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LEAVERS AND GRADUATES

July 21, 2026

AGENDA – LEAVERS AND GRADUATES

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OVERVIEW

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- **Effective beginning in the 2025-2026 school year,** current-year leaver and graduation data will be reported in both the:
  - **PEIMS Summer Submission.**
  - **PEIMS Extended Year Submission.**
- TEA **updated both submissions** to include all necessary data for determining leaver and graduate status.
- Additional changes were released on April 13, 2026, for **Extended Year Submission** for reporting **Industry-Based Certifications** and **Associate Degrees**.



TIMELINE

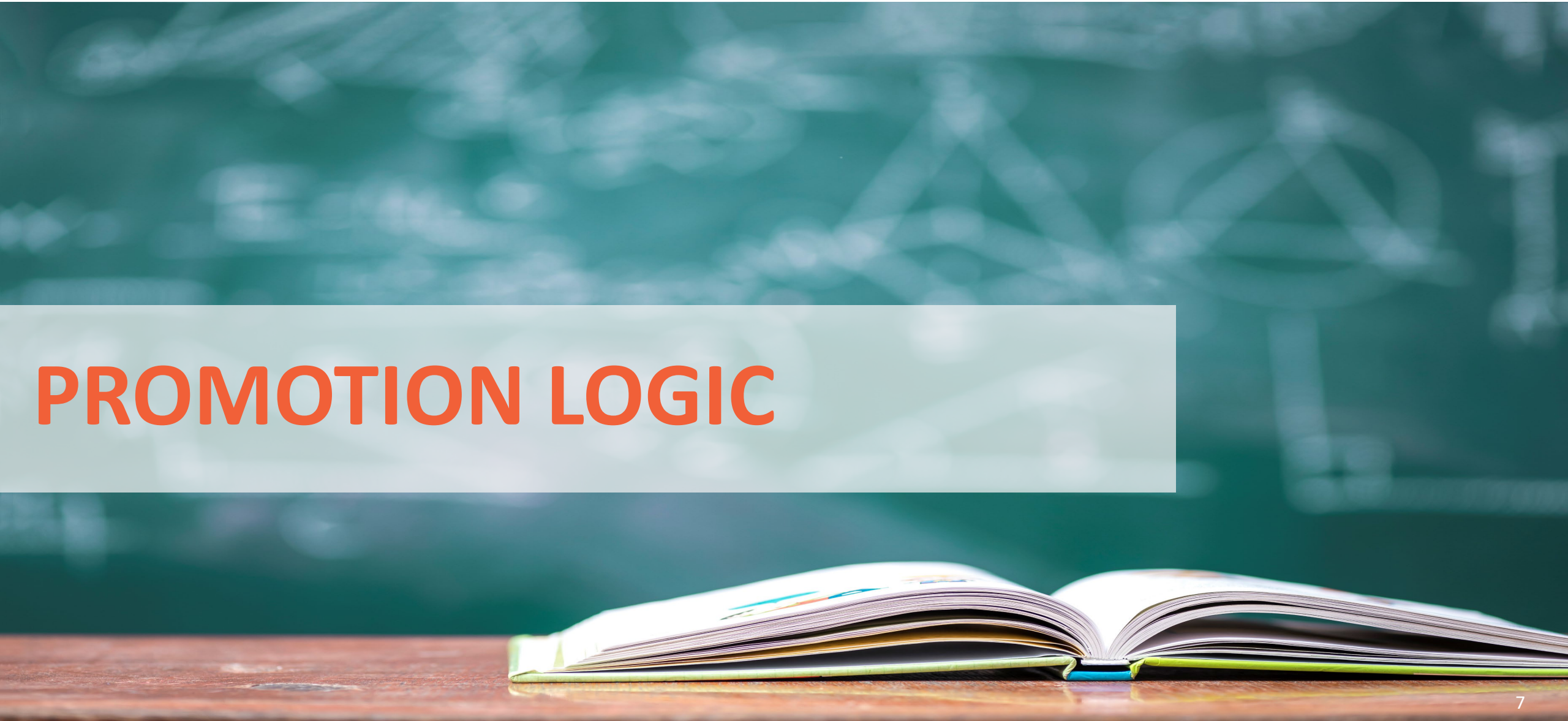
TIMELINE

Submission and Resubmission Timelines

PEIMS Summer Submission (Sub 3)	
TSDS PEIMS ready to load data to IODS	August 4, 2025
TSDS PEIMS Summer ready for users to complete, approve, and accept submissions	May 18, 2026
Requests to retire Unique IDs due at TEA for PEIMS Summer First Submission	June 12, 2026
PEIMS Summer First Submission due date for LEAs	June 18, 2026
Requests to retire Unique IDs due at TEA for PEIMS Summer Resubmission	July 10, 2026
PEIMS Summer Resubmission due date for LEAs LEAs registered with TEA with year-round tracks ending later than **June 18, 2026**, may delay PEIMS Summer Resubmission until two weeks following completion of the latest year-round track or **August 20, 2026**, whichever comes first. However, the initial data delivery for Submission 3 must still be made by **June 18, 2026**, for all LEAs. In no case will any Resubmission be processed after **August 20, 2026**. Data corrections made after **August 20, 2026**, will be processed by State Funding.	July 16, 2026
PEIMS Summer data available to customers	September 17, 2026
PEIMS Extended Year Submission (Sub 4) if applic	
TSDS PEIMS ready to load data to IODS	August 4, 2025
TSDS PEIMS Extended Year ready for users to complete, approve, and accept submissions	July 27, 2026
Requests to retire Unique IDs due at TEA for PEIMS Extended Year First Submission	August 21, 2026
PEIMS Extended Year First Submission due date for LEAs	August 27, 2026
Requests to retire Unique IDs due at TEA for PEIMS Extended Year Resubmission	September 25, 2026
PEIMS Extended Year Resubmission due date for LEAs	October 1, 2026
PEIMS Extended Year data available to customers	October 29, 2026

2025-2026 school year Leavers and Graduates will be reported in the **2025-2026** PEIMS Summer and Extended Year Submissions.

