

January 2024 PowerSchool Ohio State Releases available 1/9 & 1/23/24:

- Update to optional staff elements - STAF-5a Current Year Teacher Count and STAF-5b Teacher Retention Count to pull as expected for the 21-22 CRDC. Also moved prior CRDC reports to obsolete.
- The Graduation Pathways Core Credits section is updated to include partial credit in the Phys Ed area and fix the Semester One only courses that have received credit from the In Progress column.
- The (DN) Organization General Information Record is improved for the four new Kindergarten elements to accept only numeric values.
- The student state screens are enhanced to display as expected when using the breadcrumb trail in the New Enhanced Menu.
- (FA) Student Assessment Import added for the new Ohio State Tests (OST) results file layout and the new valid accommodations. The Advanced Placement (AP) import is updated to recognize the two new codes for Pre-Calculus and African American History as well.
- The Pre-ID Ohio State Assessment Extract is improved to recognize the multiracial students appropriately.
- Improvement to the run time needed for the Grad Pathways and Truancy/Chronic Summary Functions Downloads.
- Update for the Report Parameters for Excluded buildings.

Reminder – Fall 3rd Grade results will be imported via the new OST test type:

- OST (Grades 3-8 Next Generation and End of Course) (post FY23) (.txt)
- OST (Ohio English Language Performance Assessment) (post FY23) (.txt)
- OST (Alternate Assessments) (post FY23) (.txt)
- NWEA (DORP Growth Assessment) (.csv)
- Ohio District Data Exchange (ODDEX) Assessment files (.txt)
- Webxam (GY - CTE Technical Assessment) (.csv)
- WorkKeys (.csv)
- STAR (formerly NWEA MAP) (.csv)

Accommodations

For the OST, when selecting "Yes" for "update accommodations", the import will

- A. accommodation value of (Y2) Yes or No for accommodation(s), or
- B. accommodation value of (Y1) Yes or No for accommodation(s), or
- C. an accommodation value of (Y3) Yes or No for accommodation(s), or
- D. an accommodation value of (Y4) Yes or No for accommodation(s), or
- E. an accommodation value of (Y5) Yes or No for accommodation(s), or
- F. an accommodation value of (Y6) Yes or No for accommodation(s), or
- G. an accommodation value of (Y7) Yes or No for accommodation(s) and a Y for accommodation(s)

Users who wish to hand key these

For the OELPA, Alternate Assessment

Users will need to hand key the app

Student Matching

For the ACT and SAT students are Student Identifier (SSID). Students,

For all other assessment imports the

Import A File

Select a test type:

A screenshot of a dropdown menu with the following options: Must Choose, ELA, KRA, OGT and OAA, ACT, ACT Roster View (.csv), AP, SAT, OCBA, OCBA OELPA, OCBA Alternate Assessment, OST, OST OELPA, OST Alternate Assessment, DORP, ODDEX, Webxam, WorkKeys, and STAR (formerly NWEA MAP). The 'Must Choose' option is highlighted at the top, and another 'Must Choose' option is visible at the bottom of the menu.

KRA results are NOT final yet – if you have imported scores, they will need to be removed and re-imported once the vendor emails that the scores are final.

Tips of the day

– Prior to importing your KRA results, know which test your district is using to fulfill the TGRG reading diagnostic requirement for the KG students. If they are using the KRA, import those first so that the RD will be marked to not report. If they are not using the KRA, import the RD results first.

- CRDC passing Algebra not pulling correctly – check how grades were stored for 21-22 at any building that granted HS credit for Algebra. For example, the Middle School Stored the grades for term 21-22 in Y1 and perhaps the High School stored term 21-22 in S1 and S2.

Known Issues:

Alt-OELPA results files – Currently working with the Office of Assessment on the file layout and will either get the results in the correct file layout or will have to create a new import for the existing file layout.

Industry Credential points update coming soon.

Upcoming: New Course Deliver Method for Ohio Technical Center (TC) and new Sent to Reason (TC) which can generate greater than one FTE. Change will be in May, but has to be reported for FY24.

Next Meeting – February 20, 2024

February Releases are scheduled for 2/6/24 & 2/20/24.