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AGE	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	16	2.0	169	2.1	718	1.9
Total known information	775	100.0	7977	100.0	36634	100.0
Under 3 years	5	0.6	146	1.8	1330	3.6
From 3 to 5 years	56	7.2	677	8.5	3448	9.4
From 6 to 9 years	184	23.7	1727	21.6	7825	21.4
From 10 to 13 years	250	32.3	2416	30.3	10198	27.8
From 14 to 17 years	226	29.2	2314	29.0	10121	27.6
18 years and older	54	7.0	697	8.7	3712	10.1
SEX	Wisconsin	%	Midwest	%	Nation	%
	N		N		N	
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	3	0.4	51	0.6	192	0.5
Total known information	788	100.0	8095	100.0	37160	100.0
Male	429	54.4	4440	54.8	20107	54.1
Female	359	45.6	3655	45.2	17053	45.9
RACE/ETHNIC BACKGROUND	Wisconsin	%	Midwest	%	Nation	%
	N		N		N	
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	5	0.6	82	1.0	571	1.5
Total known information	786	100.0	8064	100.0	36781	100.0
White	608	77.4	5125	63.6	17430	47.4
Black/African-American	29	3.7	1183	14.7	5566	15.1
Hispanic/Latino	54	6.9	951	11.8	10397	28.3
American Indian or Alaska Native	12	1.5	51	0.6	272	0.7
Asian or Pacific Islander	32	4.1	323	4.0	1542	4.2
Other	18	2.3	213	2.6	695	1.9
Multi-ethnic background indicated	33	4.2	218	2.7	879	2.4

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NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER (ELL)?	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	245	31.0	2932	36.0	12710	34.0
Total known information	546	100.0	5214	100.0	24642	100.0
Yes	92	16.8	696	13.3	5986	24.3
No	454	83.2	4518	86.7	18656	75.7
NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED?	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	258	32.6	3097	38.0	14481	38.8
Total known information	533	100.0	5049	100.0	22871	100.0
Yes	99	18.6	1304	25.8	8516	37.2
No	434	81.4	3745	74.2	14355	62.8
AGE AT ONSET OF HEARING LOSS	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	12	1.5	237	2.9	1264	3.4
Total known information	779	100.0	7909	100.0	36088	100.0
At birth	345	44.3	2933	37.1	14745	40.9
+Under two years of age	108	13.9	1198	15.1	5589	15.5
+Two years of age or over	60	7.7	685	8.7	2688	7.4
Unknown	266	34.1	3093	39.1	13066	36.2
ETIOLOGY **	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	39	4.9	475	5.8	2028	5.4
Total Known Information	752	100.0	7671	100.0	35324	100.0
Genetic/Hereditary/Familial	226	30.1	1755	22.9	8233	23.3
+Pregnancy Related	75	10.0	683	8.9	3424	9.7
+Post-Birth Disease or Injury	104	13.8	1079	14.1	4116	11.7
Cause cannot be determined/DNA***	360	47.9	4291	55.9	20147	57.0

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*** DNA - Data not available

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PARENT HEARING STATUS	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	34	4.3	743	9.1	3201	8.6
Total known info., Either Parent	757	100.0	7403	100.0	34151	100.0
Mother's status: Hearing	695	91.8	6802	91.9	31574	92.5
Hard of hearing	37	4.9	295	4.0	960	2.8
Deaf	23	3.0	268	3.6	1463	4.3
Data Not Available	2	0.3	38	0.5	154	0.5
Father's status: Hearing	660	87.2	6321	85.4	29460	86.3
Hard of hearing	34	4.5	218	2.9	699	2.0
Deaf	26	3.4	237	3.2	1276	3.7
Data Not Available	37	4.9	627	8.5	2716	8.0
Both parents hearing	636	84.0	6058	81.8	28498	83.4
Both parents deaf or hard of hearing	31	4.1	254	3.4	1284	3.8
One parent deaf/hh; other hearing	51	6.7	426	5.8	1499	4.4
One parent deaf/hh; other unknown	7	0.9	84	1.1	331	1.0
One parent hearing; other unknown	32	4.2	581	7.8	2539	7.4
HAS DEAF OR HARD OF HEARING SIBLINGS						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	8	1.0	198	2.4	1197	3.2
Total known information	783	100.0	7948	100.0	36155	100.0
Has deaf or hard of hearing siblings	133	17.0	1079	13.6	4819	13.3
Has no deaf or hard of hearing siblings	628	80.2	6174	77.7	27999	77.4
Data not available	22	2.8	695	8.7	3337	9.2

