

**BARNEVELD SCHOOL DISTRICT
GIFTED AND TALENTED PROGRAM**

IDENTIFICATION OF GIFTED/TALENTED STUDENTS

The Barneveld School District Gifted and Talented Program is based on the Wisconsin Comprehensive Integrated Education Model. Programming mirrors the universal design intervention model for exceptional needs. The services of the program are within three levels:

- A. Universal
- B. Selected
- C. Targeted

All students are entitled to Universal Curriculum. Students with exceptional abilities also deserve and require additional services to achieve their potential.

The following guidelines should be used to identify students for the gifted/talented program:

- A. Referral form completed by teacher(s) or parent(s) based on grades and/or checklists of personal characteristics.
- B. Multiple data points will be utilized for the identification process that may include but are not limited to:
 - Standardized test scores (Above the 95th percentile)
 - Interest inventories
 - Performance data (classroom-based evidence such as digital portfolios, projects, written work, etc.)
 - District Benchmarking (Above the 95th percentile)
- C. No single measure will be used to exclude students from G/T opportunities.

The Gifted and Talented Coordinator shall be responsible for the coordination of the Program Opportunities; for parental participation and collaboration that shall be provided during the identification process and throughout program planning and implementation for each student.

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Legal Reference

Sections 118.3T

Wisconsin Statutes

PI 121.02 (l) (t)

Wisconsin Administrative Code

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BARNEVELD SCHOOL DISTRICT

WELLNESS

The Barneveld School district recognizes the link between good nutrition, adequate physical activity, and academic success. The Wellness Policy in accordance with the federal law under Section 204 of the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010 consists of the following addendums:

1. A commitment to Wellness
2. Quality school meals.
3. Healthy options for parties, fundraising, vending and other school events.
4. Healthy eating environment.
5. Physical and nutritional education and other physical activity.
6. Promoting healthy choices.
7. Implementation and evaluation.

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Legal Reference: Sections 118.01 (2) (d) Wisconsin Statutes
 118.12
 118.33 (1) (a)
 120.13
 120.02 (1) (j), (k) and (L)
 121.91 (4) (i) Healthy, Hunger-Free Schools Act of 2010

PI 8.01 (2) (j), Wisconsin Administrative Code
Child Nutrition and WIC Reauthorization Act of 2004.

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EVALUATIONS OF PROFESSIONAL STAFF

The District Administrator and administrative staff shall generate procedures for evaluating certified staff to serve as a basis for improving instruction. The procedures shall serve as a starting point for sound decision making as well as for counseling and inservice training for continual professional growth. They shall not only provide for the identification and improvement of staff skills and abilities that enhance the learning process, but also for the orderly dismissal of those who do not meet the standards of the Barneveld School District. The procedures shall be developed by the District Administrator and administrative staff with the involvement of the professional staff and shall be subject to periodic review for updating and revision. All certified staff evaluations will be based on the Board adopted job description contained in Board Policy.

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Legal Reference: **Section 121.02 (1) (q) Wisconsin Statutes**
 PI 8.01 (2) (q) Wisconsin Administrative Code

Cross Reference:

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BARNEVELD SCHOOL DISTRICT
STUDENT TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

The Barneveld School District is required by State law to provide transportation to and from school for students residing two or more miles from school in the District's attendance area. In addition to normal school day bus transportation for students, the Board of Education will provide for the transportation of students to extra-curricular activities. The District is also required to provide transportation service to other students as outlined in the statute.

The board shall provide transportation for students with disabilities in accordance with applicable laws and as required by their Individualized Education Program (IEP's).

The district shall not provide transportation of nonresident students who are accepted under the open enrollment program. Transportation shall be provided by the parent to and from the assigned school. Parents may contract with the district for transportation services from a scheduled district bus stop.

The scheduling of school bus routes and location of bus stops shall be determined by the District Administrator and the Transportation Coordinator. Decisions regarding the adequacy of turn-around areas shall also be made by the District Administrator and the Transportation Coordinator.

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Legal Ref.: Sections 115.787 Wisconsin Statutes
 118.51 (14)
 118.52 (11)
 121.51 – 121.58

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BARNEVELD SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOOL BUS USE – NON SCHOOL USE

School district buses shall be made available for non-school use when such use does not interfere with the regularly scheduled student transportation to or from school; student transportation for school activities and functions; or required bus maintenance and service.

District school buses shall be made available for use only by school district groups consisting of school-age children and their adult sponsors; or use by district church/service groups consisting of adults of whom a majority is district residents. Furthermore, such use shall be limited to sponsorship by an organization recognized and approved by the Barneveld School Board.

Each group wishing to arrange for use of district school buses must file a written request early enough for the Administrator or his/her designee to take appropriate actions. A response to the request will be made within a reasonable time.

When the use of a school bus is authorized, the following stipulations apply:

1. The driver must be a fully licensed Barneveld school bus driver.
2. The organization must pay the cost of the bus operation which includes the driver's salary and a per mile cost determined in accordance with school district cost of operation.
3. The organization must comply with all requirements of the district's insurance carrier and school board policies.

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