

Home-Schooled Students Attending Courses in the Public Schools -A student participating in a home-based private educational program (a home-schooled student), regardless of grade level, may now take up to two courses during a semester at any public school (i.e., not just in the district in which they reside), according to a new state law- section 118.53 of the state statutes. Home-schooled students may attend such public school courses provided all of the following conditions are met: (1) the student has met the standards for admission to the course at that grade level, (2) there is sufficient space in the classroom, and (3) the student takes no more than two courses in any public school in the state during any semester. A student could take two courses in one school district or one course in each of two different districts

For purposes of this law, "course" means study which has the fundamental purposes of developing the knowledge, concepts, and skills in a subject.

Home-schooled students previously could only take up to two courses in the public high school in their school district of residence, similar to private school students and tribal school students under section 118.145 (4) of the state statutes.