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School

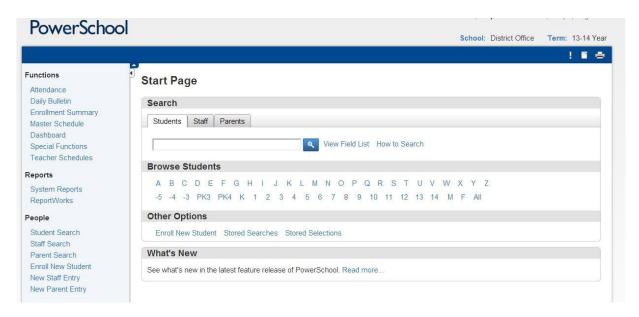
New Student Enrollment Checklist

Office Use Only -	
Staff Initials	
Date	
Complete	
Incomplete	
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Name of Student	Grade
Required Forms:	Required if applicable:
Student Enrollment Forms (Student & Parent/	Health Information Survey (if applicable)
Guardian)	
Release Request -Permission for publication of	Free & Reduced Lunch Family Application
Student Photographs/Audio	(if Applicable)
Rights & Privacy Act (FERPA)	Affirmation of Prior Discipline Record (School of
(Notice for Directory)	Choice only)
Request for Educational Records	Home Language Survey (if applicable)
Acceptable Use Policy	Special Education Survey (if applicable)
Emergency Contact	Student Residency Questionnaire
	Military Information (if applicable)
Required Documents:	
Original Birth Certificate (with raised seal), stude	nt passport or visa
Official Immunization records	Immunization Waiver Form
Address of the school your student last attended	
Driver's License of parent/legal guardian, passpo	rt or visa
Proof of residency	
The following documents are required to prove	e residency:
Homeowner: Purchase agreement, closing	g papers or deed
Renter: Current lease/rental agreement	
Property tax statement	
Certified copies of court orders or placement pa	per, if applicable (i.e., Appointment of legal
guardianship, divorce decree, etc.)	
AND:	
Two different current utility bills: Gas, Electric, Cab	le TV, Land line phone bill with name of the person en
rolling the student or written up confirmation from	n the company
	OR
Moving Company invoice or truck rental receipt val	idating address
Requirements for non-traditional living arrangeme	ents (if applicable)
Notarized Affidavit of Residency	Notarized Affidavit of Guardianship

Opening Screen:

When you sign into PowerSchool, your login name determines how PowerSchool acts for you: the school(s) you can see, the screens you see and whether you can change data or only view it. Thus YOUR tools may not be the same as someone else's tools, and those are determined by your job title and needs.



Navigation Bar

At the top of the opening screen is your default school. If you have access to multiple schools, clicking the blue word "School" will display a list of available schools. This is the pattern of PowerSchool. Blue text indicates click-able links. Black text is informational.

Below the school indicator is the term indicator. Click the Term link to change the time- frame. Other processes are dependent upon the term displayed.

At the right edge of the navigation bar are the help button , a logout button and the report queue indicator. While help and logout are self-explanatory, it is nice to know that the report queue indicator will access the screen tracking your reports.

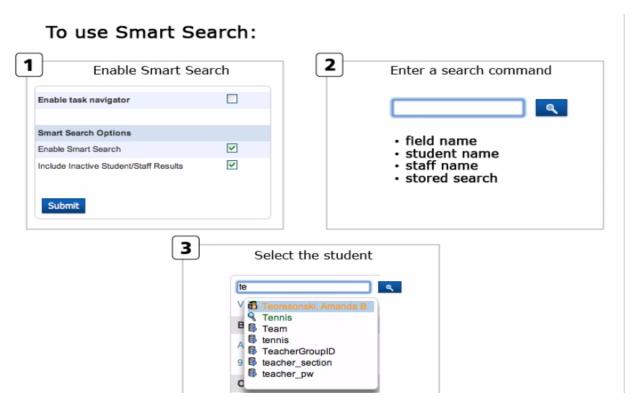
Menu

The menu runs up the left side of the start screen. There are 2 menus that display in this area. One displays when students are selected, the other if no selection has been made.

Personalize / Smart Search:

Personalize - Interface





Simple Searches

Simple Searches:

- Search by student's First Name
 - first_name=elizabeth
- Search by street
 - Street contains Washtenaw
 - This will give you a list of students living on Washtenaw Street.
- Search all inactive and active male students with grade level of 8.
 - /grade_level=8;gender=m

Comparator	Meaning	
=	equals	
<	is less than	
>	is greater than	
<=	is less than or equal to	
>=	is greater than or equal to	
#	does not equal	
in	is [field] present in the search argument?	
contains	is the search argument contained in the [field]?	
!contain	is the search argument not contained in the [field]?	
@	wildcard	

More Searches

Selecting one or more students is the beginning of many processes. The more comfortable you are with locating students, the easier many jobs will be. To see a list of all 3rd graders, click the 3 under **Browse Students.** Clicking a letter will offer a list of all students whose last names begin with that letter. For more targeted searches, use the search box where you can enter your search string.

Note: A new feature, called "Smart Search" highlights the first matching student, as you type in the search string. You may display 5 students as you type Johns – and the first one is selected. Pressing Enter will select the single student. Clicking the magnifying glass will select the matching group. If you prefer working without "Smart Search," it may be disabled: Start Screen > Personalize > Interface . . . uncheck "Smart Search"



Type this	Locates this
Johnson	Johnson, Thomas
	Johnson, Walter
Johnson, W	Johnson, Walter
Joh	Johns, Andrea
When entering just the name, PS will	Johnson, Thomas
match as much as you type.	Johnson, Walter

Last_name=Kennedy	Kennedy, Brenda
	Kennedy, Oscar
Last_name=Ken@	Kennedy, Brenda
The @ acts as a wildcard	Kennedy, Oscar
	Kensington, Jason
Last_name = @son	Johnson, Walter
	Anderson, Cynthia
	Wilson, Seth
First_name=Alexandra	Martin, Alexandra
First_name=@lex@	Martin, Alexandra
or	Norris, Lexis
First_name contains lex	Peterson, Alexander Bartholomew
Last_name=@son;grade_level=4	Finds 4 th graders whose names end in son
ID_KSchedcode = 1	AM Kindergarten students
ID_KSchedcode = 2	PM Kindergarten students

Note: **Searches find only** *active* **students**. To include inactive students, preface the search string with /. Example: /Last_name = Kennedy. To find *only inactive students* try this: /Last_name Kennedy; enroll_status #0

Below the search box are two links: <u>View Field List</u> and <u>How to Search</u>. These give you summaries of field names and the symbols used in searching. Below are examples of the some of the fields you might need.

Field Names

DOB	Father	Grade Level	LastFirst
Enroll_status	First_Name	Home_Room	Mail_Street
Search Students		Last_Name	Mother
first_name = Alexis	(9)		
View Field List How to Searc	h		
Ethnicity	Gender		

=	Equals
<	Less than
>	Greater than
>=	Greater than or equal to
<=	Less than or equal to

#	Does not equal	
Contains	Contains	
!contain	Does not contain	
In	Is part of the group. Example:	
Last_name in Wilson, Weaver, Walsh		
@	Wildcard	

Search symbols

Example:

The complete list of fieldnames is available by clicking the link below the search box. When the list is displayed, clicking on one of the field names will insert it into the search box where you can complete your search criteria.

Multiple search criteria, semi-colon separated:

Examples: First_name=Janice; grade_level=3

Entrydate>9/15/09; DOB =

(finds students entered after 9/15/2009 and have nothing in Date of Birth)

Advanced Searches

(note that Calculated searches begin with *)

Search example	Should find
*as_of = 11/15/06	Students who were active on that date
*not_enrolled_in_period = 0	Students who had no zero period

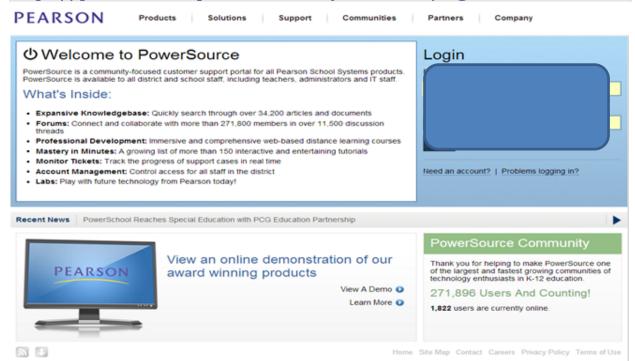
Elementary schools can use this technique also. Elementary Schools AM Attendance is considered Period 1, PM Attendance is Period 2 and the Core subjects are Period 3. So – the search string of

*not_enrolled_in_period = 1 should find everyone who is not enrolled in AM attendance and should be only the afternoon Kindergarten students.

