

Introduction to: Documentation Linkage for Adult Education

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Overview

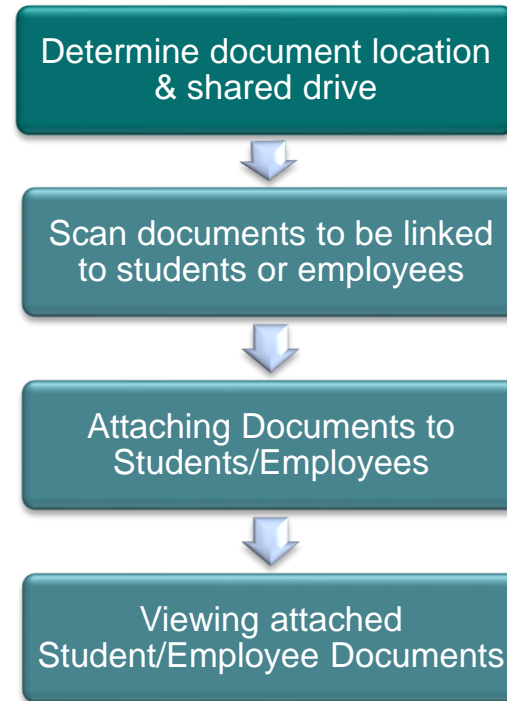
ClassMate for adult education enables users to link locally scanned .PDF documents directly to students or employees in a centralized database

Instructor Examples:

- Teaching License

Student Examples:

- High School Diploma/Transcript
- Background Check



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Module Assignment

Administrative Modules

Category: Student Processing

- Student Registration/Enrollment
- Student Snapshot

Category: Personnel Management

- Employee Management

Teacher Modules

Category: Teacher Discipline

- Student Snapshot



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Network Setup

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Getting Started

1. A centralized shared repository must be setup on the local network. A folder or folder structure somewhere in the network must be setup and shared.
2. Copy **ALL**.pdf files to be attached to students/employees in ClassMate and place within the shared folder structure
3. A client connect to the share must be established on all clients that will either attach or view documents from that share. The share letter must be the same for all local users. For example, if the share is setup on one client as the I: drive, then all clients must have the share setup as the I: drive
This can be any drive except C: M: V: or Z:
4. The drive designation that has been setup at a local site must be provided to ClassMate in order to allow for the necessary adjustments. These modifications will allow the shared drive, on the supplied designator, to be mapped. This mapped share will then be available as a browsing choice from within the ClassMate application
5. This mapping will occur when a user logs into either LaunchPad or the Published ClassMate application
6. **You can utilize NextCloud to sync your local network folder to ClassMate to allow for ease of document linking. Please contact Support if you require NextCloud credentials and visit our website for documentation on setup.**



