



EARLY CHILDHOOD DATA SYSTEM KINDERGARTEN

July 30-31, 2024 and August 1, 2024

AGENDA – ECDS KINDERGARTEN



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PROGRAM AREA UPDATES & GUIDANCE



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- Program-related questions can be submitted to the [Early Childhood Education Division Support Portal](#).



DATA GOVERNANCE UPDATES



- No updates to the following since TSDS Spring training:
 - Data Elements
 - Reports
 - Descriptor Tables
 - Business Rules



REPORT UPDATES



- The following ECDS KG reports will be updated so that the header logic displays either “Promoted” or “Completed” for other Prepare/Finalize statuses. For example, “Validated, Validated without Assessments” would display “Promoted” on reports:
 - ECD0-000-001 Early Childhood Assessment Completion
 - ECD0-000-002 Early Childhood Assessment Summary
 - ECD0-000-004 Early Childhood KG Data Submission
 - ECD0-000-005 Early Childhood Incomplete Assessment Data



REPORT UPDATES



- The following ECDS KG report will display either “Promoted” or “Completed” for other Prepare/Finalize statuses. “N/A” will no longer display:

Home » Prepare / Finalize Submission

Prepare / Finalize Submission

LEA Overview

Organization Data Status: **VALIDATED WITHOUT ASSESSMENTS**

Organization Name: SEDS LEARNING ISD *

Organization ID: 701603

School Year: 2023-2024

Collection: ECDS

Submission: KG

Submission Instance: Single

Total Fatal Errors: 0

Total Subcategories Promoted: 10

Total Subcategories Validated: 10

Texas Education Agency
ECDO-000-004
V24.1.5
*** CONFIDENTIAL ***
LEA: 701603 - LEARNING ISD

TSDS EARLY CHILDHOOD KG DATA SUBMISSION
LEA-level Data | All KG Students (with or w/o BOY Assessments)
Campuses: All Campuses
2023 - 2024 Kindergarten

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ORGANIZATION-CATEGORY: Local Education Agency CAMPUS GRADES OFFERED: Kindergarten ORGANIZATION CATEGORY: School

Campus: 701603101 - LEARNING ELEMENTARY Status: **PROMOTED**

STUDENT DATA										TEACHER DATA				
Name	UID	Student ID System	ID	DOB	Sex	Hisp/Latino	Race	Entry Grade Level	Emerg Billing	Class ID	Home Rtn Indicator	Classroom Position	Teacher Name Inst Srt: MM/DD/YYYY Inst End: MM/DD/YYYY	UID
STUDENT'S ASSESSMENT DATA														
ID System	Assessment Code	KG Ready	Assessment Title	Academic Subject	Admin Date	Report Method	Raw Score/Percentile							
DOE, JOHN JAMES	1234567890	State	XXXXXX258	01/05/2018	Male	FALSE	W Kindergarten NEB 10050230000000	1	01	SMITH, VICTORIA	08/16/2023	05/31/2024	9876543210	
NULL	NULL	NULL	NULL	NULL	NULL	NULL	Not Assessed							



TSDS UPGRADE PROJECT UPDATES



- **Application Updates:**
 - Load Assessment Data
 - Starting in the 2024-2025 school year, the "Load Assessment Data" functionality in the Core application will no longer be available as ECDS vendors will now be sending student assessment data to TSDS via API transactions. LEAs will need to coordinate with their vendor to ensure proper setup and configuration to have the data loaded into the IODS.



TSDS UPGRADE PROJECT UPDATES



Application Updates:

- Load Assessment Data
 - Removal of “Load Assessment Data” functionality under the Data Promotions tab:

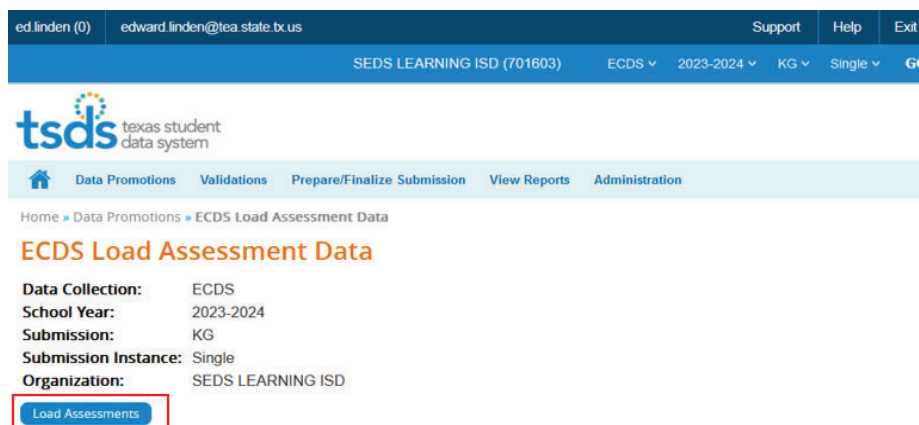


TSDS UPGRADE PROJECT UPDATES



Application Updates:

