

Wisconsin 2023 AP[®] School Honor Roll Recognition



The AP School Honor Roll recognizes schools whose AP programs are delivering results for students while broadening access.

The AP School Honor Roll, which replaces the previous AP District Honor Roll, offers schools recognition across four levels of distinction: Bronze, Silver, Gold, and Platinum. Schools on the AP School Honor Roll may also earn the AP Access Award, honoring schools that demonstrate a clear and effective commitment to equitable access to advanced coursework.





For a school to be recognized on the AP School Honor Roll, it must be located within the United States (including U.S. territories) or Canada and:


- Meet each of the following criteria anchored in research-based relationships between AP and college outcomes:
 - ♦ **College Culture:** 40% or more of graduating cohort took at least 1 AP Exam during high school.
 - ♦ **College Credit:** 25% or more of the graduating cohort scored a 3 or higher on at least 1 AP Exam during high school.
 - ♦ **College Optimization:** 2% or more of the graduating cohort took 5 or more AP Exams during high school. At least 1 of those exams was taken in 9th or 10th grade, so that students are spreading their AP experience across grades rather than feeling disproportionate pressure in any single year.
- Have full-time grade-12 enrollments. AP coordinators can update this information online in [AP Registration and Ordering](#).

Schools can earn the additional AP Access Award if the percentage of AP Exam takers who are underrepresented minority and/or low-income students mirrors the school's overall student demographics.

As of October 2023, in Wisconsin

Of 400 eligible schools, 24% earned a place on the 2023 AP School Honor Roll.¹

AP SCHOOL HONOR ROLL AWARD	PERCENT OF ALL ELIGIBLE SCHOOLS: WISCONSIN	PERCENT OF ALL ELIGIBLE SCHOOLS: US AND CANADA
 Bronze	9%	9%
 Silver	9%	9%
 Gold	4%	6%
 Platinum	1%	6%

 In addition, **19%** of Wisconsin schools on the Honor Roll earned the **AP Access Award**. 39% of all qualifying schools on the Honor Roll earned this additional award.

School Honor Roll Criteria: 2023 Snapshot

The table below provides an overview of the School Honor Roll criteria, and displays the average percentage of 2023 graduating students in eligible schools for each:

HONOR ROLL CRITERIA	AVERAGE ACROSS ALL ELIGIBLE SCHOOLS: WISCONSIN	AVERAGE ACROSS ALL ELIGIBLE SCHOOLS: US AND CANADA
Took at least 1 AP Exam	35%	41%
Scored 3+ on at least 1 AP Exam	23%	25%
Took 5+ AP Exams, at least 1 in 9th or 10th grade²	5%	8%

Schools can see AP School Honor Roll status in [AP Score Reports for Educators](#). Recognized schools will have access to download a custom celebration kit.

There is no annual application process for schools to be considered for recognition.

¹ Note that schools had the choice to “opt-out” of being publicly recognized on the AP School Honor Roll and/or AP Access Award, so the number of schools listed in this report may not match the number of schools who met the award requirements and received the award.

² Research finds that students can optimize many of APs benefits just by taking 1-2 AP courses per year, for a total of 5 APs in high school. Accordingly, the School Honor Roll criteria reflects this research, and this metric does not provide more weight for schools when students take more than 5 AP exams. More information can be found [here](#).

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AP represents an opportunity for students to challenge themselves, earn college credit and placement, and potentially boost their grade point averages. These schools have shown that they can expand access to these college-level courses and still drive high performance — they represent the best of our AP program.”

— TREVOR PACKER
SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT
AP & INSTRUCTION