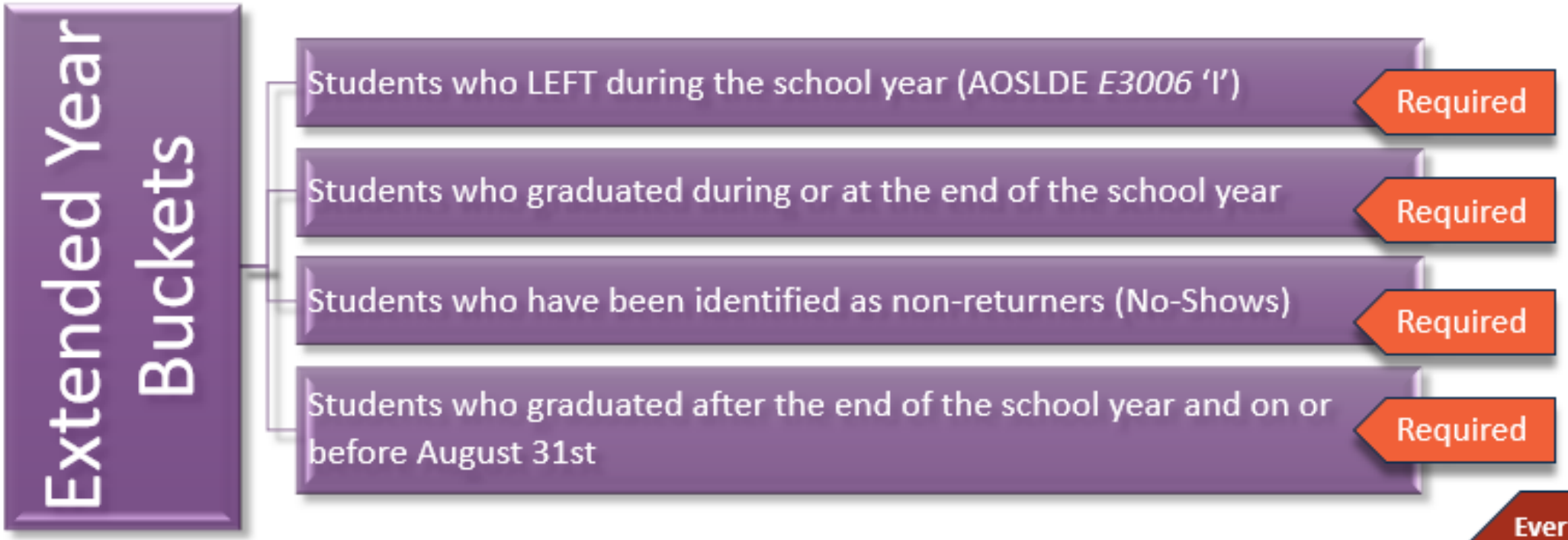
PROMOTION LOGIC



NEW DATA IN PEIMS SUMR & EXYR

- The **Student > School Leaver** subcategory will now be promoted in PEIMS Summer and Extended Year.
- **StudentAcademicRecord.Diploma** data will now be promoted into the **Student > Graduation Program** subcategory.
- No changes to the other Student subcategories:
  - All reported Leavers are enrolled at some point during the school year.
    - Student Basic Information, Enrollment (School Association), and
    - All student attendance entities
  - All expected campus, program, attendance, truancy, etc. data sets will be promoted for Leavers.