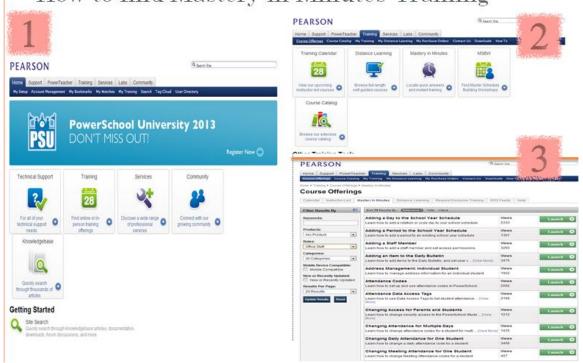
*not_enrolled_in_period = 3 should get any student who is not enrolled in a core course.

not_cmoned_m_period = 3 should get a	arry student who is not emolica in a core course.	
*enrolled_in = LA20542	Students enrolled in that particular course or in the specified	
*enrolled_in = 2034010000.110	section of that course	
*has_completed_course= LA20542	Students who have completed this course. Remember that with course number changes, this search may produce an incomplete list And while this says *has completed, it includes current classes, if there are stored grades for that class.	
*cumulative_credit_hours>10	Students with more than 10 credits	
*number_of_classes=6	Students who are currently enrolled in 6 classes; those with	
*number_of_classes>5	more than 5 classes.	
*hours_requested<4	Students with the designated number of requests.	
*birthday=9/15	Those with this birthdate	
Compound searches with calculated elements need to begin with the calculation:		
*as_of = 11/15/06;grade_level=9	To find 9 th graders active on Nov 15.	
Not grade_level=9;*as_of = 11/15/06		
Use compound searches to find exactly what you want		
*as_of=12/1/2006;enroll_status#0	Students who were enrolled on the date listed, but are not active now.	

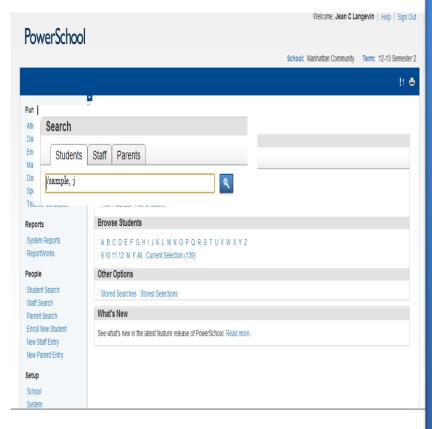
Powersource: https://powersource.pearsonschoolsystems.com/login.action



How to find Mastery in Minutes-Training



Entering a New student:



How to enter new Student:

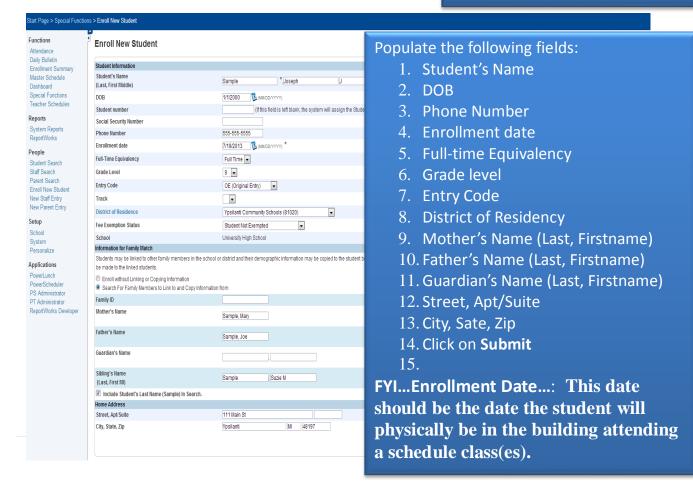
- 1. Search to verify the student has not been enrolled before in Powerschool.
- 2. School building should be set on "District".
- If the student is **not** showing under "District" School

Welcome, Stephanie Gabrie	el Help	Sign Out
School: District Office	Term:	13-14 Year

4. Then change School: to your building

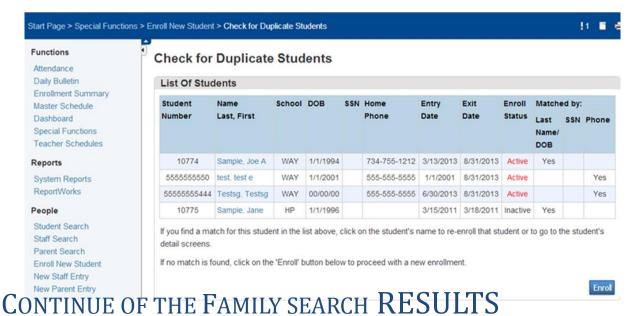
Welcome, Stephanie Gabrie	el Help Sign Out
School: STEMM Academy	Term: 13-14 Year
	1 2 2

5. Click on "Enroll New Student"



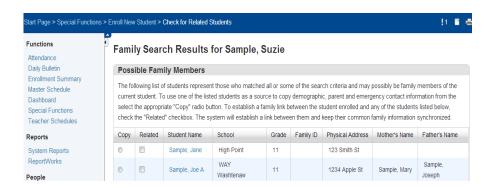
Duplicate/Family search results:

- Once you have clicked on submit from the new enrollment page, the "Check for Duplicate Students" will first need to validate if this is a duplicate entry of a student. If you find a match, click on the student's name to re-enroll that student or to go to the student's detail screens.
- If NO match is found, click on the "Enroll" button to proceed.



Below are possible family members.

- To use one of the listed students, there are two options:
 - Copy: This will copy demographic, parent and emergency contact information
 - Related: Will establish a family link between the student being enrolled and any of the students listed below. The system will establish a link between them and keep their common family information synchronized.



General Demographics Page:

Quick Lookup Print A Report Switch Student List (1) ⇒

Information

Access Accounts Addresses Custom Screens Demographics

Emergency/Medical

Family

Health

Modify Info

Other Information

Student Email

Parents

Photo

State/Province - MI

Transportation

Academics

Attendance

Cumulative Info

Graduation Plan Progress

Graduation Plan Selection

Graduation Progress

Historical Grades

Honor Roll

Standards

Teacher Comments Term Grades

Test Results

Truancies

Administration

District Specific Fee Transactions

Log Entries

Lunch

Lunch Transactions

Net Access

SEOP Review

Incidents

Enrollment

Activities

All Enrollments

Functions

Special Programs

Transfer Info

Scheduling

Bell Schedule View List View Matrix View Modify Schedule Request Management

Scheduling Setup

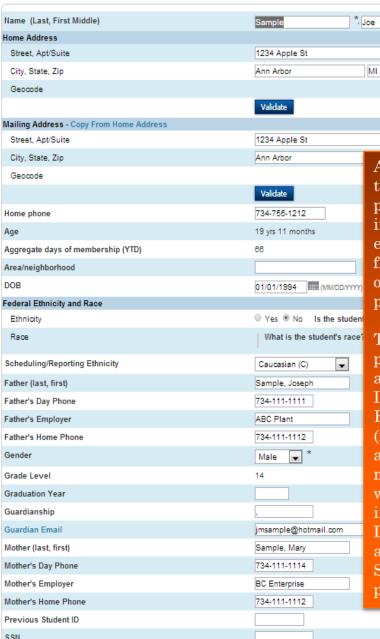
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Start Page > Student Selection > General Demographics



General Demographics

🏋 🔔 Sample. Joe A 14 8110010774 HP 2012 01/01/1994 M H/PA3



All the fields in this Registration page will be found in the student's enrollment packet from varies pages of the enrollment packet.

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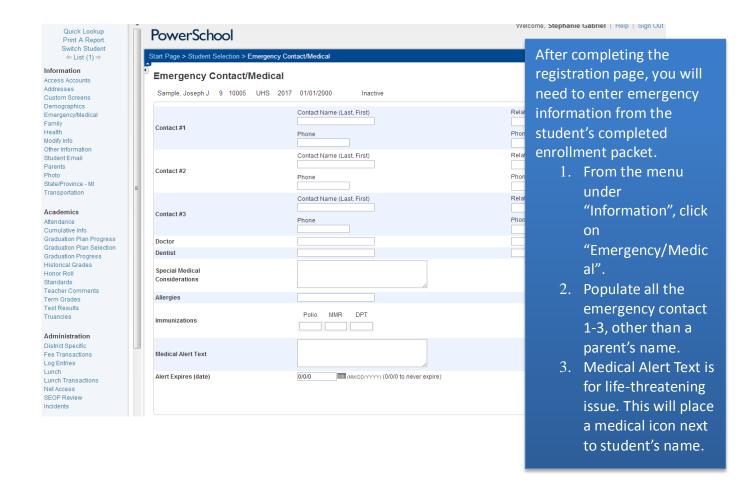
These fields will populate in other areas in the Information Function menu. (i.e. Residence address and mailing address will be populated in the Addresses, Demographics, and State/Province page.)