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UNAIDED AUDIOMETRIC THRESHOLD	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	157	19.8	1864	22.9	8113	21.7
Total known information	634	100.0	6282	100.0	29239	100.0
Earphone (preferred measurement)	570	89.9	5350	85.2	24343	83.3
Sound field	62	9.8	868	13.8	4272	14.6
DEGREE OF HEARING LOSS	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	86	10.9	1231	15.1	5753	15.4
Total known information	705	100.0	6915	100.0	31599	100.0
Normal (< 27 dB, ANSI)	160	22.7	1696	24.5	5972	18.9
Mild (27-40 dB, ANSI)	118	16.7	1144	16.5	4186	13.2
Moderate (41-55 dB, ANSI)	118	16.7	1036	15.0	4364	13.8
Mod-severe (56-70 dB, ANSI)	71	10.1	786	11.4	3830	12.1
Severe (71-90 dB, ANSI)	80	11.3	804	11.6	4411	14.0
Profound (91 dB and above, ANSI)	158	22.4	1449	21.0	8836	28.0

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COCHLEAR IMPLANT	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	8	1.0	164	2.0	730	2.0
Total known information	783	100.0	7982	100.0	36622	100.0
Have not had a cochlear implant	704	89.9	6898	86.4	31895	87.1
Have had a cochlear implant	77	9.8	1057	13.2	4609	12.6
Implant Use						
Total students	77	100.0	1057	100.0	4609	100.0
Information NOT reported	2	2.6	63	6.0	184	4.0
Total known information	75	100.0	994	100.0	4425	100.0
Implant still used	70	93.3	920	92.6	4092	92.5
Implant no longer used	5	6.7	74	7.4	333	7.5
COCHLEAR IMPLANT USE IN THE CLASSROOM						
Total students	77	100.0	1057	100.0	4609	100.0
Information NOT reported	3	3.9	63	6.0	304	6.6
Total known information	74	100.0	994	100.0	4305	100.0
Implant used in the classroom	68	91.9	928	93.4	3971	92.2
Implant not used in the classroom	6	8.1	66	6.6	334	7.8

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HEARING AID USED FOR INSTRUCTION?	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	29	3.7	319	3.9	1870	5.0
Total known information	762	100.0	7827	100.0	35482	100.0
Hearing aid used for instruction	457	60.0	4459	57.0	20824	58.7
Hearing aid not used for instruction	305	40.0	3368	43.0	14658	41.3
GROUP ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICE (ALD) USED FOR INSTRUCTION?	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	39	4.9	410	5.0	2278	6.1
Total known information	752	100.0	7736	100.0	35074	100.0
Group ALD used for instruction	342	45.5	3784	48.9	15378	43.8
Group ALD not used for instruction	410	54.5	3952	51.1	19696	56.2

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INSTRUCTIONAL SETTINGS **	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	1	0.1	46	0.6	354	0.9
Total known information	790	100.0	8100	100.0	36998	100.0
Special or center school	148	18.7	1470	18.1	9632	26.0
Reg. school setting w/hearing students	535	67.7	4692	57.9	15692	42.4
Self-contained clrm in reg. ed. setting	165	20.9	2433	30.0	7537	20.4
Resource room	197	24.9	1450	17.9	4477	12.1
Home	3	0.4	132	1.6	895	2.4
Other	29	3.7	219	2.7	1100	3.0
SERVICES RECEIVED **						
IN SUPPORT OF INSTRUCTION						
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	8	1.0	117	1.4	625	1.7
Total known information	783	100.0	8029	100.0	36727	100.0
No support services	49	6.3	550	6.9	2989	8.1
Sign interpreting	146	18.6	1947	24.2	8640	23.5
Oral interpreting	3	0.4	52	0.6	311	0.8
Cued speech transliteration	0	0.0	28	0.3	110	0.3
Itinerant teacher services	455	58.1	3793	47.2	14235	38.8
Tutoring	140	17.9	682	8.5	3520	9.6
Classroom inst. ass't/aide services	138	17.6	1333	16.6	7436	20.2
Adaptive PE	44	5.6	381	4.7	1707	4.6
#Vision services/Orientation & Mobility	14	1.8	94	1.2	477	1.3
Speech training/therapy	430	54.9	4568	56.9	21102	57.5
Auditory training	122	15.6	1288	16.0	8484	23.1
Counseling	70	8.9	995	12.4	3690	10.0
Occupational/Physical Therapy (OT/PT)	89	11.4	838	10.4	3577	9.7
Notetaking	51	6.5	365	4.5	1644	4.5
Real-time captioning/C-Print	2	0.3	41	0.5	314	0.9
Other	88	11.2	802	10.0	4690	12.8