PROMOTION LOGIC – PEIMS EXTENDED YEAR



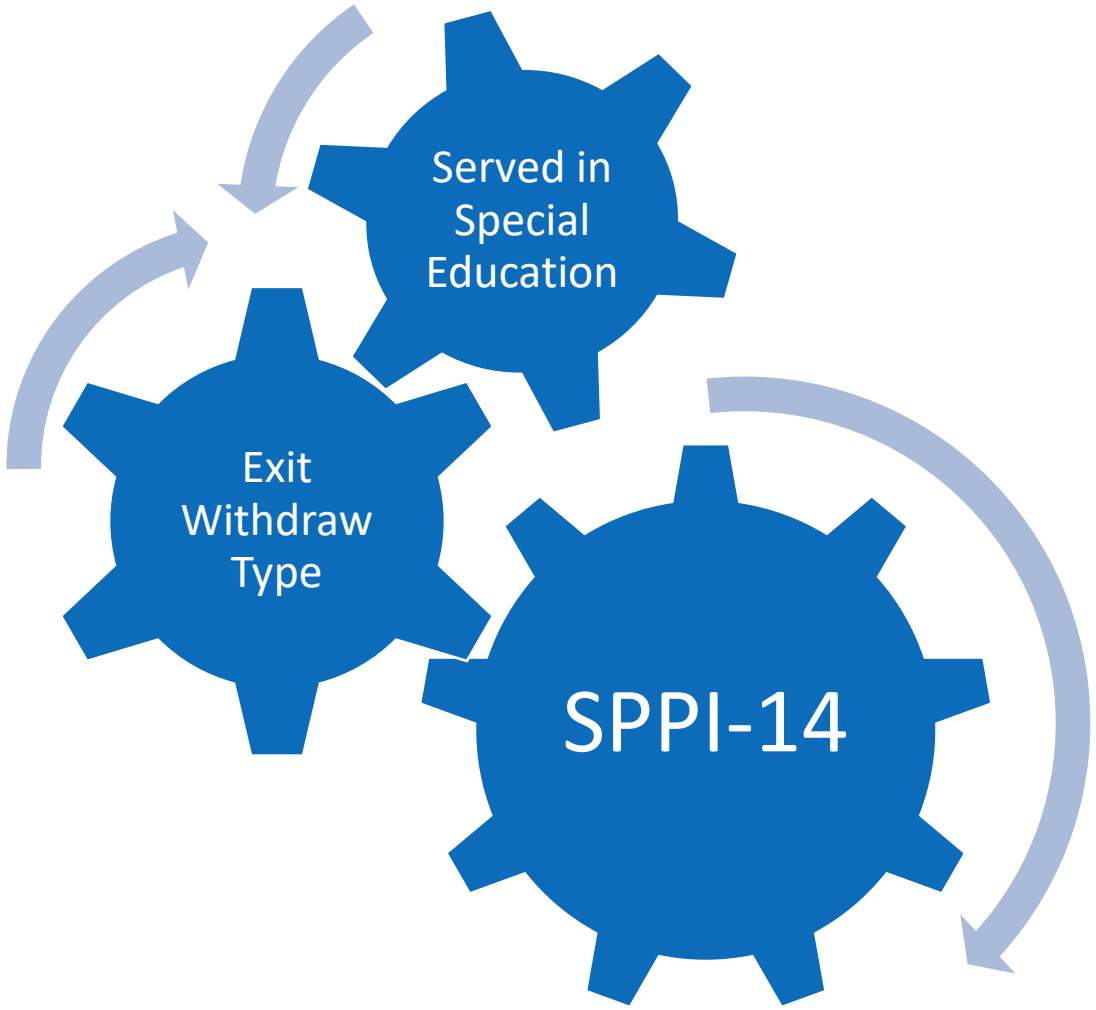
Everyone must submit PEIMS EXYR

All Leavers are promoted every submission, providing additional opportunities for LEAs to verify and validate their Leaver data.

MOVERS

- Students enrolled in the school year must be accounted for through leaver data (leaver, graduate, TxCHSE) or proof of enrollment in anther Texas-public school by the end of the school-start window (**mover**).
- **Mover** Best Practices:
  - Use **TEA reports** and the **Enrollment Tracking** application to locate students who moved.
  - If in doubt report the student with an ExitWithdrawType **98** (Other, reason unknown or not listed).
  - The **TEA Leaver Reconciliation** process will use the **PEIMS Fall Enrollment Submission** and the **PEIMS Summer Submission** attendance data to identify a student as a mover rather than a leaver.

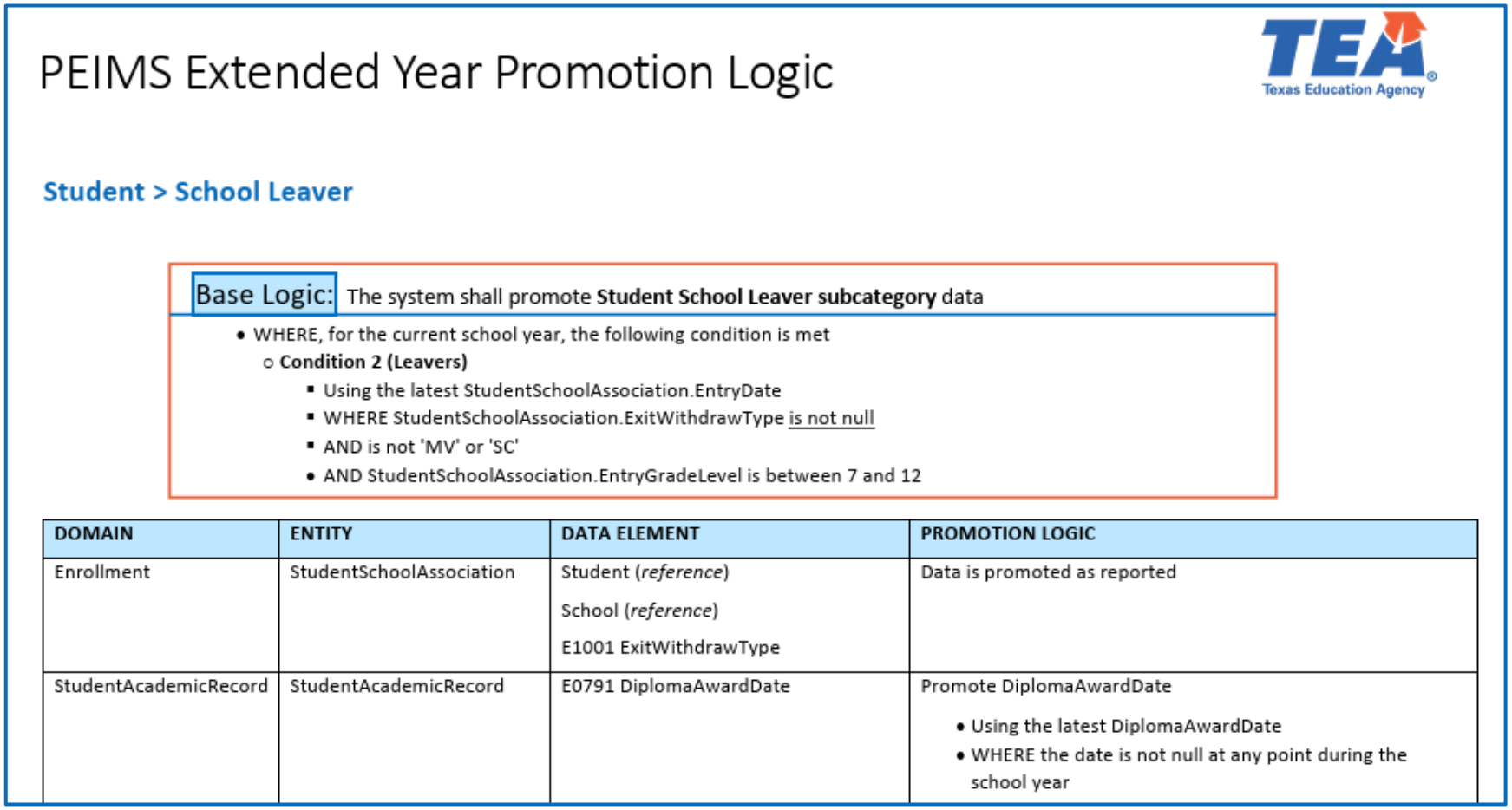
SPPI-14 PREPARATION



SPPI-14

- ExitWithdrawType
  - ‘01’, ‘24’, ‘88’, ‘90’, or ‘98’
- Student served in special education during the school year they exited.
- Confirm any changes that occur between PEIMS SUMR and PEIMS EXYR.
  - For example: A student is initially reported as ’01’ Graduated in PEIMS SUMR. After graduation, the parent requests reenrollment for continued IEP services. Because the student returned to receive services, the student should not be reported as a final leaver in PEIMS EXYR.