Legend

Student Number

8110010774

Emergency Contact/Medical Page:



Modify Information Page:



Modify Information * A Sample, Joe A 14 8110010774 HP 2012	01/01/1994 M H/P A3
Family rep Graduation Requirement Set Home Room Locker Combination Locker Number Lunch ID Part-Time Student Indicator	Only Field Populate on this page is: H/P A3 Populate with 1 st hour teacher's Last name, only.
Phone ID Current Team	0
Current House	•
Current Campus/Building	
Tracker Tracker	No 🔻
District Entry Date	02/10/2011 (MM/DD/YYYY)
District Entry Grade Level	1
School Entry Date	02/17/2011 (MM/DD/YYY)
School Entry Grade Level	0
	Auto-assign IDs for this student

State/Province-MI page:

art Page > Student Selection > Michigan State Information > MI General MSDS

MI General 🔻 🗘 Sample, Joe A 14 8110010774 HP 2012 01/01/1994 M H/P A3 UIC= Birth date=01/01/1994 Grade=14 Age=19.92 Prior count date=6/30/2013 Current count date=1 General Adult Ed LEP Spec Ed Title I EO 0-3 EO Assess EC 3-5 EC Assess Attr Version 1.15 Include in MSDS: (2) No 🔻 As Of Date: Student Residency Operating ISD/ESA Number: (from District Info) Student Resident County: (01) Alcona Student Resident LEA Number: The value shown to the left (from Transfer Info Dist of Res) 81000 81100 (5 School or Facility: (from School Info) 06147 (5 digits/s School or Relationship code: From the Educational Entity Master Educational Setting (Overrides Grade Level when set): Select Setting Entry Date into District: 02/10/2011 First day in attendance (Section 25): Student Resident Membership: Select Resident M Warning - Blank values v FTE in General Education (Membership) (0.00-1.00 Student Demographics Last Name: Sample First Name: Joe Middle Name (Lette Suffix: 1234 Apple St Street Address: Street Address 2: 1234 Apple St City: Ann Arbor Michigan State Zip Code: 48106 Home Phone 734-755-1212 01/01/1994 Date of Birth: Gender Code (M) Male Multiple Birth Order*: *Blank value will extract unless 1-8 is selected indicating student is part of a [Select an Option if Part of a Multiple Birth multiple birth American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian American Black or African American Ethnic Codes Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Hispanic or Latino MSDS Student Identifier (10 characters/state assigned Unique Identification Code (UIC): Error the unique student identifier is req Duplicate UIC check MSDS Attendance Requirements (Checked for Yes) Manual Attendance - Days In Attendance/Days Enrolled: (NNN/NNN) (e.g. 009/010 if stud MSDS Homeless Select Homeless Status Homeless Status: (Options 1-9 deprecated, use 10-15 for new values.)

State/Province Areas: General Tab

The following are the fields that will need to be completed:

- Operating ISD/ESA Number
- Student Resident County
- Entry Date into District
 - First day in attendance (Section 25) verify this by looking at the student's attendance. Blank = Present or D1. D1 is a code the teacher MUST use for first day in attendance for a new student. This date should also match:
 - The enrollment date (found on "Transfer Info Page")
 - The Effective Enrollment Date (can be found on the Modify Schedule)
- Student Resident membership (02, 03, 06, or 14)

Select Resident Membership	
Non-Resident	
(01) Non K-12 District	
(02) Section 105 School of Choice (Within same ISD)	
(03) Section 105c School of Choice (outside Contiguous ISD)	
(U4) NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT	
(05) No Cooperative Agreement, No Release, Not Exempted	
(08) All Other Non-Resident	
(U7) Home Schooled Non-Resident	
Resident	
(08) Non-Public school student	
(09) Section 24 Juvenile Detention Facility	
(10) For New PSAs (fall only)	
(11) School for the Deaf/Blind	
(12) Section 6(4)(d) Non-Special Education Juvenile Detentio	n
(13) Emotionally Impaired Served by DCH Facility	
(14) All Other Resident	
(15) Home schooled resident	

- Ethnic Codes:
- Student Unique Identification Code UIC: *This will completed by the Centralized Registrar.*
- -- Country of Birth (View Birth Cert)

Remember:

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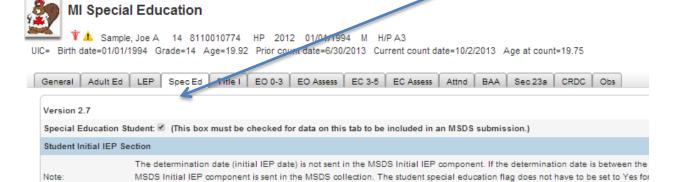
AGAIN...ALL THREE DATE FIELDS Must be populated with the SAME date the student is physically in the building attending a schedule class(es).

If you DO NOT Know how to do this, place a Schooldude ticket for further assistance.

MSDS Program Eligibility		
Section 504:	☐ (Checked for Yes)	
Seat-Time Waiver Participant:	☐ (Checked for Yes)	
Developmental/Retention Kindergarten:	☐ (Checked for Yes)	
Out-of-State Student:	☐ (Checked for Yes)	
21st Century Comm Learning Ctr Prg:	☐ (Checked for Yes)	
International Student:	☐ (Checked for Yes)	
Alternative Education:	(Checked for Yes)	
Early/Middle College:	☐ (Checked for Yes)	
Advanced and Accelerated:	(Checked for Yes)	
Migrant Education Student:	☐ (Checked for Yes)	
		Submit
Legend		
Page Icons: *- Required Field - Date Entry		

State/Province - MI - Spec Ed Tab:

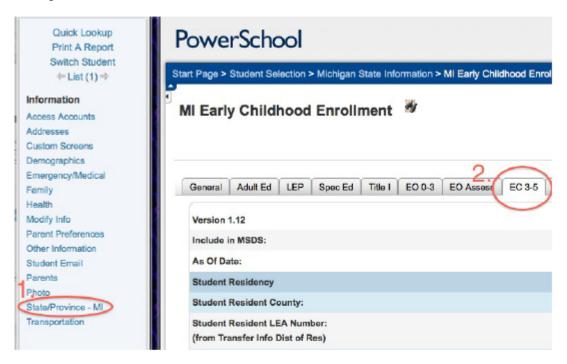
If the student is receiving Special Educational services, there should be a check in the box, as shown below.



State/Province-MI - EC 3-5 Tab:

Enrolling Pre-K Students

There is some additional information required when registering or exiting early childhood students. To enter this data, you will need to go to the MI Early Childhood Enrollment page. From the student screen, click on **State/Province** – **MI** and then click on the **EC 3-5** tab at the top.



On the MI Early Childhood Enrollment page, you will need to enter the following:

- □ Educational Setting (separate from the rest of this data, found near the top of the page)
- □ Early Childhood Enrollment Placement
- ☐ Fiscal Entity Type Code (District (D))
- ☐ Fiscal Entity Code (81000)
- □ Program Start Date
- ☐ Program End Date (when applicable- only fill out when a student leaves the program)
- ☐ Early Childhood Exit/Completion Reason (see Program End Date)
- ☐ Funding Type (01 Formula)
- □ Delivery Method
- □ Delivery Schedule

*Note that there are five sections for early childhood enrollment placements 1-5. **Always** start with placement 1. If placement 1 was used in the previous year, use placement 2 etc.

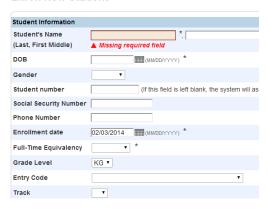
Section 25e LEA Building Level Process:

When entering a new student into Powerschool be aware of the following PS pages of the student's records:

1. Enroll New Student Page:

 The enrollment date: This date should be the date the student will physically be in the building attending a schedule class(es). Note this field's default to today's date: CHANGE THE DATE to be the FIRST DAY they are physically in the building!

Enroll New Student



- 2. **State/Province-MI** you must also populate the following fields: **NOTE**—This date needs to be populated with the 1st Day the student attended.
 - First day in attendance (Section 25): Verify this by looking at the student's attendance. Blank reflects present or D1. D1 is a code the teacher should use for first day in attendance for a new student.

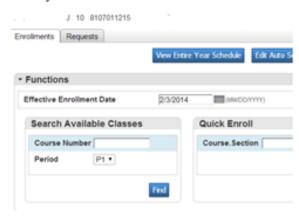
See example below:



3. Scheduling – Modify Schedule

 Effective Enrollment Date – Must be populate with the date the student will physical be in the building attending a schedule class(es).
 NOTE: Effective Enrollment Date – defaults to today's date.

Modify Schedule - Enrollments



SRM Section 25e "Potential" Calendar for 2014-2015:

First Date of Attendance	SRM Must be Submitted by
Between 10/2 and 11/12/2014	December 12, 2014
Between 11/12/2014 and 1/10/2015	Submit within 30 calendar days
1/11/2015 and after	Submit by 2/10/2015

SOC Process:

YCS School of Choice Application period is open from June 2014 to Count Date in October 2014. Each student in the household must have a completed SOC form, Affirmation of Prior Discipline Record (Grade 1-12th), and Request for Student Discipline Records. This must be submitted to the Superintendents of Schools, either in person, by fax (734-221-1214) or by mail; no later than deadline stated on the SOC enrollment form. This form can be found at http://www.ycschools.us/our-schools/enrollment-information/

The best process to ensure that the student needs to complete a SOC form is you MUST verify student's home address to verify if it is located "out" of district.

