

v2016a Upgrade

Release Notes



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Category	Reason	Release Topic
State Reporting – SIRS	Required Client Enhancement Requests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintain SIRS Certification Requirements • Making updates to 201617 Course Instructor Assignment (equivalent to School Educator Assignment); Student Class Entry Exit (equivalent to student schedule) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Will provide instructions on how to export the data and what information will be required/how to enter it. • Student Daily Attendance Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ More information regarding this template is being delivered from state ○ BOCES reporting is Optional for 2016-17, REQUIRED for 2017-18. ONLY will report negative (absences) attendance. • Changed Mental Retardation terminology to Intellectually Disabled • Added a new validation option: Modules > State Reporting > State Reporting Validations > Student portion called “Blank Class Virtual Location”: Will display classes that have blank virtual location. Also looks for classes that have students enrolled and are missing a VLC (Virtual Location Code). Will revisit this validation once more information • New from the state – memo from 11/1/16 - Staff Student Course is now only reported for Assessment Courses (16 courses), no longer reported for all courses.
State Reporting – PIMS	Required Client Enhancement Requests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 201617 State Reporting Modifications: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ PIMS No Show Processing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Allow users to change the W(withdrawal) code and graduation status code for individual students ○ Added a validation option: Modules > State Reporting > State Reporting Validations > Calendar/Student Calendar portion called “Missed Students for Student Calendar Fact” which displays the students who are not

		<p>included in the Student Calendar Fact template.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Added a validation option: Modules > State Reporting > State Reporting Validations > School Enrollment portion called “Multi Location Changes”: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Applies only to multi location sites ▪ Will Show students with enrollment/schedule location discrepancies. ▪ Will show students with multi location E1 (entry status) enrollment exports with no location withdrawal ○ Added a validation option: Modules > State Reporting > State Reporting Validations > Student/Student Snapshot portion called “No PAsure ID / Len10”. This amends the current validation to check for .PAsureID’s less than 10 characters. ○ Added a validation: Modules > State Reporting > State Reporting Validations > Calendar/Student Calendar portion called “Invalid/No Sch Schedule”. This will show students with an invalid school schedule or no school schedule ○ PDE 408 Career Objective Form Changes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ SOC Code was added ○ Removed the Multi-Racial race option from the race dropdown ○ Modified column CB (Gifted and Talented) on Student template to codes: GY, GN. ○ Changed Mental Retardation terminology to Intellectually Disabled ○ Added new fields to PIMS Program Fact template ○ Added Combined Location functionality to the Export Process in PRIOR Year PIMS module.
State Reporting – CDE (CA)	Required	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● E1/E2 Reports ● Perkins Reports

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Race Updates • CALPADS Course Codes Changes • Enrollment Entry Codes
Post Grad Survey	Enhancement request from NY Usergroup	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Added Intensity Filter dropdown to only see the students who are identified as the intensity selected. • Added Intensity % based on filtered selection above – which shows the survey results for only that Intensity. • The changes to this module have no effect on the CTEDS report. Rather the changes were made to make it visually easier to understand your survey responses, show the correct numbers and see the proper students.
System Navigator	Case # 15281	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fixed the “Days in Session” found at the bottom of the System Navigator that was not updating when a user switched locations.
Admin Attendance	Enhancements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attendance by Sending School Module – added a checkbox list to select multiple schools at once for quicker processing. • Created new module “Non Classroom Hours” that allows HH:MM and a comment to be entered for a student/class for a specific type of hours. Hours types are set up in Master Codes Maintenance 003100-03199. Turn this feature on in ClassMate Custom Control > Attendance Tab “Non Class Hours Collected”. • California - Created new module: “Class Exception Bulk Attendance” which is used to identify multiple courses/classes and process attendance for specific date(s)/ranges.
Admin Grading	Enhancements Fixes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add-On: Added Alpha/Letter Grading capabilities which allows to enter a letter grade in lieu of a numerical grade. New module: Admin Grades by Student/Class w/ Alpha • Admin Grades by Student/Class – added a “Student not found” prompt if searching for a student that produces no results