2023 Wisconsin AP School Honor Roll Recipients

DISTRICT	OVERALL TIER	SCHOOL NAME
Arrowhead Union School District	Silver	Arrowhead High School
Ashwaubenon School District	Bronze	Ashwaubenon High School
Brillion Public School District	Bronze	Brillion High School
Cedarburg School District	Gold	Cedarburg High School
Central High School District-Westosha	Silver	Westosha Central High School
De Pere Unified School Dist	Bronze	De Pere High School
DeForest Area School District	Bronze	De Forest Area High School
Diocese of Green Bay Education Office	Silver with Access	St Mary Catholic High School
Diocese of Green Bay Education Office	Gold	Xavier High School
Diocese of La Crosse Education Office	Gold	Columbus Catholic High School
Diocese of La Crosse Education Office	Bronze	Pacelli Catholic High School
Diocese of Madison Education Office	Silver	Edgewood High School
Diocese of Madison Education Office	Silver	St Ambrose Academy
East Troy Community School District	Bronze	East Troy High School
Elkhorn Area School District	Silver with Access	Elkhorn Area High School
Elmbrook School District	Gold	Brookfield Central High School
Elmbrook School District	Gold	Brookfield East High School
Evansville Community School District	Bronze	Evansville Senior High School
Fennimore Community School District	Bronze	Fennimore Senior High School
Franklin Public School District	Silver	Franklin High School
Germantown School District	Silver	Germantown High School
Gibraltar Area School District	Gold	Gibraltar Secondary School
Grafton School District	Silver with Access	Grafton Senior High School
Greendale School District	Bronze	Greendale Senior High School
Hamilton School District	Silver	Hamilton High School
Howard Suamico School District	Bronze	Bay Port High School
Hudson School District	Gold	Hudson Senior High School
Jefferson School District	Bronze with Access	Jefferson High School
Kenosha Unified School District	Gold with Access	Lakeview Technology Academy
Kettle Moraine School District	Silver	Kettle Moraine High School
Kettle Moraine School District	Bronze	High School of Health Sciences
Kimberly Area School District	Silver	Kimberly High School

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Kohler School District	Bronze	Kohler Senior High School
Little Chute Area School District	Silver with Access	Little Chute Career Pathways Academy
Madison Metropolitan School District	Bronze	West High School
Marshfield School District	Silver	Marshfield High School
McFarland School District	Silver	McFarland High School
Menomonee Falls School District	Bronze	Menomonee Falls High School
Mequon-Thiensville School District	Gold	Homestead High School
Middleton-Cross Plains Schools	Silver	Middleton High School
Milwaukee Archdiocese	Platinum with Access	Marquette University High School
Milwaukee Archdiocese	Gold with Access	Dominican High School
Milwaukee Archdiocese	Silver	Saint Joseph Catholic Academy
Milwaukee Public Schools	Platinum with Access	Carmen High School of Science and Technology South
Milwaukee Public Schools	Gold with Access	Golda Meir School
Milwaukee Public Schools	Silver with Access	Milwaukee School of Language
Mt Horeb Area School District	Silver	Mount Horeb High School
Mukwonago Area School District	Silver	Mukwonago High School
Muskego-Norway School District	Silver	Muskego High School
New Berlin School District	Gold	Eisenhower High Sch
New Berlin School District	Gold	New Berlin West High School
New Glarus School District	Bronze with Access	New Glarus High School
Nicolet Union High School District	Silver	Nicolet High School
Northern Ozaukee School District	Gold	Ozaukee High School
Oak Creek Franklin Joint School District	Bronze with Access	Oak Creek High School
Oconomowoc Area School District	Silver	Oconomowoc High School
Onalaska School District	Bronze	Onalaska High School
Oostburg School District	Silver	Oostburg High School
Oregon School District	Silver	Oregon High School
Pewaukee School District	Silver	Pewaukee High School
Platteville School District	Silver	Platteville High School
Prairie Du Chien School District	Silver	Prairie Du Chien Senior High School
Reedsburg School District	Bronze	Reedsburg Area High School

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Rosholt School District	Bronze	Rosholt High School
School District of Belleville	Silver with Access	Belleville High School
School District of Random Lake	Bronze	Random Lake High School
School District of Waukesha	Silver	Waukesha West High School
School District of Waukesha	Bronze	Waukesha North High School
Shorewood School District	Bronze	Shorewood High School
Stoughton Area School District	Bronze	Stoughton High School
Sun Prairie Area School District	Silver	Sun Prairie East High School
Tomahawk School District	Bronze	Tomahawk High School
Tomorrow River School District	Bronze	Amherst High School
Verona Area School District	Silver	Verona Area High School
Waterford Union High School District	Bronze	Waterford Union High School
Watertown Unified School District	Bronze	Watertown High School
Wauwatosa School District	Silver	Wauwatosa East High School
Wauwatosa School District	Silver	Wauwatosa West High School
West Bend School District	Bronze	West Bend East High School
West Bend School District	Bronze	West Bend West High School
Whitefish Bay School District	Silver	Whitefish Bay High School
Whitnall School District	Silver with Access	Whitnall High School
Williams Bay School District	Bronze	Williams Bay High School
Wrightstown Community School District	Bronze	Wrightstown High School
Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction	Bronze with Access	Veritas High School
N/A	Platinum with Access	University School of Milwaukee
N/A	Gold with Access	Salam High School
N/A	Platinum	Brookfield Academy
N/A	Platinum	University Lake School
N/A	Gold	Lake Country Lutheran High School
N/A	Gold	Prairie School, Incorporated
N/A	Silver	Christian Life School
N/A	Bronze	Heritage Christian School
N/A	Bronze	Wisconsin Lutheran High School