- Load Assessment Data
 - Removal of the “Load Assessments” button and the ECDS Load Assessment Data page:



TSDS UPGRADE PROJECT UPDATES



■ Data Element Name Changes:

Data Element ID	XML Data Element Name	Upgrade Data Element Name
E1127	ASSESSMENT TITLE	TitleofAssessment
E1359	SCORE RESULT	Result
E1056	CLASS-ID-NUMBER	SectionIdentifier
E3010 (was E1069)	STUDENT-BEGIN-DATE	BeginDate
E3020 (was E1070)	STUDENT-END-DATE	EndDate
E3010 (was E1065)	ASSIGNMENT-BEGIN-DATE	BeginDate
E3020 (was E1066)	ASSIGNMENT-END-DATE	EndDate



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■ Descriptor Table Name Changes:

Descriptor ID	XML Code Table Name	Upgrade Descriptor Name
C328 (was DC014)	ASSESSMENT-REPORTING-METHOD	AssessmentReportingMethod
C325 (was DC002)	ACADEMIC-SUBJECT-TYPE	AcademicSubject
C061 (was DC079)	EMERGENT-BILINGUAL-TYPE	EmergentBilingualIndicator



TSDS UPGRADE PROJECT UPDATES



Business Rule Changes:

- Uses codes instead of descriptors to trigger validations:
 - With ReportAssessmentType of "01" (ECDS - KG)

Rule Level	Rule #	Rule Text / Business Meaning	Sev./Level	Core	PEIMS	Applies To
2 and 3	40110-0179	<p>If HOME-ROOM-INDICATOR HomeroomIndicator is TRUE, then there should be a StudentAssessment with REPORT-ASSESSMENT-TYPE ReportAssessmentType for an Assessment with ReportAssessmentType of "01" (ECDS - KG).</p> <p>StudentAssessment data should be reported for the homeroom for Kindergarten students.</p>	S	ECDS-KG		District Charter



TSDS UPGRADE PROJECT UPDATES



Business Rule Changes:

- Business validation logic requires that a BeginDate and EndDate must be populated.

Rule Level	Rule #	Rule Text / Business Meaning	Sev./Level	Core	PEIMS	Applies To
2 and 3	30305-0025	<p>For a StaffSectionAssociation being reported for the ECDS collection, the following must not be blank: BeginDate and EndDate.</p> <p>For a StaffSectionAssociation reported for the ECDS collection, the following must be reported: Begin Date and End Date.</p>	F	ECDS-KG, ECDS-PK		District Charter



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Assessment Updates:

- ECDS AssessmentMetadata is now pre-coded in the IODS
 - ECDS KG assessment vendors will only need to send the following from the StudentAssessment entity:
 - Student (Reference)
 - Assessment (Reference)
 - E1127 TitleofAssessment
 - E1573 ReportAssessmentType
 - E1097 AcademicSubject
 - E1129 AssessedGradeLevel
 - E1396 AdministrationDate
 - E1154 AssessmentReportingMethod
 - E1359 Result
 - E3052 ResultDatatypeType (IODS only)



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Assessment Updates:

- Assessment claim sets:
 - An LEA will need to assign an assessment claim set to receive student assessment data from their ECDS assessment vendor.