Tools to Use:

- ◆ Schooldistrictfinder.com
- ♦ PS Address Validate button
- ◆ Street Index File (handed out in July and in August)
- ◆ AAPS http://curriculumdb.aaps.k12.mi.us/streets/FMPro?-db=streets.fp5&-lay=Single_record&-format=search.htm&-view

How to Update Student's address

- 1. Go to Powerschool >Search for Student>Go to>Print A report>Which report to print>District Student Information Verification Form
 - **a.** Once the District Student Information Verification Form report is printed, provide it to the parent/guardian for the changes to be made and other information is reviewed by them.
 - **b.** When this report is returned, review the "Updates/Changes column" of the report to view any and all changes prior to making the initial changes in PS. If the student's home address has been updated, you **must** make sure the new address is in YCS district. Use the following tools:
 - **i.** Go to <u>www.schooldistrictfinder.com</u> enter new address to validate school district of address.
 - ii. Go to the YCS Street Index document
 - iii. PS Address Validate Button ONLY use IE browser
 - c. Once address has been validated, make all changes from the District Student Information Verification Form into Powerschool on the following pages under Information and Enrollment categories in PS:
 - i. Demographic Address, phone numbers, guardian email
 - **ii.** Emergency/Medical Emergency contacts, Doctor/Dentist phone number, Medical information updates
 - iii. State/Province-MI Student's Resident LEA (if LEA district has changed)
 - iv. Transfer Info
 - 1. Under Current Enrollment click on Entry Date, which is highlighted in Blue --District of Residence (if district of residence has changed due to new address)
 - d. Building Secretary must do the following:
 - i. Date and Sign when received and updated in PS
 - ii. Place document in the Student's CA-60 file

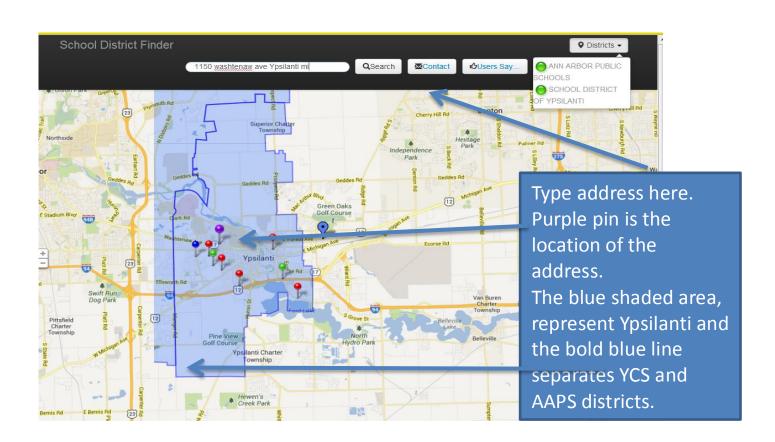
Updates/Changes A. Student Information **Current Record** tudent Name tudent Home Phone Date of Birth Language Spoken at Home *Ethnicity(See Note Below B. Address Information psilanti, MI 48198 Mailing City, State, Zip Home Address (if different)
Home City, State, Zip
C. Parent Information Father/Step Father/Guardian Name Home Phone Employer other/Step Mother/Guardian Name

Ypsilanti Community Schools - Emergency Card

PS Address Validate button is located on the New Student enrollment page.

(Last, First Wil)	-
✓ Include Student's Last Name In Sear	rch.
Home Address	
Street, Apt/Suite	
City, State, Zip	MI
Geocode	
	Validate

HTTP://WWW.SCHOOLDISTRICTFINDER.COM/



How to Transfer a Student out of School (Exit the student)

These instructions assume the student has transferred out of YCS and is not going directly to another building. See Transferring a Student to Another YCS Building if that is what you need to do.

When a student exits the district, we need to account for the record in the current year and specify where it will go for next year.

First, select the student to inactivate. In the navigation menu, under Enrollment, click **Functions**.

On the next screen, click **Transfer Out of School** in the center of the page.

Fill out **Transfer Comment** and **Date of Transfer**.

Select an Exit Code.

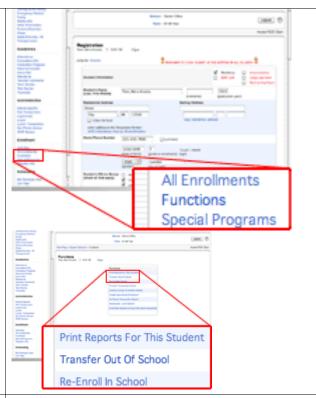
Transfer Comment can be used to store specific info such as the new school or a note that the family plans to return.

NOTE: if the student is transferring to another YCS building, select '19 (Expected to continue in the same school district)' as their Exit code and transfer them directly to their next building. See Transferring a Student to Another YCS Building)

Click Submit.

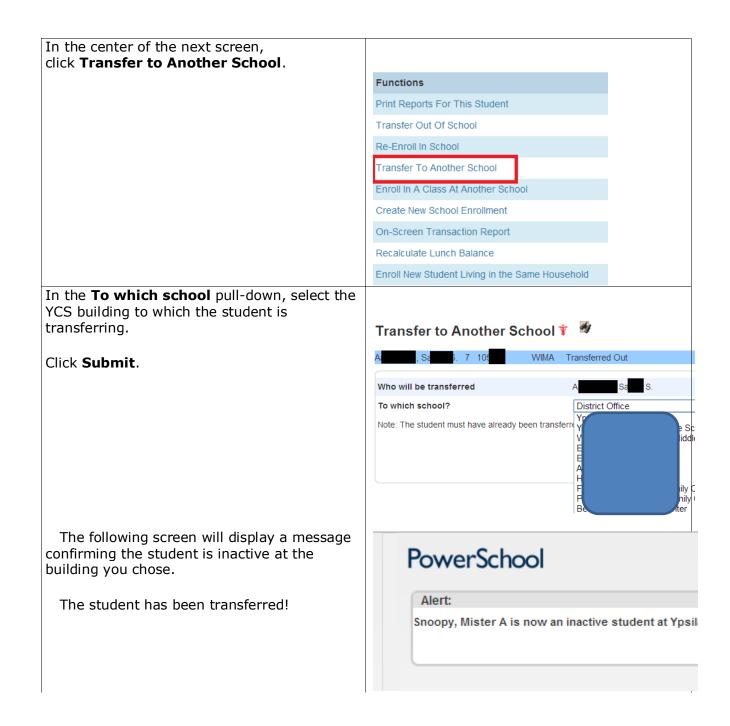
- At this point you the student is inactivated but still belongs to your building.
- In order for Child Accounting to know the student exited from your building, we will be leaving the inactive record in your building through the end of the year.

At this point, if you need to find the student put a "/" before their last name when doing a search.



Who will be transferred out	Snoopy, Mister A
Transfer comment	
Date of transfer (should be the day after the student's last day in class)	■(µмоотту *
Exit code Check here	e if student(s) intend to enroll in school during next school year.*
* If the box is	NOT checked, be advised that all scheduling related data for next year will be cleared. The values cleared will be next schoo student indicator, and all future course requests.

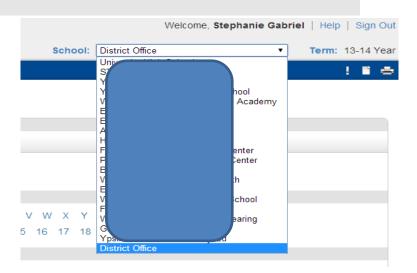
How to Transfer a Student to Another School in the District: Select the student to inactivate. In the navigation menu, under Enrollment, click Functions. All Enrollments Functions Special Programs On the next screen, click Transfer Out of School in the center of the page. Print Reports For This Student Transfer Out Of School Re-Enroll In School Fill out Transfer Comment and Date of Transfer. Select a Transfer Code. Start Page > Student Selection > Functio Students who are transferring between buildings within **Transfer Student Out** YCS can select 19 (Expected to continue in the same Test, Akira Kinaida 7 300136 school district)' as their Exit code. Click Submit Scroll down the navigation menu. Under Enrollment, click Functions Functions Special Programs



NOTE: Transfer Out of School date example: If Mister Snoopy moves from A sto E no March 19th. A secretary will exit him using the exit date of March 20th and do the Transfer to Another School. She will choose E need the Elementary from the drop-down. Now this student is in the E no Building and the En secretary can do a Modify Schedule function using the March 20th date for the Effective Enrollment date to enroll him into classes at E n.

How to Re-Enroll a Student

Click on **School** and select "District Office"



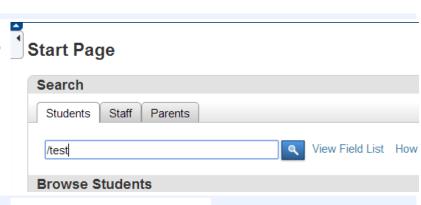
You will be returned to the PowerSchool start page with your building now set to 'District Office.'

