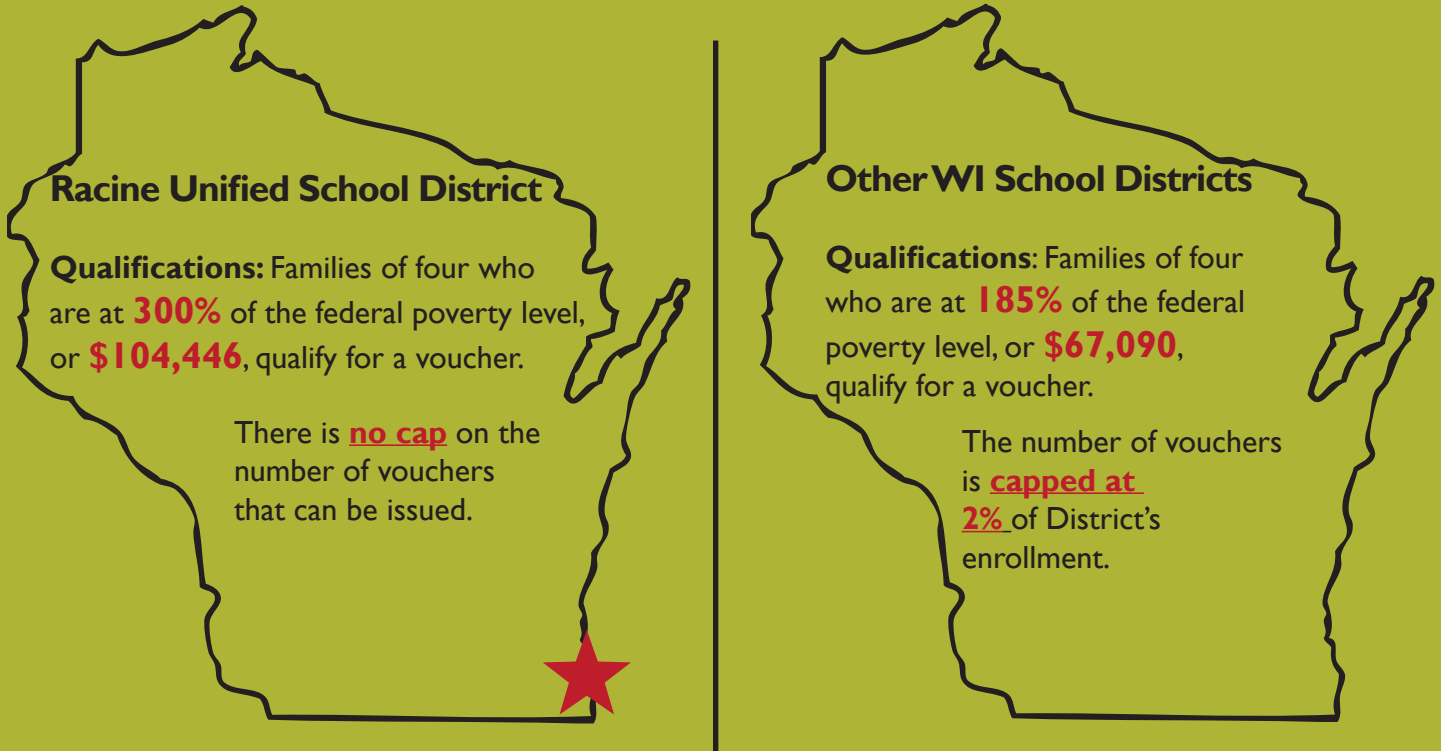


Wisconsin Voucher Plan

School vouchers are state funded scholarships that pay for qualifying students to attend private schools. In the past, voucher money came from the state education budget. New legislation now requires local taxpayers to support vouchers.



How do we pay for these vouchers?



Student that has never attended RUSD decides to take a voucher.



New Legislation: Increased property tax levy pays for voucher. RUSD tax levy is expected to increase **\$2.5 million**.



Student leaving RUSD to attend a voucher school.



District budget absorbs cost of the voucher through budget adjustments.



Voucher Cost

\$7,210 for an elementary student

\$7,856 for secondary students

\$12,000 for students with educational disability