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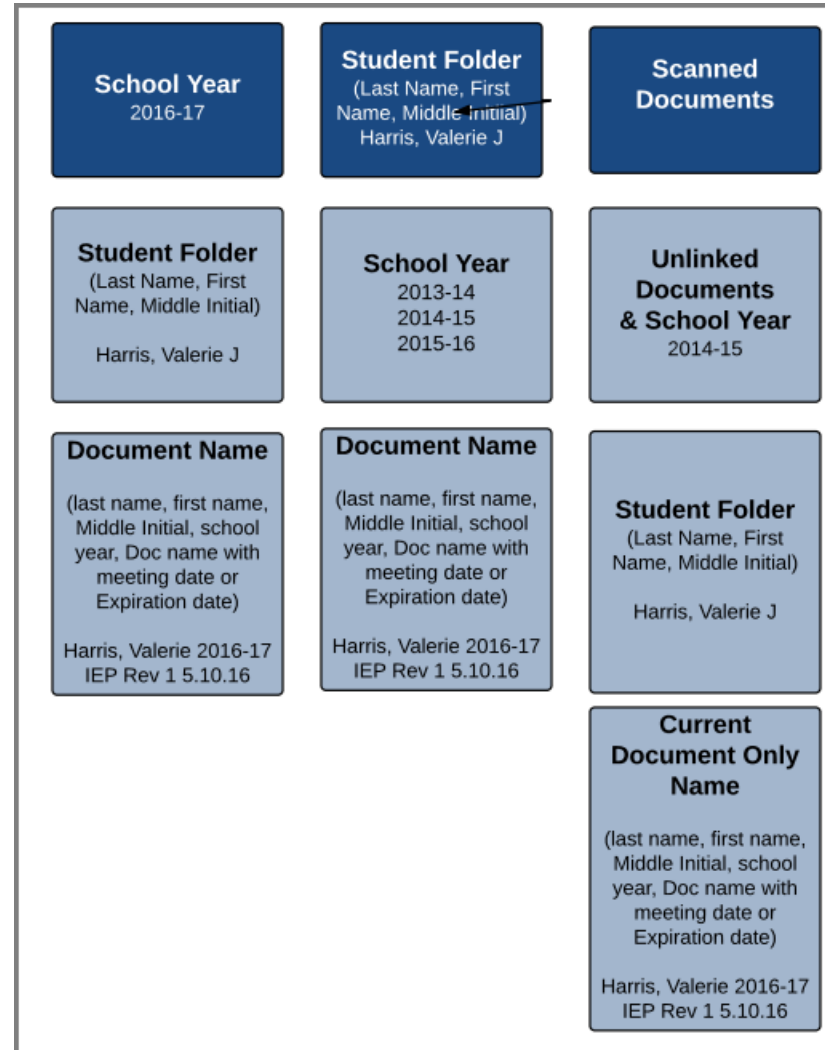


Best Practices: Network File Names

Prior to linking any document(s) sites must create a centralized location within their network to be shared. The locally stored documents will then be available to users to attach document(s) to student(s) via a newly mapped drive.

A file naming convention must be established and clearly communicated to staff that will be scanning, naming and linking the documents. A best practice is to mimic or recreate the filing structure you currently use outside of ClassMate. If you currently file documents by school year then create the top of the file structure by year.

A clear understanding of who, when and how files are linked, unlinked and archived must be created prior to any scanning and document linkage



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Linking Employee related Documents

The Employee Management module allows users the ability to link documentation to specific employees. Documents such as required employment forms, teaching licenses, etc. are useful to have on hand in the event of an audit. These documents must be saved in PDF file format in order to be linked within ClassMate. The documents linked can then be viewed by staff with specific modules assigned. This functionality should be limited to administrative staff.

To link documentation to a student in the PDF file format :

Modules > Personnel Management > Employee Management - Note: ONLY PDF documents can be attached

1. Select the **Employee**
2. Select the **Linked Documents Tab**. This tab name can be customized
3. **Browse** to the file location you would like to link by clicking the **BLUE BROWSE** button. Select the .PDF file desired (this is the ONLY) acceptable file format that can be used

The screenshot shows the 'Employee Management' interface for 'Adriana Andersen, #00000358'. The 'Linked Documents' tab is selected and circled with a red circle and a '2'. Below the tab is a 'View Document' button and a table of linked documents.

Name	Last Updated	Location	ID
201718 AndersenA background	08/30/2017 2:06:50 PM	M:\ClassMate\AdultEd\Doc Linkage Samples\AE doc link...	5
test	09/12/2017 11:31:26 AM	M:\IEP Docs\ClassLink ClassMate.pdf	6

The screenshot shows the 'Add A Document' form. The 'File Location' field contains 'V:\Users\HS81012\Desktop\linkagedoc.pdf' and is circled with a red circle and a '3'. The 'Form' dropdown menu is set to 'Teaching Certificate'. The 'Name' field contains 'Teaching Certificate'. There is a 'Browse' button next to the file location field and an 'Add Doc' button at the bottom right.