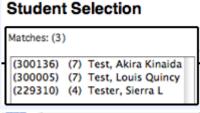
 Search for the inactive student by putting a "/" before their last name Click the magnifying

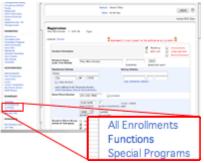


If a list of students is returned change your School back to your building; Then, re-search for that student you want to re-enroll.

In the navigation menu, under **Enrollment**, click **Functions**.







On the next screen, click **Re-Enroll In School** in the center of the page.

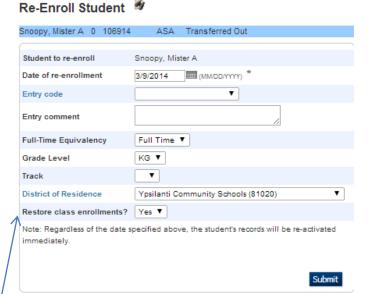


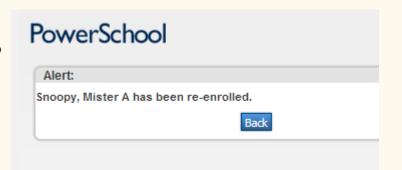
Complete the fields that need to be populated. REMEMBER Date of reenrollment must match Schedule Enrollment date and First date of Attendance.

Click **Submit**.

The following screen will display a message confirming the student is inactive at the building you selected.

- See the picture to your right, notice he is has been reenrolled. This means, I requested for the classes to be restored.
- If I had said, "No", then I would have to go to Modify Schedule to enroll him into to class(es).





Class Enrollment

Because all elementary students in one classroom typically have identical classes, class enrollment may have been automated through dependencies (see section: Dependencies).

1. Select the student

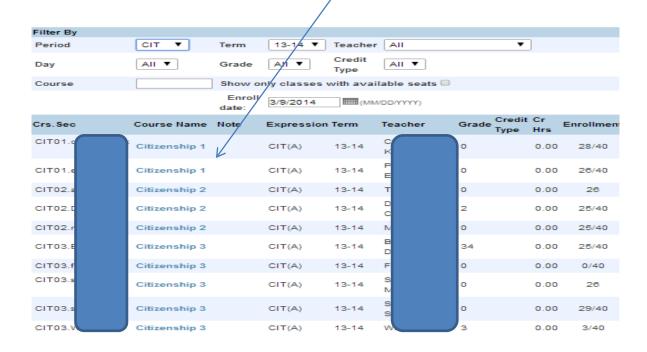
- Effective Enrollment Date –
 Must be populate with the date
 the student will physical be in
 the building attending a
 schedule class(es).
 - This date can be found on the Transfer Info Page.

NOTE: Effective Enrollment Date – defaults to today's date.

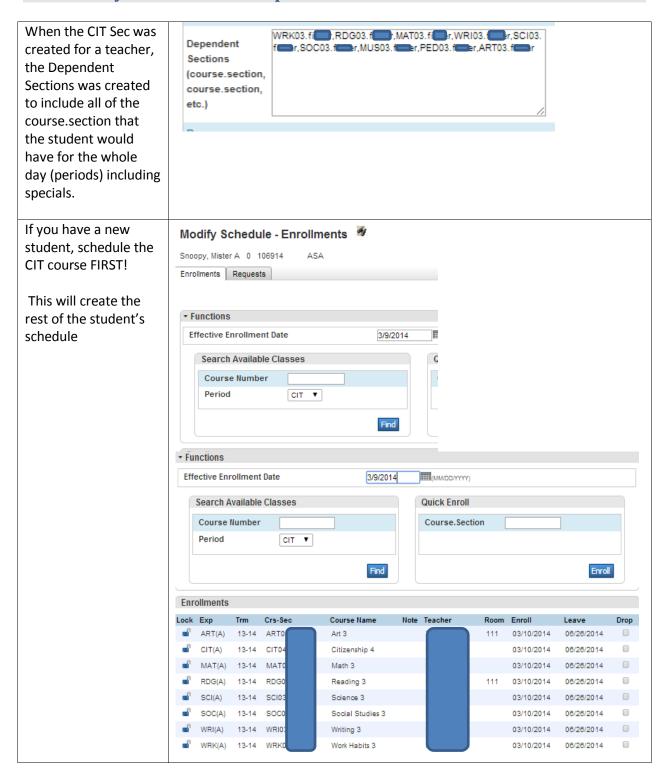
- 2. From the menu, under SCHEDULING, choose MODIFY SCHEDULE
- 3. Change the Effective Enrollment Date
- 4. Choose Period
- 5. Click on Find.



6. Below image will open, click on Course Name of the teacher you wish to enroll the student in to.

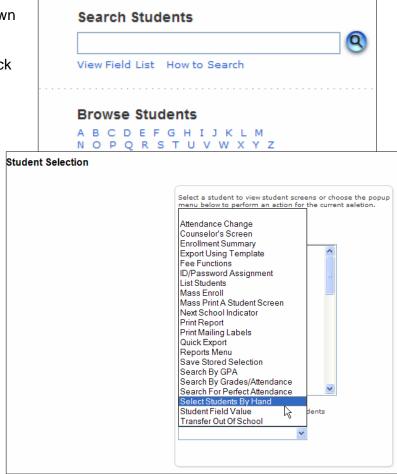


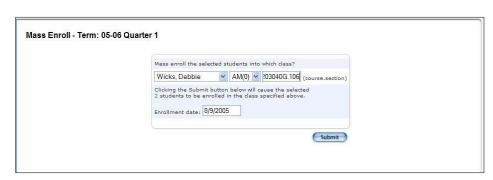
Elementary schools - with Dependencies Set:



Mass enroll

- Select all students from the desired grade (click the grade number)
- Below the student list, is a drop-down menu and instructions: select a function for this group of students.
 Click the drop-down control and click "Select Students by Hand"
- Click the first student to be enrolled in this class. Depress the [CTRL] key (and keep it depressed) as you click on each additional student until you have all desired students selected.
- Click the Functions button at the bottom of the screen.
- Choose "Mass Enroll in Class"
- Set the teacher's name, and the period (for Elem, this is whether it is AM, PM or Core class.) In the 3rd box, type the course number, a period, and the section number. Obtain these from the Teacher Schedule or a Printout of Master Schedule Report.
- The first day the students will be in class should be entered in the Enrollment Date field.
- Submit

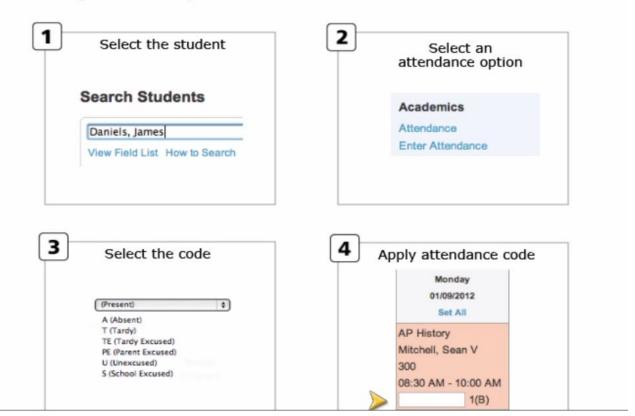




Attendance Information:

Changing meeting attendance for one student: (Office personal – only)

To change meeting attendance:



Change Attendance for a Group:

Use this function to change attendance for a group, such as a homeroom or class.

From the Start Page, Click on Teacher Schedules. Choose a teacher to open the teacher schedule.

From the Teacher's Schedule, click on the





Chair: Will show

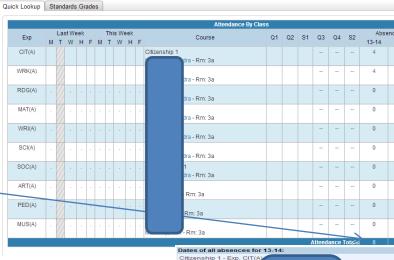
only one day and all of the students Calendar: Will show a three week period and the current day is highlighted in Green.

Mark your attendance for the students and click on Submit

View Student Attendance Pages

To view a student's attendance record in PowerSchool, first search for and select the student. Then, click one of these links on the student pages menu:

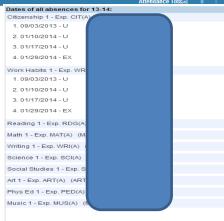
 Click -Quick Lookup
 To see Dates of all absences for school year click on the number next to Attendance Totals



This will show All Absences for the school year like this.

OR

• Click on Attendance to view the meeting attendance

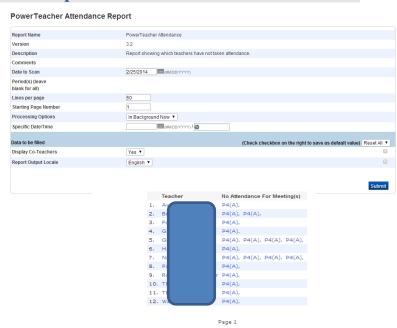


Find Teachers Who Have Not Taken Attendance

Use the PowerTeacher Attendance report or view the Teacher Attendance Submission Status page to find out which teachers have not taken attendance.