SIMPLIFIED PROMOTION LOGIC DOCUMENT



PEIMS Extended Year Promotion Logic

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Student > School Leaver

Base Logic: The system shall promote **Student School Leaver subcategory** data

- WHERE, for the current school year, the following condition is met
  - **Condition 2 (Leavers)**
    - Using the latest StudentSchoolAssociation.EntryDate
    - WHERE StudentSchoolAssociation.ExitWithdrawType is not null
    - AND is not 'MV' or 'SC'
    - AND StudentSchoolAssociation.EntryGradeLevel is between 7 and 12

DOMAIN	ENTITY	DATA ELEMENT	PROMOTION LOGIC
Enrollment	StudentSchoolAssociation	Student (*reference*) School (*reference*) E1001 ExitWithdrawType	Data is promoted as reported
StudentAcademicRecord	StudentAcademicRecord	E0791 DiplomaAwardDate	Promote DiplomaAwardDate • Using the latest DiplomaAwardDate • WHERE the date is not null at any point during the school year

- Visit the *Data Collection Documentation* webpage to view all published simplified promotion logic documents.

STUDENT GRADUATION SUBCATEGORY PROMOTIONS

- Promote all data every submission (SUMR and EXYR)
  - Diploma
    - DiplomaAwardDate
    - DiplomaType
    - IndividualGraduationCommitteeGraduateIndicator
    - FinancialAidApplication
    - TexasFirstEarlyHSCompletionProgram
    - DistingLevelAchievementGraduate
  - EndorsementCompletedSet
    - EndorsementCompleted
    - CompletedDate

- Promotes only SUMR or EXYR
  - AssociateDegreeIndicatorSet
    - AssociateDegreeIndicator
    - EarnedDate
      - SUMR: 9/1/2025 – 5/31/2026
      - EXYR: 6/1/2026 – 8/31/2026
  - IndustryBasedCertificationSet
    - DateCertTaken
      - SUMR: 9/1/2025 – 5/31/2026
      - EXYR: 6/1/2026 – 8/31/2026
  - GraduationProgramParticipationSet
    - EndorsementPursuing, FHSPParticipant, and FHSPDistingLevelParticipant
      - SUMR Only

REPORTS



PEIMS EXTENDED YEAR REPORTS UPDATES

Moving from PEIMS Fall
PDM4-124-001
PDM4-124-002
PDM4-124-003
PDM4-124-004
PDM4-124-005
PDM4-124-006
PDM4-124-007
PDM4-220-001

Updated to include Leavers & Grads
PDM4-230-002
PDM4-231-002
New Submission Comparison Report
PDM4-221-001
PDM4-221-002

Available for the 2025-2026 school year!

UPDATED REPORTS FOR EXTENDED YEAR

- PDM4-230-002 – Submission Summary Report
- PDM4-231-002 – Percentage of Change from Previous Year

Leavers and Graduates included on each of these reports.

Comparison to PEIMS Fall 2025-2026 for this year only.

School year 2026-2027 will be compared to PEIMS EXYR 2025-2026 accepted data.

STATEMENT OF APPROVAL (SOA) REPORT

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TSDS PEIMS PERCENTAGE OF CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR
LEA-level Data
Campuses: All Campuses
2025-2026 Extended Year First Submission Instance

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LEA: nnnnnn - DistrictName1

Leavers & Graduates
Summary

Student Status	Previous Year	Current Year	% Change	Compared to Prev Year
Graduates	2,605	2,536	-3%	Decrease
Dropouts	1,649	1,714	4%	Increase
All Other Leavers	693	385	-44%	Decrease

Exit Withdraw Type

Program Indicator	Previous Year	Current Year	% Change	Compared to Prev Year
01-Graduated From A Campus In This District Or Charter	774	275	-64%	Decrease
89-Incarcerated in state jail or federal penitentiary as an adult	693	385	-44%	Decrease
98-Other	231	249	8%	Increase

Diploma Type

Program Indicator	Previous Year	Current Year	% Change	Compared to Prev Year
34-Foundation High School Program	472	426	-10%	Decrease
40-Texas First Early High School Completion Program	40	65	63%	Increase

IGC Graduate

Program Indicator	Previous Year	Current Year	% Change	Compared to Prev Year

No Data to Report

NEW REPORTS FOR EXTENDED YEAR

New Submission Comparison Reports

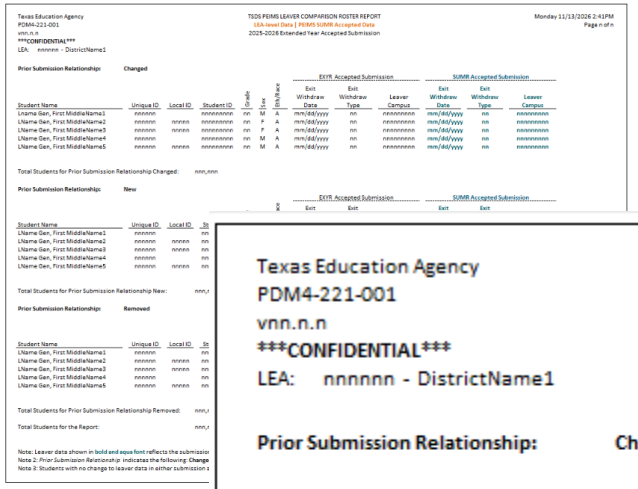
- PDM4-221-001 – Leaver Comparison Roster Report
- PDM4-221-002 – Leaver Comparison Summary Report

These new comparison reports will provide submission-to-submission insight into the reported leavers. It will answer the questions:

- Was the Leaver reported already?
- Was there a change to reported Leaver data?
- Was the Leaver removed from this submission instance?

SUMR version will be available in PEIMS Summer 2026-2027.