<p>Online District Registration (Add-On)</p>	<p>Client Submitted Cases</p> <p>Enhancements</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Student Import/Entry module – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Added filter to New Student Import/Entry module to filter by Student Status -Matched all fields in module to Student Registration Information • Added ability for Returning Student to enter requests in up to 3 courses in 1 or multiple locations. • Added ability for New Student to enter requests in 1 or multiple locations. • Added Preference 1, 2, and 3 to the Portal grid • Added ability to identify customized Required Fields on the Manual Entry Form • New/Return Approval/Processing module– <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Added Student Registration override option when processing students. This will override information that is currently in Student Registration Information and update it with the data coming through the portal from an updated import file. -CHANGED how to accept students. You now must add an Accepted Choice number and this accepts the student. Added ability to identify which preference a student is accepted into, also has a bulk option to apply that preference to all students. All preferences are still processed through to Student Registration Information.
<p>Parking Permits</p>	<p>Enhancement</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Added a sending school principal in addition to the CTC/BOCES Principal. Set up the Sending School Principal in Personnel Management > School tab. • Corrected issue where states dropdown display were not displaying correctly.
<p>Instructional Time Summary</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Modified the location drop down so that when you select a new location, the tab focus returns to tab 1.
<p>Student Locator</p>	<p>Case # 16153</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fixed module so that even if no contacts exist, the student will display
<p>Discipline / Anecdotal</p>	<p>Case # 16427</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Corrected the process when 2 users are entering a note on same student at same time. System will

		increment second saved record until a valid number is found.
Teacher Grading	Case # 16051	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corrected CFM & PDP functionality option so that when turning one or the other on/off, the appropriate function disables in the teacher module.
Student Master Information	Case # 16006	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Career Objective – corrected process that was incorrectly updating CTE Course with Academic course
Instructional Course Offerings Instructional Course Offerings by Location	Updates Enhancements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Updated triggers so that when saving a class that is class about 0, it doesn't insert the zeros into the schedules class about field which was causing inability to take attendance for those students (Case #16627) Changed the Alternate Course Code selection dropdown to load in order by code. Add-On: Added a field on the Class tab, "Use Alpha Grade" to be used when purchasing Alpha Letter Grading functionality.
Special Populations (Student Master) Special Populations (Student Registration)	Client Enhancement Requests Fixes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added automation to the Disabled/IEP flag. When selecting a disability, it will automatically update the Disabled/IEP flag to True. If unchecked- and no other disabilities exist, the flag will update to False. Corrected issue with the Primary Disability not displaying for a student when using the Search feature.
Student Scheduling	Enhancement Fixes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Modified trigger which allows you to take attendance for 2 classes that are held the same period. When entering data in the search field, the found student will now display and be visible in the search tree.
Enrollment Processing	Fixes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> When entering data in the search field, the found student will now display and be visible in the search tree.
Student Transcripts	Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added a message "Archive Access Read Only". This will prevent any edits or deletes for the Archive Read Only information.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DOES NOT APPLY to ClassMate datasource. • Applies to clients accessing ClassMate application in cm_training or any other alternate DB they have been provided.
Student Profile	Submitted by multiple clients	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Corrected the issue where some tabs were not showing data (Referrals, Anecdotal, Medical Alerts)
Personnel Management	Enhancement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School Personnel Tab – added a Principal check box (for use with Parking Permits update)
Employee Management	Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Added trigger/message so that if you try to delete a teacher that has course assignments it will not allow you to. • Added trigger/message so that if you try to delete a teacher that has SIRS/PIMS assignments it will not allow you to.
Knowledge Weights by Class	Fixes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Modified triggers to prevent the duplicate key error message that was appearing when trying to change weights.
Career Pathway Management	Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Added SOC Code • SOC = Standard Occupational Classification - from the O*NET website
Calendar Session Management	Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add-On - Added new fields “Edit Start Date” and “Edit End Date” which are to be used with the Alpha/Letter Grading capabilities. These dates are to be entered to signal when teachers may begin to enter Alpha/Letter grades (must be AFTER the marking period is closed). Also added alert messages if the dates entered are not valid.
CRDC from Live Database	Enhancement Request from NY Usergroup	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Module! Added a Current Year module and Report for verification purposes of CRDC data prior to rollover.
ClassMate ID Control	Fixes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fixed procedures when re-assigning a Student ID
Rollover Processing	Fixes Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fixed procedure during rollover which was causing issues at some client sites when archiving senior pictures. • Summer School – modified procedure to verify and correct the Summer Calendar attached to users after rollover.

