ODE Conference Call 4/10/2017

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Schedule Notes – May 8 will be the OAEP conference, so the ODE conference call scheduled for that day will be moved to Friday, May 5. That information will probably be repeated at the OAEP conference, but he still wanted to have a call since not everyone goes to the conference. Change call will still be held on Wednesday that week, as well as the vendor call that Thursday.

FY17A assessment collections – Four additional "A" collections were posted Friday, April 7:

> 1) Preschool Early Learning Assessment will be open until June 30,
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> 2) Fall 3rd Grade English Lang Arts/Reading will be open until May 26,
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> 3) Summer/Fall OGT will be open until May 19, and
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> 4) Fall DORP will be open until May 19. Only DORP schools will have this manifest based on IRN's on ODE's list, so if a non-DORP school gave the NWEA exam, they are not reported.

There will be appeals opportunities for all of these but OGT. A week after OGT Summer/Fall closes, the spring version opens and you can report prior window scores, so no appeal will be necessary for OGT. April 21 is the close of EOC Summer/Fall, but those scores can be reported in the EOC Spring collection if needed. As always, districts are encouraged to collect and report data sooner rather than later! As more students are hitting the end of "Where Kids Count" windows, data should be available to verify.

FY17S Student Enrollment collections – ODE will post new versions of SOES End-of-Year (BODE) and Traditional Midyear (2TRD) manifests later this week to add a dedicated column to the FTE Detail Report to reflect Special Ed weighted funding adjustments. There will now be columns for Original FTE, Adjusted FTE, and Special Ed Adjusted FTE. This will be reflected in the data they are pulling today for April #2 payment for Trad, and in the May payment for JVS and Community Schools.

ODE Helpdesk – Cherwell is live as of today, and CAU is now read-only. During this transition, it may take a day or two for ODE to respond to tickets.

FY17L2 Final Staff/Course collection – will be open by the end of this week. Once that opens they'll be caught up until they get to the opening of 3TRD by the first week of May.

FY17D March Follow-up – Closes April 28. Remember that CTE assessments can also be reported in this collection. Last week ODE released additional CTE files based upon appeals. If you had an appeal to

change a student concentrator value and they are in the original "(CTFL-002) CTE March Follow Up Extract for FFE" file and in the "(CTFL-003) CTE March Follow Up Extract for FFE Approved Appeals" file, you may not be able to delete just that old student record in the Flat File Editor to import the approved appeal record. You may need to alter the flat file itself to reflect the change in concentrator value.

FY17S Tuition Address collection –will be released this week, along with an Excel spreadsheet for adding addresses via flat file format for loading to DC (much like what they do with Student Override). Can export this file and import into the DC.

Q&A

Q: When we report FE record indicating a student is exempt from End-of-Course exams, should they only mark exemptions for courses *they took* or should they be marked exempt for *any* math subject?

A: When you report FE, report every *subject* for which they are exempt. Just mark one pathway or the other, depending on what student takes (Algebra 1 **or** Math 1; Geometry **or** Math 2). So, if student is exempt from <u>all</u> math, you must exempt <u>one at each level</u>.

Q: When will we get info on adding dates to ACT/SAT?

A: We already put that info out on a vendor call last fall. If it is not reported, ODE will default to the first of the month. Right now, the manual shows 2 positions of filler after year/month, which is where the date will go.

Q: When will we see an "R" collection?

A: There will not be a period "R" for FY17, but a good chance there will be one in the fall for FY18.

Q: We are seeing asterisk instead of "D" (indicating Diploma) in Diploma Reported field. How important is it to change that to a "D" in the FY17D collection since ODE already has diploma information?

A: Enter a helpdesk ticket, we thought that data was pre-populated and want to make sure the file is correct.

Q: District is trying to submit Preschool ELA collection but getting an error for duplicate records.

A: Submit a helpdesk ticket, that should be looking at the dates.

Next ODE Conference Call will be Monday, April 24 at 10:30