PDM4-221-001 LEAVER COMPARISON ROSTER REPORT



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TSDS PEIMS LEAVER COMPARISON ROSTER REPORT
LEA-level Data | PEIMS SUMR Accepted Data
2025-2026 Extended Year Accepted Submission

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Prior Submission Relationship: **Changed**

							EXYR Accepted Submission			SUMR Accepted Submission		
Student Name	Unique ID	Local ID	Student ID	Grade	Sex	Eth/Race	Exit Withdraw Date	Exit Withdraw Type	Leaver Campus	Exit Withdraw Date	Exit Withdraw Type	Leaver Campus
Lname Gen, First MiddleName1	nnnnnn		nnnnnnnnn	nn	M	A	mm/dd/yyyy	nn	nnnnnnnnn	mm/dd/yyyy	nn	nnnnnnnnn
LName Gen, First MiddleName2	nnnnnn	nnnnn	nnnnnnnnn	nn	F	A	mm/dd/yyyy	nn	nnnnnnnnn	mm/dd/yyyy	nn	nnnnnnnnn
LName Gen, First MiddleName3	nnnnnn	nnnnn	nnnnnnnnn	nn	F	A	mm/dd/yyyy	nn	nnnnnnnnn	mm/dd/yyyy	nn	nnnnnnnnn
LName Gen, First MiddleName4	nnnnnn		nnnnnnnnn	nn	M	A	mm/dd/yyyy	nn	nnnnnnnnn	mm/dd/yyyy	nn	nnnnnnnnn
LName Gen, First MiddleName5	nnnnnn	nnnnn	nnnnnnnnn	nn	M	A	mm/dd/yyyy	nn	nnnnnnnnn	mm/dd/yyyy	nn	nnnnnnnnn

Total Students for Prior Submission Relationship Changed: nnn,nnn

PDM4-221-002 LEAVER COMPARISON SUMMARY REPORT

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LEA: nnnnnn - DistrictName1

TSDS PEIMS LEAVER COMPARISON SUMMARY REPORT
LEA-level Data | Summer Resubmission Instance
2025-2026 Extended Year Resubmission Instance

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Leaver Reason	EXYR Resubmission Instance Count	SUMR Resubmission Instance Count	Difference
Dropouts:			
nn aaaaaaaaaa	n,nnn	**n,nnn**	**-n,nnn**
nn aaaaaaaaaa	n,nnn	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**
nn aaaaaaaa	n,nnn	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**
Dropout Subtotal	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**
Graduates:			
nn aaaaaaaa	n,nnn	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**
Graduates Subtotal	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**
Other Leavers:			
nn aaaaaaaaaa	n,nnn	**n,nnn**	**-n,nnn**
nn aaaaaaaaaa	n,nnn	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**
nn aaaaaaaaaa	n,nnn	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**
nn aaaaaaaaaa	n,nnn	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**
Other Leavers Subtotal	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**
Total	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**	**n,nnn**

Note: Leaver data shown in **bold and aqua font** reflects the submission instance selected in the parameter. Leaver data shown in regular black font reflects the EXYR submission instance for which the report is run.

STUDENT LEAVER SECONDARY ROSTER PROCESS

Who

- Students in grade 7 – 12
- Enrolled in a district or charter school in Year 1 but not in the same in Year 2
- All Texas school systems

What

- Identifies students as leavers (moved, graduated, dropped out, etc.)
- Combines PEIMS data and TXCHSE records
- Assigns a final leaver classification and reports it to school systems
- Impacts school system accountability ratings

When

- Step 1: School systems report leaver information to PEIMS Summer and Extended Year
- Step 2: Use Year 1 data to identify expected leavers
- Step 3: Use Year 2 Fall Enrollment data to confirm and classify leaver status
- Final results are available after Year 2 data is submitted in PEIMS Fall Enrollment.

SECONDARY ROSTER REPORTS

Underreported Leaver Reports	Reported Types	State Leaver Status
• Preliminary • Presumed • Reconciled	• Enrollment • Non-Enrollment • Attendance • Flexible Attendance	• Graduate • GED Recipient • Previous Graduate • School Year Movers • Summer Movers • Underreported (Dropout)

PDM4-326-002 PRESUMED UNDERREPORTED STUDENTS LIST

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LEA: nnnnnn - DistrictName1
Campus: nnnnnnnnn - CampusName1

Grade: nn

TSDS PEIMS PRESUMED UNDERREPORTED STUDENTS LIST
Campus-level Data
Campuses: NNN, NNN, NNN
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Student Name	Unique ID	Local ID	Student ID	Sex	Eth/Race	DOB	Reported Type	PU	Presumed Leaver	School Year Mover	Texas GED Recipient Date	Prior Texas Graduate	TSDS Unique ID Error
LName, First MiddleName1	nnnnnn	nnnnnnnn	nnn-nn-nnnn	M	A	mm/dd/yyyy	Attendance Only		Y				
LName, First MiddleName2	nnnnnn	nnnnnnnn	nnn-nn-nnnn	F	A	mm/dd/yyyy	Att + Enr				mm/dd/yyyy		
LName, First MiddleName3	nnnnnn	nnnnnnnn	nnn-nn-nnnn	F	A	mm/dd/yyyy	Enr			Y			
LName, First MiddleName4	nnnnnn	nnnnnnnn	nnn-nn-nnnn	M	A	mm/dd/yyyy	Flex + Att + Non-Enr	*					Y
LName, First MiddleName5	nnnnnn	nnnnnnnn	nnn-nn-nnnn	M	A	mm/dd/yyyy	Non-Enrollment Only					Y	