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Linking Employee related Documents



- 4 If you are attaching a form that you track on the forms tab, using the drop down menu, select the **form**
- 5 If you selected a form, the **Document Name** will auto populate with the exact form name. If you have not selected a form, manually enter the form name in the field
- 6 Add the selected document/form by Clicking the **BLUE ADD DOC** button. The document will now display in the grid, along with any other previously linked documents. If you have selected a form, the form will be marked on the forms tab

Add A Document

File Location 3

Form 4

Name 5 6

General | Position | Rates | Qualified Courses | Forms | Create/Modify | **Linked Documents**

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201718 Harris, Sam Teaching License	04/03/2018 3:57:25 PM	M:\ClassMate\AdultEd\Doc Linkage Samples\AE doc link...	8
test	09/12/2017 11:31:26 AM	M:\IEP Docs\ClassLink ClassMate.pdf	6



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Viewing linked documents and tracking forms



7 Select the document then select the **BLUE VIEW DOCUMENT** button to display the .PDF document

8 If you selected a form, select the **Form Tab**, and you will see the form has been marked as having been received. The selected form can also be viewed from the forms tab

Name	Last Updated	Location	ID
Teaching Certificate	05/09/2018 8:34:38 AM	V:\Users\HS81012\Desktop\linkagedoc.pdf	2

Indicate which of the required forms have been received from this employee.

Form	Form ID	Document Location	Document ID
<input type="checkbox"/> FA FAFSA Application	001803		
<input type="checkbox"/> Job Application	001801		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Teaching Certificate	001802	V:\Users\HS81012\Desktop\linkagedoc.pdf	2



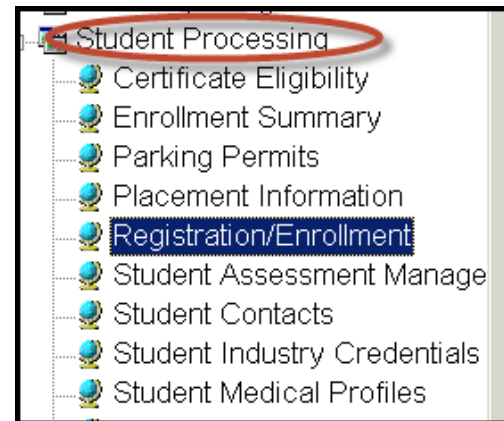
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Linking Student related Documents

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To link documentation to a student in the PDF file format :

Double Click **Modules** > Double click **Student Processing** > Click **Registration/Enrollment**



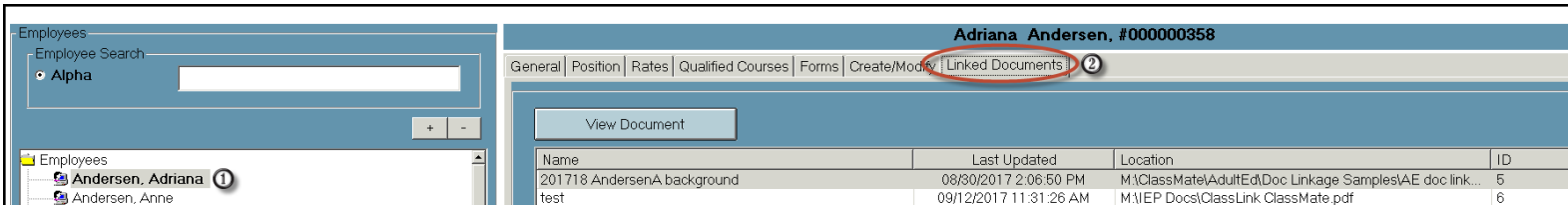
Note: ONLY PDF documents can be attached in ClassMate



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Linking Student related Documents

