

ODE Conference Call – 12/17/2018

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FY19S Student Enrollment collections – FY19S Initial Student Enrollment collections (1TRD and AODE) will be closing this Thursday 12/20 at 11:59 PM, and processing will begin just after midnight. FY19S Midyear Traditional (2TRD) and Final SOES (BODE) enrollment collections will open Friday 1/4/19.

Holiday processing schedule – There won't be many report updates by this Friday morning since processing will continue to run throughout the day on Friday. ODE will not process on Mondays (12/24 and 12/31) or Tuesdays (12/25 and 1/1). They will process on Wednesday 12/26, Thursday 12/27, Saturday 12/29, and then again on Wednesday, 1/2/19 when they resume their regular processing schedule. Monday 1/21 is a State holiday, so ODE will not process over that weekend. They will pull data Thursday 1/17 at 5:00 pm, then Monday 1/21 evening. Level 2 reports will only be updated on processing days. As always, data can be submitted anytime, it will just hold until processed.

Graduate Processing – ODE has completed GRAD processing (including all appeals) and released data to the State Board last week. If there are any questions at this point, districts should contact ODE's Office of Data Quality. In early January, ODE plans to publish updated Grad reports focused on 2019 4-year and 2018 5-year cohorts, and Grad reports for classes of 2020, 2021, and 2022.

FY18A CTE Assessment appeal window is the last of 2018 data to do. There are 6 approved appeals so far, ODE is not sure if they are all processed or not. Appealed data submissions are due by this Friday.

Federal Child Count – when FY19S closes 12/20, that data will be used for FCC, so it is very important to review FCC reports this week. ODE will send ITC's a list of districts today that show the % of Critical and Fatal FCC errors (many can be corrected by reporting FN270 because of age 5 & 6 issues). Bug fix was applied last week for FCC report issues with students who were on a scholarship program then back to district for CTE that were not showing up correctly.

There's been some confusion on Warning errors that will remain since they represent what did happen. Autism/JPS students – Policy changes were made for clarification, and there are more ISP's now, so they appear differently. The resident district still reports as Sent-to and reports GE records. They are served under an ISP at the non-pub, and if that entity is located inside a different District of Service, because the services they are providing are Federally funded, that credit in FCC does go to the District of service who is implementing the ISP. So, who you previously had in your FCC is now counting in another district where the non-pub is located.

Q: How do we correctly report students served under ISP (attending non-pub within our district boundaries)? Previously we reported How Rec =6, and How Rec IRN=999999. References to program codes?

A: Correct, IRN should be non-pub IRN where they are, but 9's will work. There are equivalent services that must be provided, both Special Ed and Title I. They should have a program code to indicate which service they are getting if it is not special ed.

FY19A DORP Assessment collection – the way ODE collects NWEA MAP assessment for DORP schools is changing from a Fall collection to a Full-year collection, due to business office calculations for the Local Report Card. Information has been posted on their website and communicated to DORP Schools. The collection name will change, and the current January close date extended to the summer. ODE will not change the manifest code, it will remain FL (Fall), but don't be confused because name and dates should make it clear it is a Full Year [FY] collection. ODE is also letting vendors know, since right now only Fall test dates are permitted, but winter/spring dates will soon be permitted in this collection also. Will also start collecting Test DAY, so if not specified, it will default to Day=1. There are 13 weeks of instruction between assessments, so watch dates if you are allowing it to default to the first day of the month, they could end up being less than 13 weeks apart.

FTE Reports – ODE found a bug in calculating 30-day average for when a sub-group exists but then no longer exists because of a change in student records, only counting in the Denominator the number of days that a group existed. It was intended to represent 30-days and slowly go down and become zero instead of stopping suddenly, so it would show history of prior days when a student subgroup changed. Example: one student is reported with Disadvantage=1 and LEP, then three days later they're changed to Disadvantage=2. Right now, if you add up 30-day averages, the FTE would be too high because the student was counted in original calculation and the one they moved to. Fix due in January.

Q&A

Q: Is there any update on the reporting of foster placed from A to B and then Open Enrolled to C?

A: We will review on the next change call.

Q: Is it possible for a student to be both a PS and a KG at the same time? KG SWD turned 5 in July, in September was moved back to PS (at the ESC) then in January the district wants them to start ½ days in ESC PS and ½ days in KG at the district.

A: No, they can be in the different grades during the same year, but not on the same days. District can contact ODE's Office of Early Learning for more information.

Q: Update on Report Collector, why Level 2 tables aren't updating?

A: That happens when ODE has a processing issue overnight and doesn't finish by morning, that's what dates are for to show when processing finishes.

Next ODE Conference Call scheduled for Dec 31 is cancelled; will resume Jan 14, 2019.

Next ODE Change Call – December 19