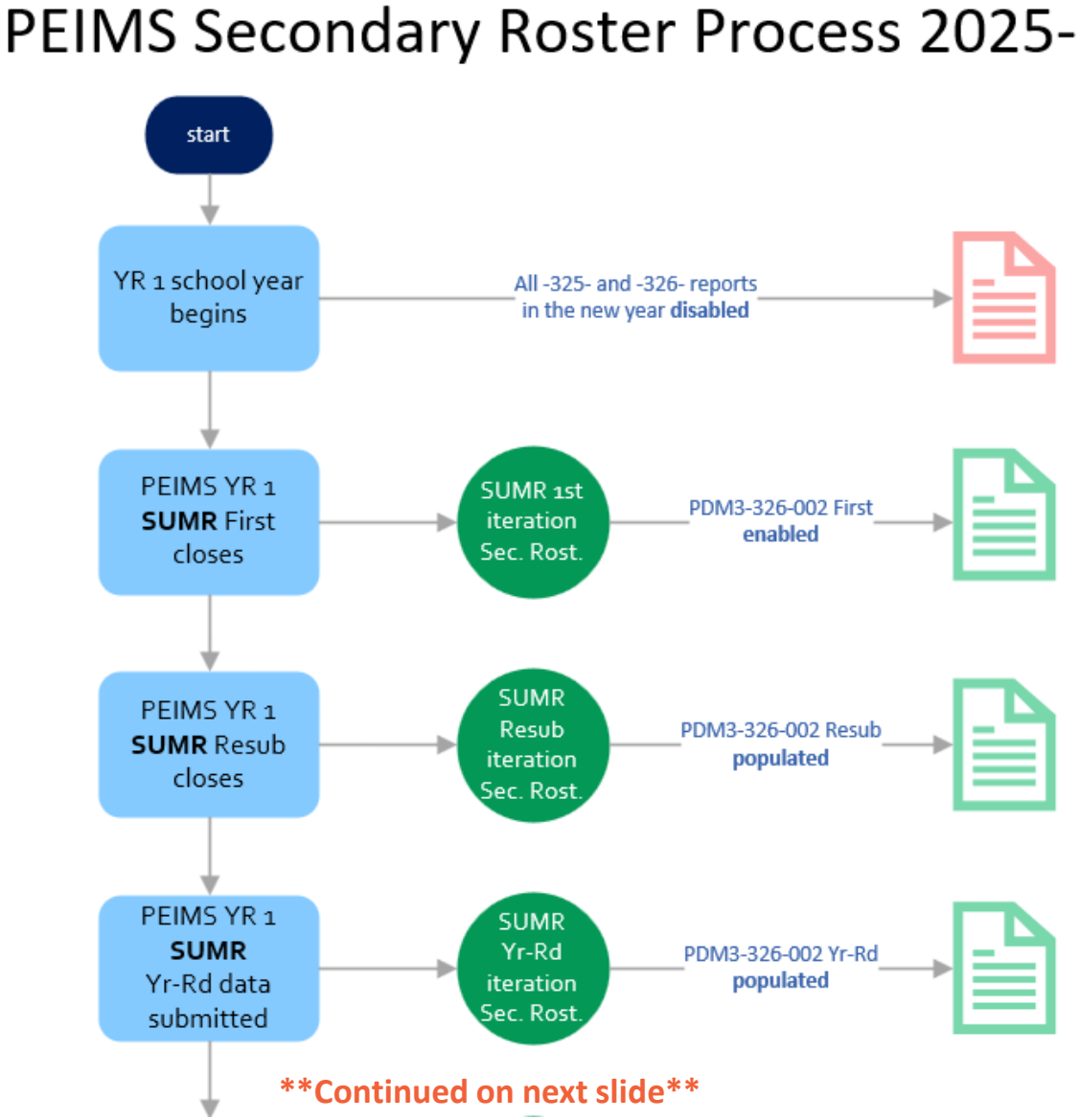
Total # of students for grade: nn

Total # of students for campus: nn

Total # of students for LEA: nn

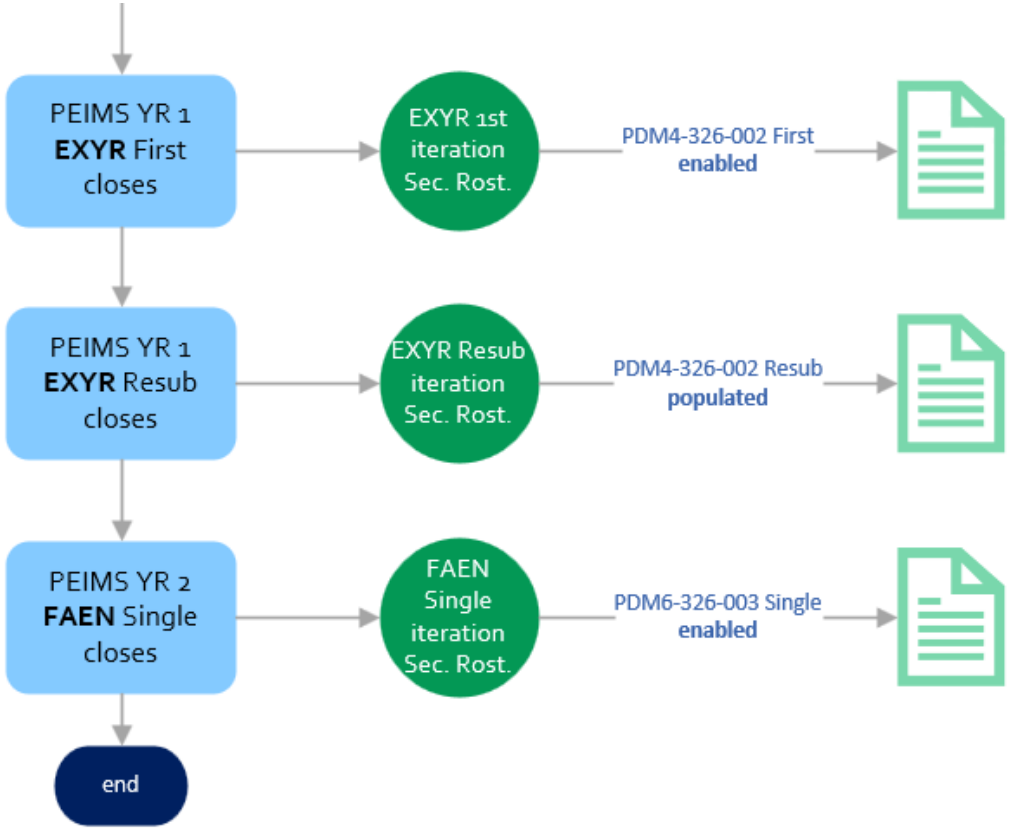
NOTE 1: GED Certificate issuance information was last refreshed on ##/##/####.
NOTE 2: A red asterisk (*) in the **PU** column indicates a presumed underreported student.
NOTE 3: Be aware that some presumed underreported students in the **EXYR** submission will ultimately reenroll and appear in the later **FAEN** submission, and thus will not be underreported in final data.