System Administrator	Fixes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MP Close process- fixed the Transcript/Credit insert process missing from the MP close process.
Data Export Wizard	Fixes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corrected an issue where all % Curriculum Completed were exporting out as a 0.
Archive Update	Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added a message “Archive Access Read Only”, so that information that should not be edited or deleted is prevented to do so. DOES NOT APPLY to ClassMate datasource. Applies to clients accessing ClassMate application in cm_training or any other alternate DB they have been provided.

Reports			
Report	New/Modification	Description	Reason
Enrollment Membership Summary [cac_p07]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Changed default value for Special Ed parameter to be No 	Client Request
Archive Enrollment Membership Summary [cac_p207]	New	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Archive version of the Enrollment Membership Summary 	Standard
Student by District Labels – 3 up [SLB_026]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Removed teacher table from report 	Case # 16144
Task Grades by Task Report [cur_004]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added Starting/Ending Grade level parameter Removed start date column 	Case # 16230
Archive Student POS Task List [SPOSLST_RA]	New	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Archive version of the Student POS Task List 	Case # 13813
Attendance Submission Report [att_029]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added missing attendance only parameter Added day about and period meets check to only display classes that meet on the date parameter 	Client Request
Sending School Personnel Report [SPA_001]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added portal access field, sending counselor field, notification email field. Added starting/ending school name parameter 	Client Request
PDE-408 Career Objective Form [pde_408]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fixed spelling error Added SOC Code 	Case # 17024

Alphabetical Student Roster by Home [ROS_027]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Changed filter from prog_id > 000027 to include class type "V" or "O" 	Case # 17103
Admin Student Work Ethic Comments [STW_002]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fixed report to print pre-defined comments even if free form comments were not used 	Case # 17400
Failure Report – No Attendance [STG_027]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fixed the City issue in Header 	Case # 17627
Failure Report [STG_004]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fixed the City issue in Header 	Case # 17627
Student Technical Hours Report [techHrs_R]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added Location Start/End parameter 	Case # 15880
Knowledge Activities by Student [SKN_001]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Changed to landscape Added Comments field 	Standard
Knowledge Activities by Activity [SKN_002]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Changed to landscape Added Comments field 	Standard
Student Knowledge Activity by Student [SKN_003]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Changed to landscape Added Comments field 	Standard
Student Knowledge Activity by Activity [SKN_004]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Changed to landscape Added Comments field 	Standard
Numerical Registration Roster	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added Active/Inactive parameter 	Case # 14855
Student Daily Work Ethics Report [att_017]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fixed report to print pre-defined comments even if free form comments were not used 	Case # 17785
Public School Enroll-PDE 4035-Detail [rac_002]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fixed Asian Ethnicity codes which were not pulling Added Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander 	Case # 18021
Male Ethnicity Details – PDE 4035 [per_009]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fixed Asian Ethnicity codes which were not pulling Added Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander 	Case # 18021
Female Ethnicity Details – PDE 4035 [per_008]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fixed Asian Ethnicity codes which were not pulling Added Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander 	Case # 18021
Public School Enroll-PDE 4035-Summary [STR_001]	Modification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fixed Asian Ethnicity codes which were not pulling Added Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander 	Case # 18021