests shall be based on the following criteria:

1. For courses at the elementary or middle school level, the course must be one that is

not required to be offered in a private school or home-based private educational

program.

2. The public school class requested is not at the maximum number of students for that

grade span and/or space is available in the requested class or activity as determined

by the principal.

3. The student must be academically qualified to meet the course prerequisites.

A decision denying the request to take a course(s) or activities may be appealed in

writing to the superintendent. If the appeal is denied by the superintendent, an appeal in

writing may be made to the Board.

Legal Reference: Wisconsin Statutes 118.165 (1)

118.167

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118.145(4)

252.04

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