

i ABOUT OUR SCHOOL

OUR HISTORY

Wisconsin Connections Academy is a public school serving students in grades 4K–12 from across the state. Our students come from urban, suburban, and rural communities. The school was founded during the 2002–2003 school year as a K–8 school. Wisconsin Connections Academy added high school in 2011.

OUR MISSION

Wisconsin Connections Academy's mission is learning online through a strong family-school partnership. WCA provides a rigorous curriculum while balancing flexibility with accountability.

OUR PROGRAM

Wisconsin Connections Academy includes a four-year comprehensive high school program with an enrollment of 300 students. Here are some important facts about the Wisconsin Connections Academy program:

- Wisconsin Connections Academy has 25 certified/licensed professional staff.
- School is in session 180 days between the months of September and June.
- Students can earn up to 8 credits during the school year.

HIGH SCHOOL VIRTUAL VISITATION

College and University representatives are cordially invited to connect with our students through web-conferencing technology. A two-week advanced notice is greatly appreciated so that we have time to notify students. For more information about setting up a web conference session, please contact Jeff LeMahieu at lemahieujeff@asd.k12.wi.us.



ADVANCED COURSE OPTIONS

Wisconsin Connections Academy offers a diverse and comprehensive curriculum, with courses in a wide range of disciplines. The core curriculum is geared toward preparing students for college and beyond. All science courses include hands-on laboratory units. Students have access to AP, Honors, College Preparatory and Basic programs. Students also have the opportunity to participate in Post-Secondary Enrollment Options (PSEO) program, whereby they can earn dual high school and college credit by attending postsecondary institutions.

AP course offerings include: Psychology, Environmental Science, U.S. History, Spanish Language, Calculus AB and Calculus BC.

Honors course offerings include: English 9–12, Algebra I & II, Geometry, Pre-Calculus, Chemistry, American Government, US History, and World History.

Please feel free to view all of our high school courses at <http://www.connectionsacademy.com/wisconsin-virtual-school/curriculum/high-school/courses>

CONTACT INFORMATION

<https://www.connectionsacademy.com/wisconsin-virtual-school>

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TOP 5 ELITE SCHOOLS TO WHICH STUDENTS ACCEPTED:

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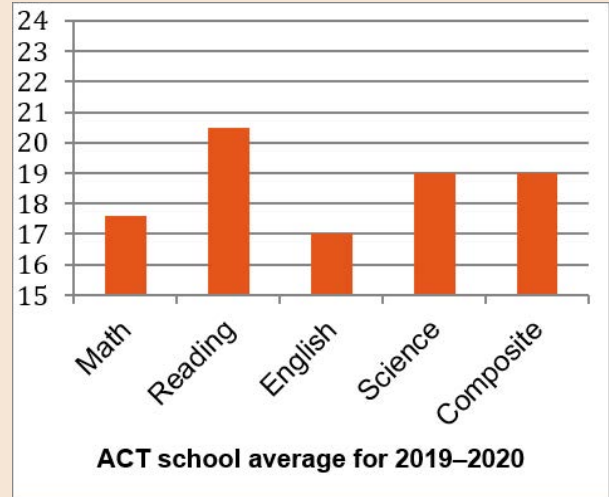
University of Minnesota, University of Wisconsin-Madison, St. Norbert, Michigan Tech University



GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Wisconsin Connections Academy operates on a semester system utilizing Carnegie units. One semester class equals one-half of a high school credit. The typical course load is six classes per semester. 23 Carnegie units of credit are required for graduation. Specific requirements include:

Area/Subjects	#Units for Graduation
Language Arts	4
Math	3
Science	3
Social Studies	3
Health	.5
Personal Fitness	1.5
Fine Arts	1
Personal Finance	.5
Other Electives	6.5
Total	23



GRADE SCALE

The numerical grading scale is as follows:

Grade	Grade %	Passing?	Non-Weighted
A+	100	Yes	4.00
A	93 - 99	Yes	4.00
A-	90 - 92	Yes	3.67
B+	88 - 89	Yes	3.33
B	83 - 87	Yes	3.00
B-	80 - 82	Yes	2.67
C+	78 - 79	Yes	2.33
C	73 - 77	Yes	2.00
C-	70 - 72	Yes	1.67
D+	68 - 69	Yes	1.33
D	63 - 67	Yes	1.00
D-	60 - 62	Yes	0.67
F	0 - 59	No	0.00

Plans for the class of 2020-2021

Plan	%
Two-year college	35
Four-year college	25
Employment	37
Military	3
Total	100