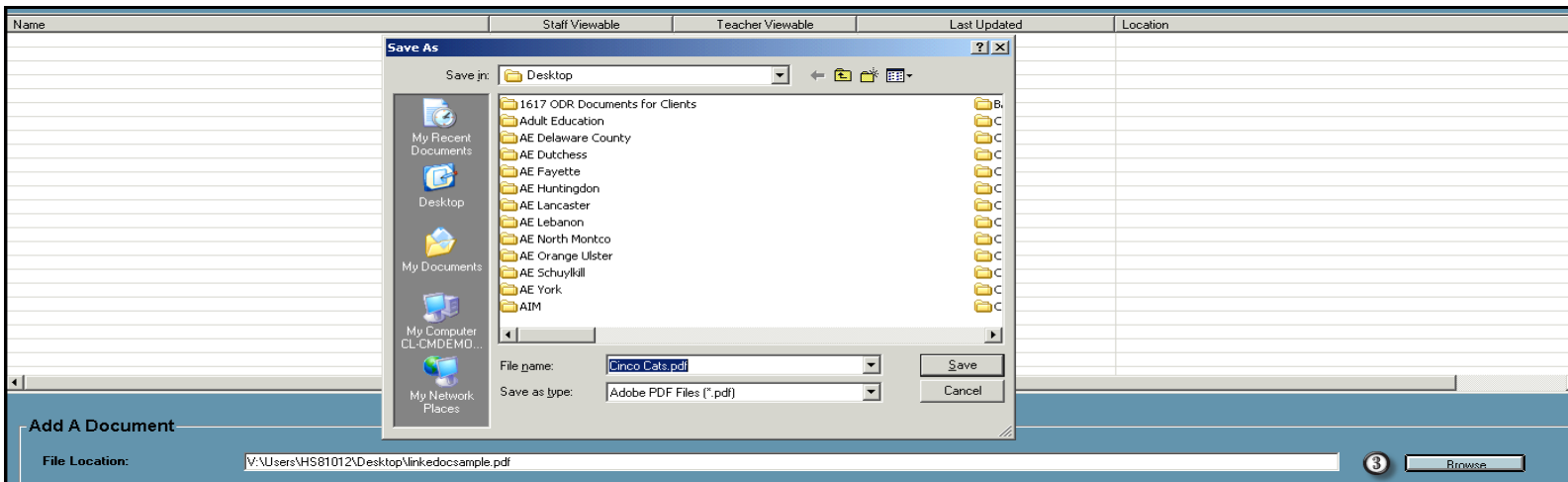
- 1 Select the Student
- 2 Select the Linked Documents Tab. This tab name can be customized



The screenshot shows the software interface for linking documents. On the left, there is an 'Employees' list with 'Andersen, Adriana' selected, marked with a circled '1'. The main area displays the student's profile for 'Adriana Andersen, #000000358'. The 'Linked Documents' tab is selected and circled with a red circle and a circled '2'. Below the tabs is a 'View Document' button and a table of linked documents.

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- 3 Browse to the file location you would like to link by clicking the **BLUE BROWSE** button. Select the .PDF file desired. PDF's are the **ONLY** acceptable file format



The screenshot shows a 'Save As' dialog box open over a table. The dialog box is set to save the file on the 'Desktop'. The file name is 'Cinco Cats.pdf' and the file type is 'Adobe PDF Files (*.pdf)'. The 'Save' button is highlighted. Below the dialog box, the 'File Location' is shown as 'V:\Users\HS81012\Desktop\linkdocsample.pdf' and a 'Browse' button is circled with a red circle and a circled '3'.



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Linking Student related Documents



- 4 If you are attaching a form that you track on the forms tab, using the drop down menu, select the **Form Category**
- 5 If you are attaching a form that you track on the forms tab, using the drop down menu, select the **Form Name**
- 6 If you selected a form, the **Document Name** will auto populate with the exact form name. If you have not selected a form, manually enter the form name in the field
- 7 Determine which staff should have access to view the document: no selections, Staff or Teacher options
- 8 Add the selected document/form by Clicking the **BLUE ADD DOC** button. The document will now display in the grid, along with any other previously linked documents. If you have selected a form, the form will be marked on the forms tab

The screenshot shows a form titled "Add A Document" with the following fields and controls:

- File Location:** A text input field containing "V:\Users\HS81012\Desktop\linkedocsample.pdf" with a "Browse" button to its right (callout 3).
- Form Category:** A dropdown menu showing "Uncategorized" (callout 4).
- Form:** A dropdown menu showing "Graduation-HS Diploma" (callout 5).
- Document Name:** A text input field containing "Graduation-HS Diploma" (callout 6).
- Staff Access:** Two checkboxes: "Staff Viewable" (checked) and "Teacher Viewable" (checked), with a callout 7 pointing to the checkboxes.
- Add Doc:** A blue button labeled "Add Doc" (callout 8).

Note: When selecting staff access no selection mean only those with administrative modules can view: Staff includes paraprofessionals or teachers.



