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# **Whitney School in Green Bay, Brown County Placed on the State Register of Historic Places**

**Green Bay , Wis.** - The Wisconsin Historical Society placed the Whitney School (Green Bay, Brown County) on the State Register of Historic Places on May 19, 2017.

The Whitney School, designed in the Classical Revival style, was built in 1918 during a wave of public school construction in the early twentieth century. It survives as one of only three schools representing the boom in elementary school building in the City between 1900 and 1920. It was designed by Foeller and Schober, an architecture firm which specialized in the construction of institutional buildings, especially schools, in northeastern Wisconsin during the first quarter of the nineteenth century, and who built many schools in Green Bay.

The State Register is Wisconsin's official list of state properties determined to be significant to Wisconsin's heritage. The State Historic Preservation Office at the Wisconsin Historical Society administers both the State Register and National Register in Wisconsin.

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