PEIMS SECONDARY ROSTER PROCESS 2025-2026

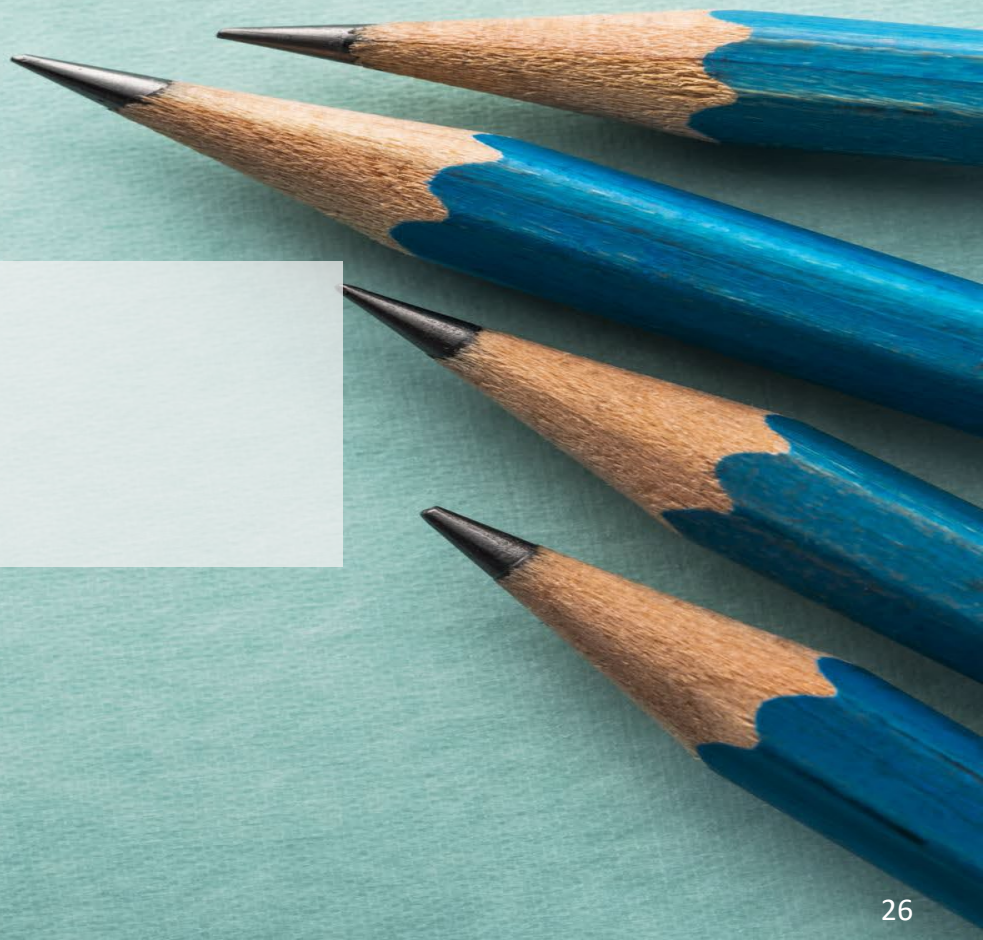


PEIMS SECONDARY ROSTER PROCESS 2025-2026 (Con't)

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BUSINESS RULES



BUSINESS RULES MOVING

The following list of rules are added to the PEIMS Summer and Extended Year Submissions.

Student Leaver	Student Graduation Program
40203-0048	48011-0018
40203-0049	48011-0019
40203-0050	48011-0020
40203-0051	48011-0028
40203-0052	48011-0030
40203-0053	48011-0031
	48011-0032
	48011-0033
	48011-0034

STUDENT LEAVER CATEGORY

Rule #	Rule Text / Business Meaning	Sev./ Level	Core	PEIMS	Applies To
40203-0048	If ExitWithdrawType is "01", then DiplomaAwardDate must be between August 1, 2025 and August 31, 2026. For a graduate leaver reported in the PEIMS Summer or Extended Year Submission, the DiplomaAwardDate must be after the month of July preceding the current school year and before the month of September following the current school year.	F L2, L3		PE, PS	District, Campus, Charter
40203-0049	If ExitWithdrawType is "01", then DiplomaAwardDate, DiplomaType, and IndividualGraduationCommitteeGraduateIndicator must be reported. For a graduate leaver reported in the PEIMS Summer or Extended Year Submission, the DiplomaAwardDate, DiplomaType, and IndividualGraduationCommitteeGraduateIndicator must be reported.	F L2, L3		PE, PS	District, Campus, Charter
40203-0050	If ExitWithdrawType is not "01", then DiplomaAwardDate, DiplomaType, IndividualGraduationCommitteeGraduateIndicator, TexasFirstEarlyHSCompletionProgram, DistingLevelAchievementGraduate, and EndorsementCompleted must not be reported. If a leaver reported in the PEIMS Summer or Extended Year Submission has not graduated, then graduation data (DiplomaAwardDate, DiplomaType, IndividualGraduationCommitteeGraduateIndicator, TexasFirstEarlyHSCompletionProgram, DistingLevelAchievementGraduate, and EndorsementCompleted) must not be reported.	F L2, L3		PE, PS	District, Campus, Charter
40203-0051	If DiplomaType is "07" or "57", then the graduate leaver should be at least 21 years of age as of September 1 of the current school year. For a graduate leaver reported in the PEIMS Summer or Extended Year Submission, if the DiplomaType indicates the student has reached age 22, then the student's September 1 age of the current school year should be at least 21.	F L2, L3		PE, PS	District, Campus, Charter
40203-0052	If SchoolId is in "211901" (Texhoma ISD), then ExitWithdrawType must not be "01" (graduated). Texhoma ISD must not report graduates with ExitWithdrawType "01".	F L2, L3		PE, PS	District, Campus, Charter
40203-0053	If TexasFirstEarlyHSCompletionProgram is reported, then IndividualGraduationCommitteeGraduateIndicator must not be TRUE. If a leaver has graduated under the Texas First Early High School Completion Program, then they must not be reported as having graduated based upon an Individual Graduation Committee (IGC) decision.	F L2, L3		PE, PS	District, Campus, Charter