LEARNING TEST ISD (701603) 2023-2024 GO

TEA Data Management Center

Monitor Validations Admin View Reports

Home >> Manage Applications, Keys, and Secrets

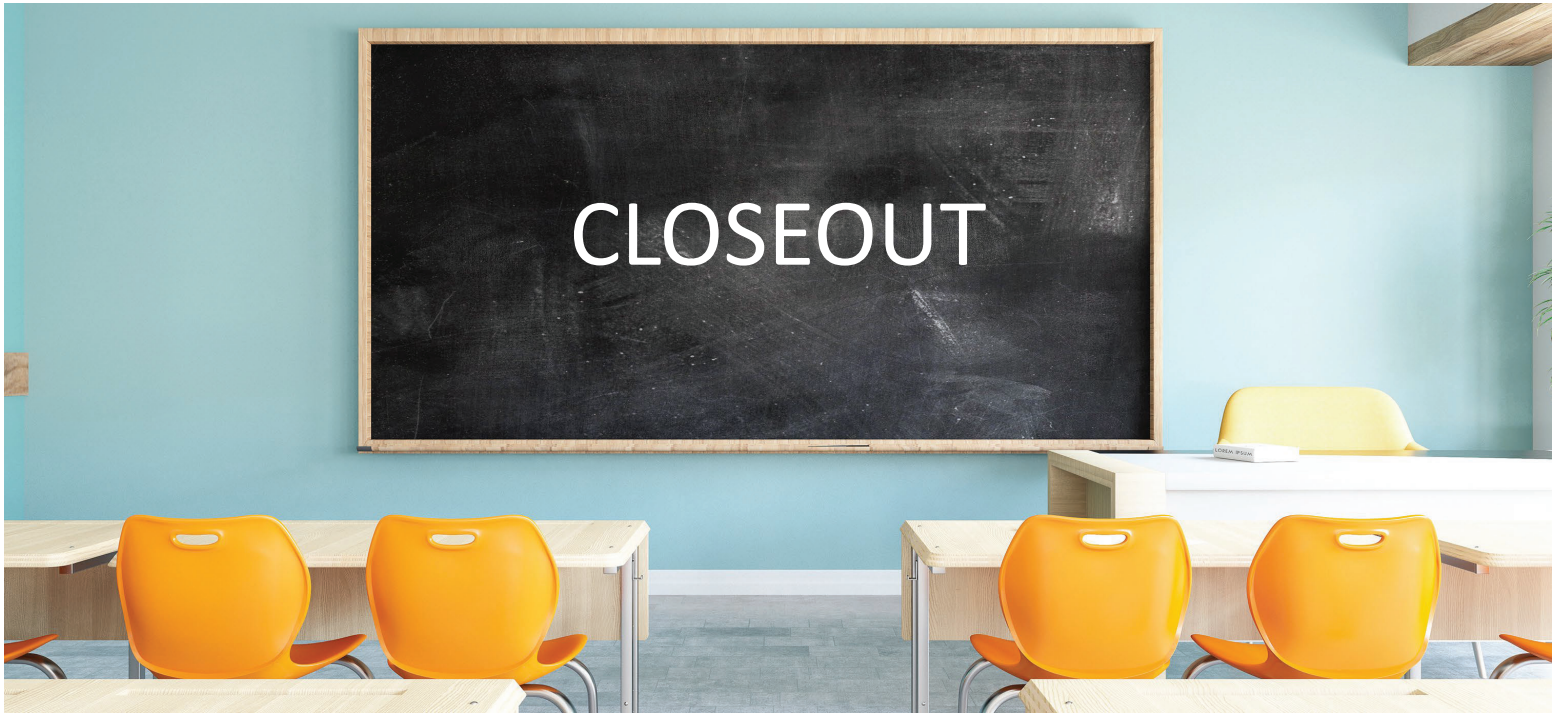
Add/Edit Application

Application Name: ⓘ

Claim Set Name: ⓘ

- Select Claim Set
- Ed-Fi Sandbox
- Roster Vendor
- Assessment Read
- District Hosted SIS Vendor
- AB Connect
- SIS Vendor
- Read-Only All Resources
- Assessment Vendor**
- Finance Vendor





TIMELINE



Early Childhood Data System Collection (ECDS) - KG	Date
TSDS ready to load data to IODS	August 5, 2024
ECDS Kindergarten ready for users to complete	November 11, 2024
ECDS Kindergarten Submission due date for LEAs	January 30, 2025
ECDS Kindergarten data available to customers	February 13, 2025

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS



Can an LEA send all course/section data, for all ECDS KG homeroom sections with begin and end dates, that include the E1440 HomeroomIndicator data element in the StudentSectionAssociation entity? Will the promotion logic select the correct section when joining to the Assessment data?

All TSDS student course/section data will be loaded into the IODS from the Student Information System (SIS). Any KG StudentSectionAssociation information that includes a boolean value for E1440 HomeroomIndicator will be promoted to the Core data mart based on the promotion logic listed in the Category/Subcategory for Student > Student Section.

In addition, a Kindergarten student can only be reported with one homeroom at the time the assessment is administered. Otherwise, the 40110-0184 validation rule will fire.



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS



Where and when will ECDS assessment vendors send student assessment information for LEAs to submit in the ECDS submissions?

All TSDS ECDS assessment vendors for the 2024-2025 school year will be required to send student assessment data directly to an LEA's IODS.

It is the LEA's responsibility to provide their ECDS assessment vendor with the appropriate student Unique IDs for the assessment information required for ECDS submissions. The schedule and frequency of student assessment data updates to the IODS will be determined by each ECDS assessment vendor.



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS



How can an LEA verify that Student Assessment data has been loaded into the IODS?

An LEA can use the “Load Summary” function in the Data Management Center (DMC) to determine if StudentAssessment data were successfully loaded into the IODS.

In addition, an LEA can also utilize the “Search Data” function in the DMC to identify individual students by Unique ID to view their student assessment information in JSON format.

To avoid Level 1 validation errors, student information from the SIS should be loaded prior to the assessment data being loaded into the IODS.



TECHNICAL RESOURCES



- Technical Support
 - TSDSCustomerSupport@tea.texas.gov
- Technical Specification
 - [2024-2025 TSDS Web-Enabled Data Standards \(TWEDS\)](#)
 - [Known Issues](#)
- TSDS Incident Management System (TIMS)
 - [TSDS Incident Management System \(TIMS\) Support Application](#)
 - [TIMS Knowledge Base Article Repository](#)





QUESTIONS?