Run the PowerTeacher Attendance Report

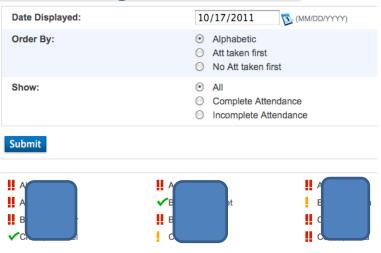
- 1. On the Start Page, click **System** Reports > PowerTeacher Attendance
- 2. Select the appropriate period check box, such as period 1
- 3. Ćlick Submit
- On the Report Queue (System) -My Jobs page, click Refresh
- 2. When the status says Completed, click **View**



View the Teacher Attendance Submission Status Page

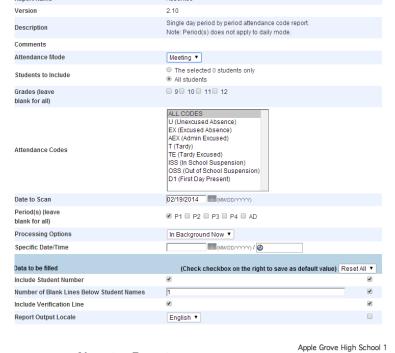
Report Name

- 1. On the Start Page, click Attendance
- 2. Click Teacher Attendance Submission Status
- Each teacher's name has an icon next to it, which is the attendance indicator
- Click the teacher's name to see a list of the teacher's classes and the attendance status for each one
- A green check mark indicator means that the teacher has submitted attendance for all of his or her classes
- A yellow exclamation point indicator means that the teacher has submitted attendance for only some of his or her classes
- Two red exclamation points means that the teacher has not submitted attendance for any of his or her classes

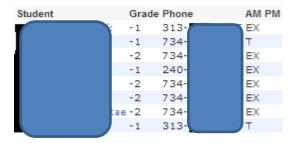


Run the Absentee Report

- 1. On the Start Page, click **Attendance** > **Absentee Report**
- 2. Select the desired attendance code(s)
- 3. Select the period(s) or leave blank for all periods
- 4. Include the student number, blank lines, and verification lines (Optional)
- 5. Click Submit
- 6. On the Report Queue (System) My Jobs page, click **Refresh**
- 7. When the status says Completed, click **View**



Meeting Attendance Codes: U,EX,AEX,ISS,OSS,T,TE,D1



Functions
Find teachers who have not taken attendance

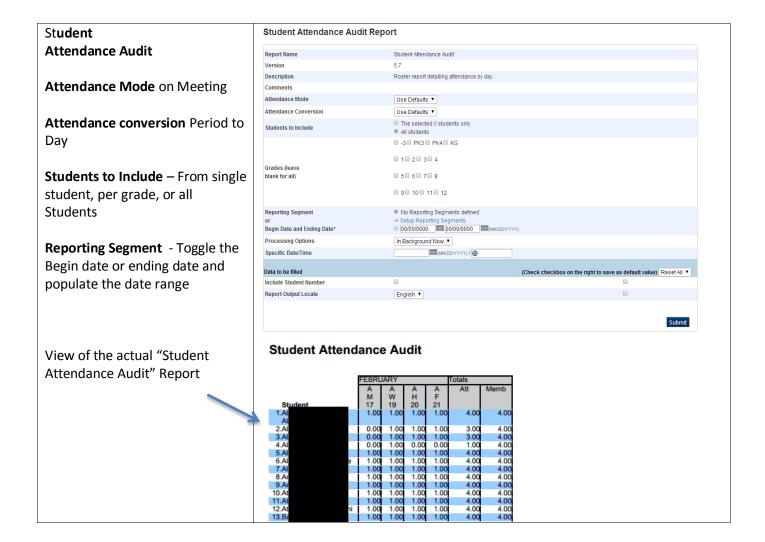
Absentee Report

Student	Number	Grade	Phone	1
	5	10		Α
Talked To:	Relationship:		Reason:	
Verify Date:	Employe	e:		
	1316	10		Α
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Verify Date:	Employe	ee:		

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There are a number of summary reports that are part of PowerSchool. These are accessible from Reports > Run Reports or reports > System Reports

Class Attendance Audit To do a Class Attendance Audit Reporting Segment □ 1:08/01/2013 - 09/03/2013 ▼ Report 1/1/2014 1/31/2014 Begin Date and (MM/DD/YYYY) Ending Date* Select Begin Date/Ending Date **TEACHERS** Teacher: Teachers You can pick an individual teacher Multiple teachers by holding down Ctrl button and select teachers 2 3 Select ALL 4 **TEACHERS** Period(s) (leave Period(s): Leave Blank for All blank for all) period attendance. Header Options Header: This Optional The fields below give the user the ability to add labels and fields from the sections and courses table to the header of the report. The examples below show how to format these fields. **Print Options:** Header Label 1: CIP Code The best results for multiple Field 1: ~ ([Courses]Code) months set the print Option as Header Label 1 Attendance Report 2013-2014 follows: Field 1 Header Label 2 Field 2 Break to a New Page for Each: Include Term Name Month Print Options Page size: Letter (8.4" x 11") Break to a new page Month for each* Letter (8.5" x 11") ▼ Page Size Page Orientation: Landscape Page Orientation* Landscape ▼ 90 Scale: Less than 100 preferable is Report Output Locale English ▼ 90 Report Output locale: English Teacher: G Attendance Report 2013-2014 Have the Course: MATH MS Section: 1 checked! Expression: 1(A) View of the Actual "Class Attendance Audit" Report 5 11/18/13 07/01/14 09/03/13 01/26/14 09/03/13 07/01/14 6 09/03/13 07/01/14 20



Consecutive Absences Report

Attendance Mode: meeting

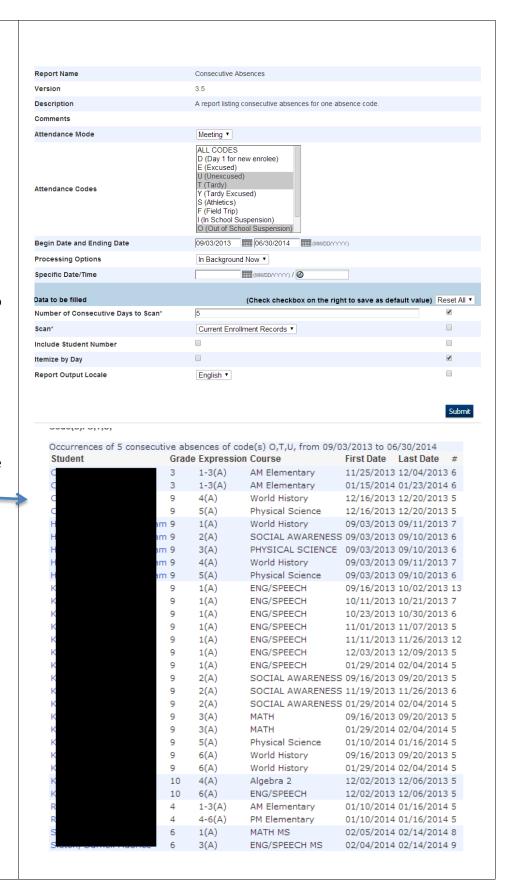
Attendance Codes: All codes or select certain code by holding down the Ctrl button and selecting codes

Begin Date and Ending Date: populate date fields with range

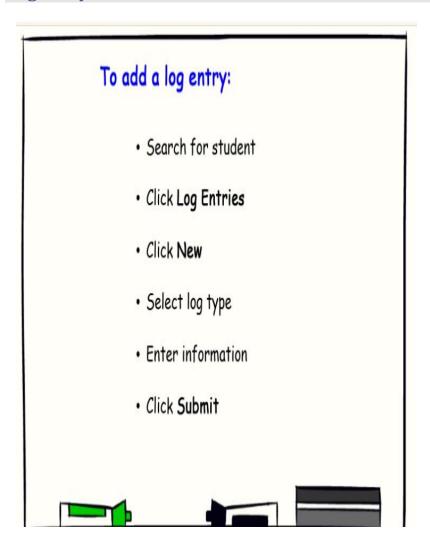
Number of Consecutive Days to Scan and Check box:

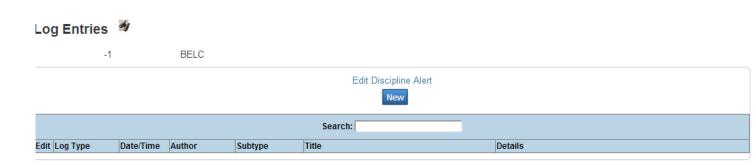
Indicate the days and check the box.

View of the Actual "Consecutive Absences Report"



Log Entry:





Reporting and Tracking Suspensions and Expulsions

Whenever a student may be suspended (whether In School or Out of School) or expelled, a discipline referral must be completed per building procedure by the referring staff member, and given to the building administration. If the student receives a Suspension a Suspension Letter must be provided for the student and parent on the day of the suspension.