STUDENT GRADUATION PROGRAM CATEGORY

Rule #	Rule Text / Business Meaning	Sev./ Level	Core	PEIMS	Applies To
48011-0018	For a particular SchoolId, at least one student should be reported with DistingLevelAchievementGraduate of TRUE. For a particular campus, at least one leaver who has graduated should be reported as having completed the distinguished level of achievement.	S L2, L3		PS PE	District, Campus, Charter
48011-0019	For a particular SchoolId, at least one student should be reported with an EndorsementCompleted. For a particular campus, at least one leaver who has graduated under the Foundation High School Program should be reported as having completed a program to earn an endorsement.	S L2, L3		PS PE	District, Campus, Charter
48011-0020	If DistingLevelAchievementGraduate is TRUE, and TexasFirstEarlyHSCompletionProgram is not reported, then at least one EndorsementCompleted must be reported. If DistingLevelAchievementGraduate indicates the graduate has completed the Distinguished Level of Achievement, and the student is not a graduate of the Texas First Early High School Completion Program, then at least one EndorsementCompleted must indicate the graduate has successfully completed a program to earn an endorsement.	F L2, L3		PS PE	District, Campus, Charter
48011-0028	If DiplomaType is not "34", "35", "54", "55", "56", or "57" (FHSP) or "40" (Texas First Early High School Completion Program), then no EndorsementCompleted may be reported, and DistingLevelAchievementGraduate must not be reported as TRUE. If a leaver has not graduated under the Foundation High School Program or the Texas First Early High School Completion Program, then EndorsementCompleted and DistingLevelAchievementGraduate do not apply.	F L2, L3		PS PE	District, Campus, Charter
48011-0030	If TexasFirstEarlyHSCompletionProgram is reported, then StudentSchoolAssociation ExitWithdrawType must be "01". A student reported as graduating earlier than their high school cohort must be reported as graduated.	F L2, L3		PS PE	District, Campus, Charter
48011-0031	If TexasFirstEarlyHSCompletionProgram is reported, then DistingLevelAchievementGraduate must be TRUE. If a leaver has graduated under the Texas First Early High School Completion Program, then DistingLevelAchievementGraduate must indicate that the student has achieved this distinction.	F L2, L3		PS PE	District, Campus, Charter
48011-0032	If TexasFirstEarlyHSCompletionProgram is reported, then DiplomaType must be "40". If a leaver has graduated under the Texas First Early High School Completion Program, then this student's DiplomaType must indicate that the student graduated early under the Texas First Early High School Completion Program.	F L2, L3		PS PE	District, Campus, Charter
48011-0033	If TexasFirstEarlyHSCompletionProgram is reported, then EndorsementCompleted must not be reported. If a leaver has graduated under the Texas First Early High School Completion Program, then EndorsementCompleted must not be reported.	F L2, L3		PS PE	District, Campus, Charter
48011-0034	If DiplomaType is "40", then this student's TexasFirstEarlyHSCompletionProgram must be reported. If a leaver's DiplomaType indicates that they graduated early under the Texas First Early High School Completion Program, then their TexasFirstEarlyHSCompletionProgram must be reported.	F L2, L3		PS PE	District, Campus, Charter



SCENARIOS

MID-YEAR WITHDRAW

Zach Morris:

Zach withdraws from Bayside High School in March. Zach does not return before the end of the school year and does not enroll elsewhere by year end. Bayside High School receives a records request on August 3rd from Anywhere High School.

MID-YEAR WITHDRAW

Discussion:

How should Zach have been reported in PEIMS Summer?

How should Zach be reported in PEIMS Extended Year?

DOCUMENTATION ARRIVES LATER

Kelly Kapowski

Kelly ends the year at Bayside High School. In late August, the LEA receives documentation to support Kelly attending a private school.

DOCUMENTATION ARRIVES LATER

Discussion:

Can the PEIMS Extended Year Submission record be updated?

What happens when Kelley's leaver information is changed in the LEAs IODS in August, will the leaver information be changed?

SUMMER GRADUATE

Lisa Turtle:

Lisa attended Bayside High School all year. Lisa passes her STAAR test and completes graduation requirements on July 21, 2026.

SUMMER GRADUATE

Discussion:

Will Lisa be on the new PDM4-221-001 Leaver Comparison Report?

TENATIVE MOVER WHO NEVER ATTENDS

Jessie Spano:

Jessie ends the school year at Bayside High School, and a records request is received from Valley High. Jessie never attends Valley High during the school-start window.

TENATIVE MOVER WHO NEVER ATTENDS

Discussion:

How should this be handled initially?

What should be done when the LEA determines Jessie never attends Valley High?

DIPLOMA TYPE CHANGE

Zach Morris:

Zach graduates from Bayside High School in May. While verifying graduation data the school system realizes the PEIMS Summer reported DiplomaType is inaccurate

DIPLOMA TYPE CHANGE

Discussion:

When does the School System change the DiplomaType and report it to PEIMS?

GRADUATE TO CONTINUER

Samuel “Screech” Powers:

Screech completes the year with Bayside High School and participates in graduation. During the summer, the school and family agree he should continue for more educational support. The ARD committee approves his return.

GRADUATE TO CONTINUER

Discussion:

Should the Screech be reported as a leaver?

When is this change made in the SIS and updated for PEIMS Extended Year?



QUESTIONS