



McFarland Spartans
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McFarland School District

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Vision Resources

BadgerCare

- If your child is on BadgerCare they can receive an eye exam and glasses annually. Please call the number on the back of your child's health care card to find a vision care provider or you can look up your child's HMO contact number in the link [here](#). Member services by phone at 800-362-3002.
- Instructions also on [this website](#) to find a vision care provider within this network as well as information on ordering frames and lenses.
- If you currently do not have BadgerCare Plus but would like more information: visit DHS' web page with [basic information](#) about Badgercare Plus as well as [how to apply](#).

VSP Vision Eyes of Hope

Eyes of Hope is a program that is available to assist children with the cost of an eye exam and glasses if needed. To qualify the following criteria must be met:

- Family income is at or below 200% of poverty level
- Child is not covered by Medicaid (BadgerCare) or any other vision insurance
- Child is 19 years old or younger and has not graduated from high school
- Child has not used a voucher during the last 12 months

Your student's health office works to obtain a certain number of gift certificates for families who qualify for this program. Please contact District Nurse, Stephanie Peplinski at Peplins@mcfbsd.org if you are interested in more information.

- Visit VSP Vision's [website](#) for more detailed information on this program, where to find local doctors in this network as well as information on mobile clinics.

Lions Club

- The Lions Club is a globally recognized organization that, among other things, strongly advocates for the blind and visually impaired through promoting and coordinating children's vision screenings and eyeglasses donations
- Connect with the [McFarland Lions Club](#) for possible eyeglass donations and/or vouchers for eye exams

Vision USA

- A program run by the Wisconsin Optometric Association that offers comprehensive eye care services for children 18 years of age and younger who meet eligibility requirements.
- See [this document](#) for detailed information, eligibility requirements and instructions on how to apply.

Eyecare America

- This program is offered nation-wide for eligible persons.
- See if your student qualifies by completing the questionnaire on their [website](#).

4K-2
Conrad Elvehjem Primary School
6009 Johnson St
(608) 838-3146

3-5
Waubesa Intermediate School
5605 Red Oak Trail
(608) 838-7667

6-8
Indian Mound Middle School
6330 Exchange St
(608) 838-8980

9-12
McFarland High School
5103 Farwell St.
(608) 838-3166

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