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Viewing linked documents and tracking forms



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- 2 If you selected a form, select the **Form Tab**, and you will see the form has been marked as having been received. The selected form can also be viewed from the forms tab by selecting the **BLUE VIEW FORM** button

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Customizing the Document Tab

This module allows users the ability to customize the name of the documents tab found in the modules with the linkage option. The name created here will display across **ALL** special modules

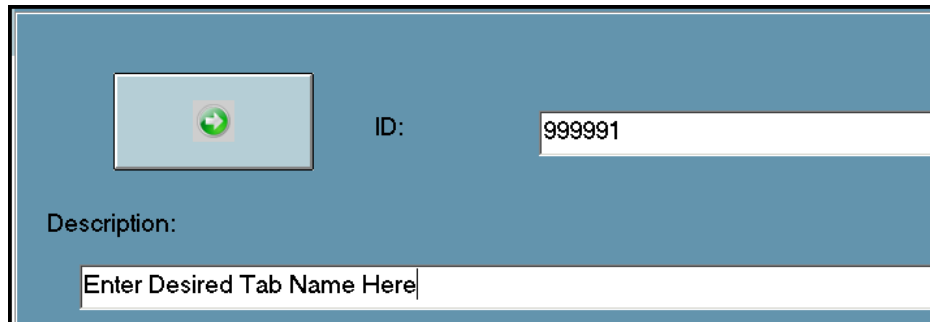
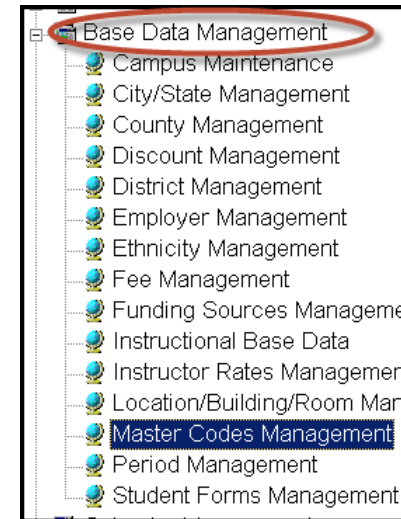
Double Click **Modules** > Double click **Base Data Management** > Click **Master Codes Management**

Scroll to the **Docs Tab Name** (999991-999991)

Click the Arrow to create Next ID

Enter Tab Name in Description field

Click the “Save” icon.



Note: The tab name will display on ALL linkage tabs. This is a globally displayed name

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Viewing Employee & Student Documents

After the documents have been linked, administrators, staff and teachers will have **“View Only”** access to the documents. The modules used to view the documents will vary by staff type

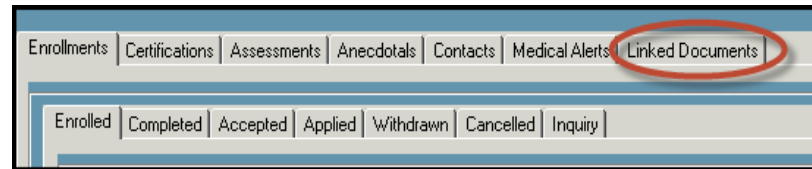
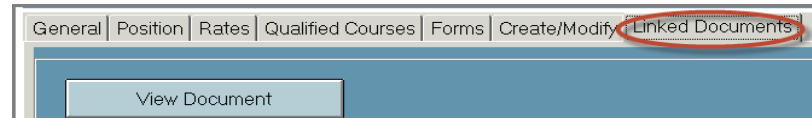
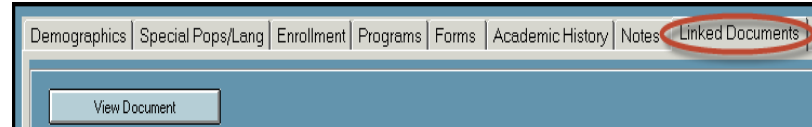
View Documents in:

Administrators/Staff:

- Student Registration/Enrollment
- Employee Management

Teachers:

- Student Snapshot



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Linked Document Reports

Document View Reports

- Currently within ClassMate there are three reports that can be utilized to show who has been viewing the documents that have been linked to students & employees
- To access these reports go to: **Reports > System Administrator**
- Reports are titled:
 - Document View by Student
 - Document View by User
 - View by Document



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