Step 1: After receiving the discipline referral with the **Principal's signature** on the referral form, the **building secretary or principal** enters the primary information into PowerSchool under **Log Entries.** Entries will be written using the following format (fields not listed can be ignored):

Edit Discipline Alert

	Edit Discipline Aici t
Date/Time	Filled with date and time of data entry by Powerschool automatically
Log Type	"Discipline"
Author	Filled with user's name by Powerschool automatically
Title	Brief description of the offense: "Profanity in hallway", "Assault on
	teacher", etc.
Details	1) Administrator's name issuing suspension or expulsion
	2) Number of days
	3) Beginning and ending dates
	4) Re: Suspension Letter provided to parent - by whom, mode of delivery,
	date
	5) Narrative of offense
	6) If student is a Special Education student:
	a. Name of case manager
	b. Date case manager notified of suspension
	c. Procedural safeguards provided
	d. Date procedural safeguards provided
Consequence	Select the appropriate option from the dropdown
Incident Date	Enter the date on which the original incident happened that triggered the
	referral
Incident Context	Select the appropriate option from the dropdown based on whether the
	incident occurred during or after school hours
Incident	Select the appropriate option from the dropdown based on whether the
Location	incident occurred on or off of school grounds
Incident Loc	Enter notes about specific location – i.e. 2^{nd} floor restroom, on charter bus,
Details	etc.
Reporter	Select the appropriate option from the dropdown for who reported the
	incident
Police	Select Yes or No from the dropdowns as appropriate to the Incident
Involved/Hearing	
Officer/Drug	
Related/Weapon	
Related	
Weapon Type	Select the appropriate option from the dropdown if the Weapon Related
	field was marked Yes
Money Loss	Enter the dollar value of any money lost or property damaged in the

Value	incident

Step 2: The **Michigan State Information** section at the bottom of the New Log Entry page **must** be filled in for the following referrals:

- Any referral resulting in an Expulsion
- Any referral involving a **Special Education** student which results in an **In School Suspension**, **Out of School Suspension** or **Expulsion**.
- Any referral involving a **Special Education** student which results in the **Hearing Officer** checkbox being checked
- Any referral involving a Special Education student which results in the student's Unilateral Removal to an Interim Alternative Educational Setting

State Data Fields

Include In State Reporting	"Yes"
Incident ID	IMPORTANT : This ID code must be unique to each incident in the school year, but must be the same for all students disciplined for a single incident, e.g. a multi-person brawl. The Generate Id button may be used to generate a new unique ID for the first student involved in an incident, but that same code must be used for the other involved students as well.
Incident Type	Select the appropriate option(s) from the list. If none of the listed entries match the incident, select "(56) Other Behaviors than above"
The incident caused bodily injury/was a sexual assault	Check either or both checkboxes if appropriate to the incident
Estimated Cost of Property Damage	Enter if appropriate to the incident
Initial Consequence	Fill in the <u>Action Taken</u> , number of <u>Consequence Days</u> , and <u>Start</u> <u>Date</u>
Secondary Consequence/Other Consequence	If additional consequences occur (i.e. expulsion after a suspension or removal by a hearing officer), fill in the <u>Action Taken</u> , number of <u>Consequence Days</u> , and <u>Start Date</u>
Follow-Up After Expulsion	If the student was expelled, select the appropriate option(s) from the list

- Step 3: The building principal or building secretary will enter the dates of any Out of School Suspensions in the student attendance section of PowerSchool, using OSS as the attendance code.
- **Step 4:** The building principal or building secretary will exit the student from the district in Powerschool if they are Expelled and receiving no services
- **Step 5:** The building principal or building secretary will print out and provide the **Suspension Form Letter** for the student's parent/guardian.

- **Step 6:** If the student is in Special Education
 - a. The **Procedural Safeguards Notice** will also be sent to the student's parent/guardian, indicating on the letter the mode of delivery to parent, whether in person or by mail.
 - b. The **Case Manager** will be notified by email of any suspension or expulsion by the building administrator or secretary.
 - c. The building principal or secretary will scan and email a copy of the **Suspension Letter** to the **Student Support Services Secretary**.
 - d. A copy of **Suspension Letter** will be placed in the student's main special education file.
- Step 7: If the number of days of the consequence is altered after the initial entry (i.e. a Suspension is shortened or lengthened), the Discipline Log Entry must be edited to reflect the correct number of days served.

Days of Suspension: In the context of recording disciplinary removals issued to students with disabilities;

- A partial day counts as a full day of removal/suspension and will be recorded as such on the student's on-going tracking record.
- If the district imposes restrictions or conditions upon the student's return to school, each day, until the conditions are met, is considered a day of removal/suspension (e.g., parent meeting, psychiatric evaluation).

The term does **not** include;

- Bus suspensions, unless this service is on the student's IEP <u>and</u> the student is unable to make it to school as a result of the suspension.
- In-school suspensions that are continually supervised by a certified teacher or a
 paraprofessional who is supervised by a certified teacher, and that afford the student the
 opportunity to progress in the general curriculum, to participate with students without
 disabilities to the extent that they normally do, and to receive the services specified in
 the student's IEP.
- Class removals for no longer than 1 class period. However, consideration should be given when looking at repeat behaviors/removals as part of a "pattern".
- Necessary delays in admitting the student due to a lack of required documentation, e.g., immunization records.

Form(s) & References:

- -Student Discipline Referral Form
- -Suspension Letter
- -Building Administrator Checklist
- -Suspension Documentation Case Manager
- -Michigan Department of Education Procedural Safeguards Notice (May 2009)

Quick Export:

Powerschool provides tools for extracting records into Excel. Quick Export is best used for a one-time extract. A template can be built to be used over and over. Quick exports pull from the students table. Templates can pull from Students, Courses, Schedules, Teachers, and Historical grades. This method quickly produces a simple list of students and information from the Student table. Change the parameters to produce a more detailed list. For more information about exporting, see *How to Export Using a Template*.

In addition to exporting data, SIS Views provide quick access to key metrics and not just raw data. For detailed information, see the *Data Dictionary SIS Views* available on PowerSource.

How to Use Quick Export

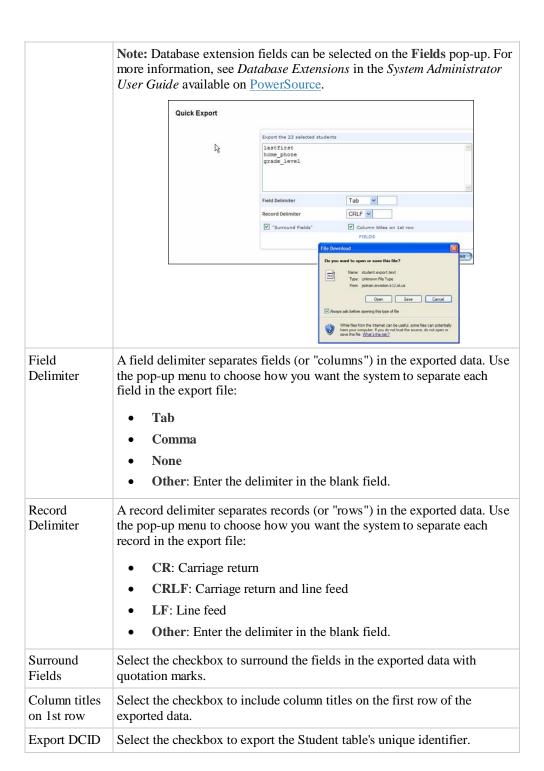
Note: The Quick Export page is now also accessible via Start > System > Page and Data Management > Quick Export.

- 1. On the start page, search for and select a group of students. The Student Selection page appears. For more information, see *Select a Group of Students*.
- Choose Quick Export from the Select a function for this group of students pop-up menu. In most cases, you will not need to change the default options on the Export Students page, in which case you can skip the next step. To change the selections, proceed to the next step.

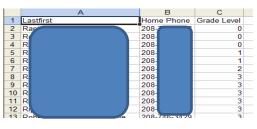
Note: Alternatively, if you have a current selection of students, you can access this page by choosing **Special Functions > Groups Functions**.

3. Use the following table to enter information in the fields:

Field	Description
[Fields to be Exported]	Enter the fields to be included on the exported spreadsheet. Enter as many fields as needed. Enter only one field per line. Separate multiple fields with a hard return.
	To insert a PowerSchool field into this field:
	 Click Fields at the bottom of the page to view a list of PowerSchool fields. The Fields pop-up appears.
	2. To narrow the list of fields, enter one of more search terms in the Filter field. Otherwise, leave blank.
	3. Click the field you want to add. The Fields pop-up closes and the selected field appears.



- 4. Click **Submit**. The exported data appears.
- Choose File > Save As... to save the file. Open the saved file using a spreadsheet application, such as Excel
 - Go to the desktop. Double-click on the file to open it in Excel.

