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Policy vs. population

Current rules, hunting pressure fail to control swelling deer herd

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In his foreword to the 1956 book “The White-tailed Deer in Wisconsin,” L.P. Voigt, then director of the Wisconsin Conservation Department – forerunner to the Department of Natural Resources – gave a succinct explanation of management of the state’s official wildlife animal. • “Throughout most of Wisconsin’s conservation history we had a very simple objective concerning the white-tailed deer: produce more deer,” Voigt wrote. “In this effort we succeeded remarkably well.” • Voigt (1915-2005) then referenced the challenges of controlling deer numbers, which in places of the state were so high that the herbivores had destroyed their browse and starved.

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A deer is seen Sunday, Nov. 8, 2020, in Bayside.
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STATE REPORT CARD



Students congregate before the start of classes at Madison Elementary School, Tuesday, September 2 in Manitowoc. GARY C. KLEIN/USA TODAY NETWORK-WISCONSIN

Manitowoc Public School District gets same rating for third year

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MANITOWOC – The Manitowoc Public School District again received a “meets few expectations” rating from the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction. The DPI released 2024-2025 state report cards this week for all public schools and districts, and this is the third year in a row MPSD has been rated at “meets few expectations.” “We’re proud of the growth and effort across all of our schools,” MPSD Superintendent Lee Thennes said. “Our work is centered on continuous improvement and ensuring every student has the support and opportunities they need to succeed. We are committed to raising our ratings and improving outcomes in the next report card.” The DPI publishes report cards each year for every publicly funded school and district in Wisconsin, and those reports include data in four categories: achievement, growth, target group outcomes and on-track to graduation. Further, each district and school is given an “overall score,” which places it in one of five categories — significantly exceeds expectations, exceeds expectations, meets expectations, meets few expectations and fails to meet expectations. In the MPSD, Riverview and Madison elementary schools received “exceeds expectations” ratings, while McKinley Academy “fails to meet expectations.” Here are the report card scores from the three largest school districts in Manitowoc County.

- Manitowoc Public School District
- Entire district: 56.5, meets few expectations
 - Lincoln High School: 53.4, meets few expectations
 - Washington Middle School: 56, meets few expectations
 - Wilson Middle School: 62.5, meets expectations
 - McKinley Academy: 35.4, fails to meet expectations
 - Franklin Elementary School: 64.4, meets expectations
 - Jackson Elementary School: 60, meets expectations
 - Jefferson Elementary School: 54.7, meets few expectations
 - Madison Elementary School:

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