

**MONTHLY**

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# Kicking Off *The School Year*

As summer winds down, it's time to head back to school! We hope everyone is enjoying these first weeks back, feeling energized, productive, and excited for what the new school year will bring. Soon, we will be sending an email to all participating choice schools with more details on how School Choice Wisconsin can help you succeed this year. If your school has new administrators who are not yet receiving our updates, please let us know so we can make sure they have the resources they need.

We know this is a busy time for schools, and we are just a phone call away to assist. With the September 19 count date approaching, we encourage schools to reach out with

any questions well in advance. Whether it is guidance on compliance, program updates, or best practices, we are here to help you navigate the start of the year smoothly.

Here at SCW, we are also in a season of change. We continue our search for a new organizational leader and are preparing to move offices this fall. Even amid these transitions, our commitment remains the same: planning for the road ahead and working to expand and protect parental education options in Wisconsin. On the next page, you will find highlights from our end-of-summer efforts, including successful school supply giveaways, research reports that have gained national attention, and more.

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without you**

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# NEW RESEARCH REPORT

Earlier this month, SCW released a report analyzing data from the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction that demonstrates how effective choice schools are compared to their public counterparts.

[READ THE REPORT](#)

## JOB OPENING: SCW PRESIDENT

We are seeking a new President to help guide our organization in expanding and protecting parental educational options for Wisconsin Families. [Click here](#) to learn more about the position and how to apply.



SCW has been featured in several news outlets this month highlighting our cost-effectiveness report. Click the links below to read more.

- [The Center Square: "Choice Schools see better scores despite fewer taxpayer dollars" \(Benjamin Yount\)](#)
- [The Jay Weber Show \(Scott Manley\)](#)
- [Next Steps: "School Choice in Wisconsin: Positive Results, Less Cost" \(George Mitchell\)](#)
- [Badger Institute: "Private schools in Wisconsin's choice programs prove far more effective with taxpayer money" \(Patrick McIlheran\)](#)
- [Daily Caller: "School Choice Produces Better Outcomes With Less Taxpayer Money In Wisconsin. Report Finds"](#)
- [Dairyland Sentinel: "Private-Choice Schools Outperform Public Counterparts in Cost-Effectiveness, New Report Finds"](#)

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## BACK TO SCHOOL EVENTS

Take a look at highlights from our back-to-school giveaway events this month! We visited Milwaukee and Racine to give away 576 units of school supplies and backpacks to students starting their school years.

These events would not have been as successful without help from our generous donors/sponsors: The Libre Initiative, Paleteria Yayo, Midwest Bookkeeping, Los Villas Restaurant, Touch up Threading Salon, Siena Catholic Schools, and more. Thank you for your contributions!



## HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH ART COMPETITION

Stay tuned next month for details about Hispanics for School Choice's annual art competition!