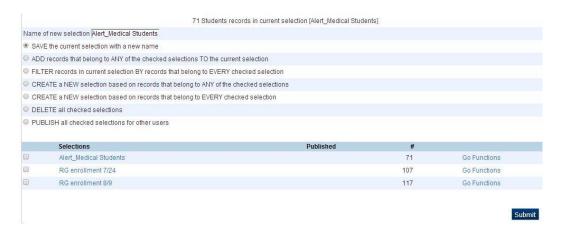


Stored Selections:

These are the steps to create a group that can be called up again and again. (This is only one of several methods.)

Assume you need to work with a group of students over and over again, perhaps students who participate in CrossCountry, Varsity Football and Cheerleading and that these students have the appropriate activities checked. (To ascertain the correct PowerSchool names for the activities, check the field list in the Student Search Screen.)

- Search for the students who might have: Alert_Medical#
- 2. From the Group Functions List, choose Save Stored Selections
- 3. Assign a name for the group and leave the default selection chosen: SAVE the current selection with a new name. [Submit]



 Return to the front screen and repeat the process to select the students participating in activity you would like to have a stored search

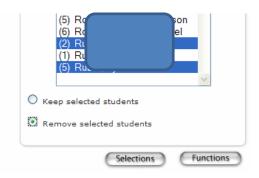
Add students to a saved selection

- A saved selection already exists
- 2. Select the students to be added
- 3. Return to the start screen
- 4. Choose Stored Searches
- 5. Check the stored search
- Click Add records that belong to any of the checked selections
- 7. If you want to use the original name, TYPE it into the new selection name.
- 8. Submit

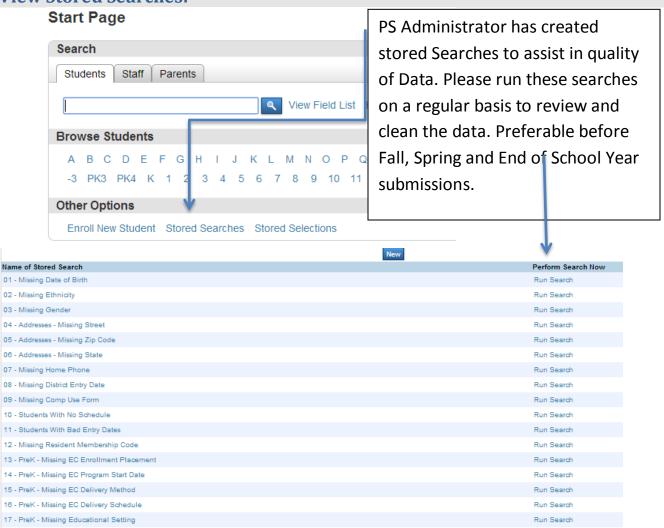


Remove Students from a saved selection

- 1. A saved selection already exists. From the start screen go to Stored Selections and click *Go Functions* associated with the proper selection name.
- 2. Select Students By Hand
- 3. Click the student or students
- 4. Remove selected students (choice at the bottom of the screen)
- 5. Click [Functions]
- 6. Choose Stored Selections
- 7. Type the name into the "Name the new selection" box and leave "Save Selection with new name" selected. When the new name is the same as a previously saved name is used, that name is assigned to the new group of students, in this case, the reduced group of students.

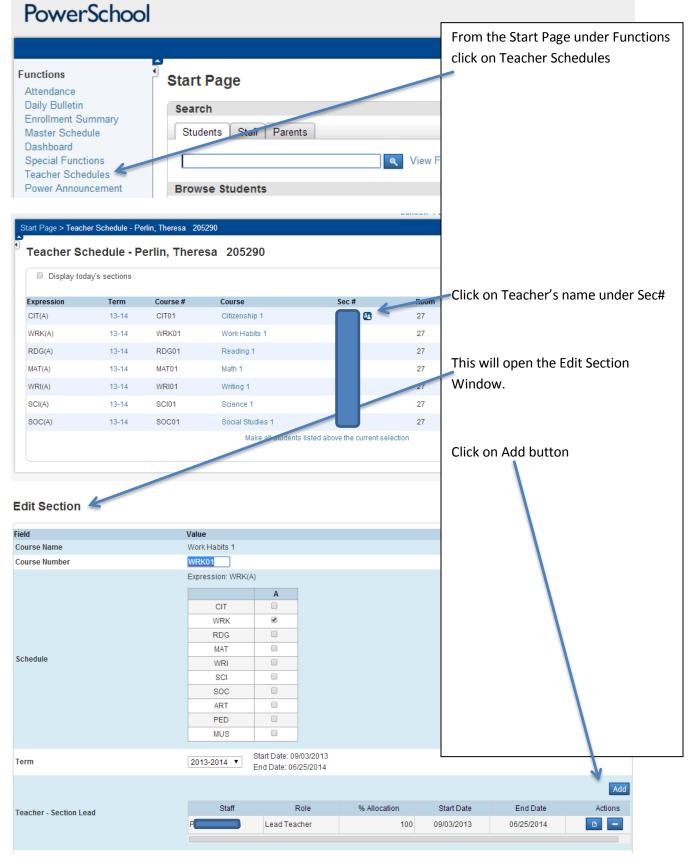


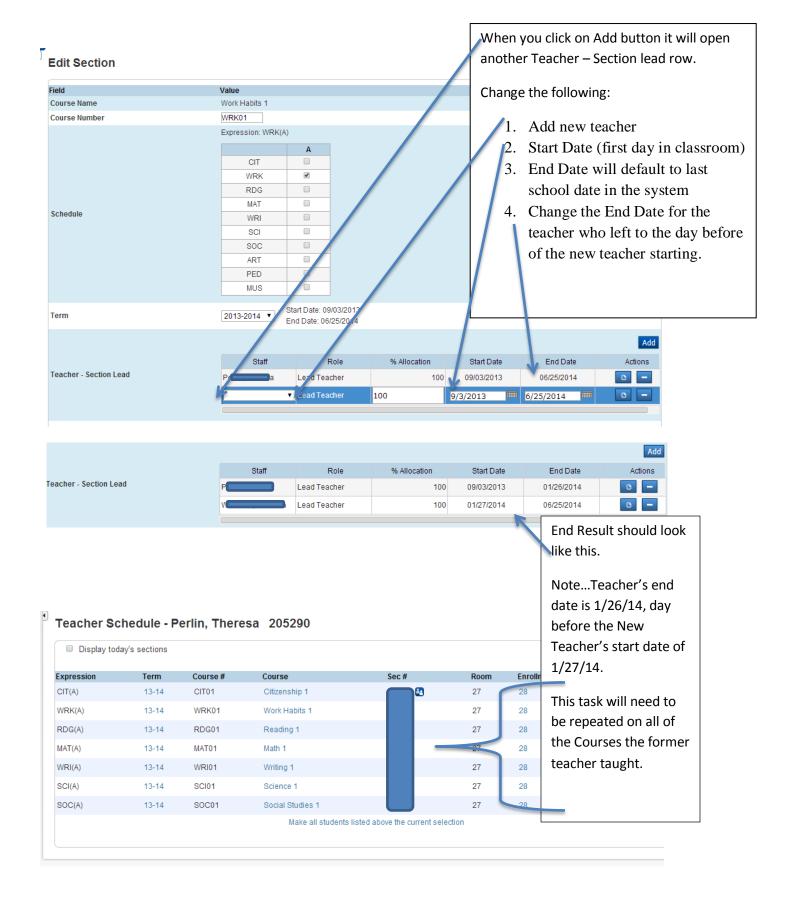




How to Change Section from a Former Teacher to the New Teacher

(If all of the sections will be handled by the new teacher)





Substitute Sign In Settings

Substitute teachers at your school can use PowerTeacher Substitute to enter attendance and lunch counts for the classes they are covering. In order for substitute teachers to sign in to PowerTeacher Substitute, you will need to provide them with the school's PowerTeacher Substitute URL, the name of the school, the name of the teacher for whom you are substituting, and a password. For more information, see the PowerTeacher Substitute online help or the *PowerTeacher Substitute User Guide*.

How to Set Substitute Sign In Settings

- 1. On the start page, choose **School** from the main menu. The School Setup page appears.
- 2. Under General, click Sub Sign In Settings. The Substitute Sign In Settings page appears.



3. Use the following table to enter information in the fields:

Field	Description
Sub Sign In Password	Enter the substitute password.
Include current date?	Select the checkbox to include the current date as a prefix to the password.

4. Click **Submit**. The School Setup page appears.

Substitute Attendance

This article describes how a substitute teacher can take attendance for your class using PowerTeacher, without the need for your username or password.

- Log into the Substitute Portal of PowerSchool: https://ps.ycschools.us/subs
- 2. Select the school and teacher that the substitute is filling in for from the drop-down fields, and enter the substitute password, attained from the front office.



3. Click the "chair" icon next to the class for which you need to take attendance.



4. Select the appropriate attendance code from the drop-down field, then click next to each student name that needs to be marked with the selected code.



5. Click the 'Submit' button at the bottom of the page.

Even if all students are present, the substitute teacher still needs to log in, click the "chair" icon for the current period, and click the submit button at the bottom of the page. This is the only way the system will know that all students are present.