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HRS/WK INTEGRATED WITH NON-DISABLED HEARING STUDENTS	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	6	0.8	203	2.5	952	2.5
Total known information	785	100.0	7943	100.0	36400	100.0
None	172	21.9	2212	27.8	12799	35.2
1 to 5 hours/week	71	9.0	885	11.1	3573	9.8
6 to 15 hours/week	76	9.7	944	11.9	4043	11.1
16 to 25 hours/week	119	15.2	924	11.6	3849	10.6
26 or more hours/week	347	44.2	2978	37.5	12136	33.3
GRADE IN WHICH STUDENT IS ENROLLED						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	194	24.5	2228	27.4	9606	25.7
Total Known Information	597	100.0	5918	100.0	27746	100.0
Early Childhood Intervention	22	3.7	288	4.9	1709	6.2
Pre-kindergarten	22	3.7	299	5.1	1830	6.6
Kindergarten	38	6.4	335	5.7	1577	5.7
1st Grade	39	6.5	340	5.7	1691	6.1
2nd Grade	38	6.4	387	6.5	1658	6.0
3rd Grade	40	6.7	394	6.7	1748	6.3
4th Grade	41	6.9	423	7.1	1790	6.5
5th Grade	41	6.9	465	7.9	1963	7.1
6th Grade	58	9.7	493	8.3	2119	7.6
7th Grade	52	8.7	444	7.5	1970	7.1
8th Grade	52	8.7	466	7.9	1960	7.1
9th Grade	45	7.5	414	7.0	2008	7.2
10th Grade	44	7.4	424	7.2	1937	7.0
11th Grade	40	6.7	388	6.6	1827	6.6
12th Grade	25	4.2	349	5.9	1812	6.5

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COMMUNICATION MODE PRIMARILY USED TO TEACH	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	11	1.4	39	0.5	411	1.1
Total known information	780	100.0	8107	100.0	36941	100.0
Speech only	452	57.9	4726	58.3	19061	51.6
Sign with speech	168	21.5	2762	34.1	13120	35.5
Sign only	153	19.6	532	6.6	4136	11.2
Cued Speech	0	0.0	26	0.3	92	0.2
Other	7	0.9	61	0.8	532	1.4
SIGN USE IN THE HOME						
	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	49	6.2	248	3.0	1435	3.8
Total known information	742	100.0	7898	100.0	35917	100.0
Family members regularly sign	188	25.3	1812	22.9	8733	24.3
Family members do not regularly sign	541	72.9	5926	75.0	25494	71.0
Data not available	13	1.8	160	2.0	1690	4.7
LANGUAGE(S)USED IN THE HOME **						
	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	32	4.0	143	1.8	754	2.0
Total known information	759	100.0	8003	100.0	36598	100.0
English	708	93.3	7248	90.6	30453	83.2
Spanish	48	6.3	789	9.9	7819	21.4
#Chinese	0	0.0	13	0.2	83	0.2
#Vietnamese	0	0.0	9	0.1	105	0.3
#Korean	0	0.0	9	0.1	53	0.1
#Filipino/Tagalog	0	0.0	11	0.1	120	0.3
#Arabic	0	0.0	77	1.0	151	0.4
#Russian	0	0.0	11	0.1	62	0.2
#Hmong/Miao	18	2.4	123	1.5	144	0.4
#ASL	2	0.3	99	1.2	658	1.8
Other	10	1.3	215	2.7	1182	3.2
Data not available	3	0.4	27	0.3	211	0.6

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ADDIT. EDUC. RELEVANT CONDITIONS **	Wisconsin		Midwest		Nation	
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Total students	791	100.0	8146	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	40	5.1	408	5.0	1646	4.4
Total known information	751	100.0	7738	100.0	35706	100.0
No condition in addition to deafness	332	44.2	3934	50.8	17340	48.6
Visual impairment	25	3.3	268	3.5	1281	3.6
Deaf-blindness	9	1.2	83	1.1	513	1.4
Developmental delay	23	3.1	267	3.5	1368	3.8
Specific learning disability	77	10.3	760	9.8	2868	8.0
Orthopedic impairment (includes CP)	25	3.3	261	3.4	1439	4.0
Attention Deficit Disorder (ADD/ADHD)	60	8.0	525	6.8	1836	5.1
Speech or language impairment	211	28.1	1421	18.4	8893	24.9
Traumatic brain injury	0	0.0	23	0.3	107	0.3
Mental retardation	62	8.3	685	8.9	2849	8.0
Emotional disturbance	25	3.3	185	2.4	638	1.8
Autism	11	1.5	117	1.5	469	1.3
Other health impairments	19	2.5	274	3.5	1277	3.6

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