

PowerSchool Version Update: 20.11.1.0

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The following updates were released in the NYS 20.11.1.0 update:

Enhancements:

- New filtering options Start Date and End Date are now available for the Office Visit Records Overview page. The dates default to the Start/End Dates of the selected term and the records display based on these dates by default. A custom date range can also be entered, or the filter can be removed. Additionally, two columns have been added to the Office Records Overview page:
 - Time Out
 - Issue/Visit Reason
- In PowerSchool Enhanced Health, an Expiration Date field is now available for a medication inventory record. A warning message appears based on the entered expiration date:
 - A yellow warning notification appears when the medication inventory expires within 30 days.
 - A red warning notification appears when the medication inventory has expired and should no longer be administered.
- The Demographics category in Change History now includes the PersonCoreFields.Race field.
- Authorized users may now choose to delete all change history records or just a subset. Admins are now able to purge their change history records for a specific category and from a specific date in the past. This operation is available at **Start > Special Operations > Purge Change History**.

New Features:

- If the PowerSchool SIS is enabled as an OIDC Service Provider for SSO for parents and/or students using Microsoft Azure or Google as the IdP, parents and/or students cannot sign into PowerSchool Mobile Android or iOS apps. This issue is now resolved but requires additional [setup steps to enable SSO for the PowerSchool Mobile app](#).
- When using the ID/Password Assignment Function to Create Usernames or Access IDs that are 9 characters long, a character is left off the front of the Username.
- In some cases, a NULL character is added to the end of the output from the Contact_Info Data Access Tag (DAT).
- The PowerSchool Monitor on the server has been improved to indicate errors on the LifeCycle tab that result in a Yellow or Red indicator. In some cases, these errors may be caused by missing required intermediate certs. Another known cause is self-signed SSL certs which are not directly supported by PowerSchool.
- Security for encryption keys has been improved. When starting PowerSchool SIS 20.11.1.0, a Version Fix will run that will re-encrypt any data stored in an encrypted format. This does not apply to end user-entered passwords which are stored as a non-reversible hash.
- After deleting a Special Program, clicking the Back button results in an incorrect message on the page.
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- The Section start date and end date for the lead teacher could not be edited once that teacher becomes inactive.

- In some instances, an error message incorrectly displays when editing the Daily Attendance Record for a student who has been transferred out then re-enrolled in the same school year
- In some instances, the Change Daily Attendance page is incorrectly available while in the District Office or Graduated Students School
- The Student's Grade Level and Student Number do not appear on the **Change Daily Attendance** page
- The Monthly Student Attendance Report fails to run if the Begin Date and Ending date range does not include a day when school is not in session.
- In [Attendance Preferences](#), the **Number of days teachers may alter attendance before the current date (PowerTeacher)** text implied that this setting only applied to in-session days.
- When viewing [Change History](#) records in the administrative view (**System > Change History**), results may be delayed with searching for a large number of records. This issue is now resolved. Results for all categories except Contacts and Incidents are returned in batches of approximately 5000 records with additional controls added to advance to the next batch of records.
- When creating a new course and using the filter to select a specific set of schools, the course may be associated with schools that were not selected in the filter once submitted.
- The list of reports to add in Enterprise Reporting includes only the first 100 reports available.
- In some instances, attempting to edit a Graduation Progress Plan results in an error.
- When **Graduation Progress Report Data Capture** is run for a large number of students, the function may not complete or it may complete with an error message. This issue is now resolved. The page has been updated to indicate the current status of the process.
- In some instances, an error occurs when using Quick Import for Vaccines if the Vaccine Name is similar to another.
- When creating or editing a Health Plan that contains an HTML hyperlink, a Cross-Site Scripting error is generated if the target is defined as a pop-up window. This issue is now resolved and the target option is limited to **New Window (_blank)**.
- When running the Conflict Matrix report output as an HTML file in Firefox, the resulting file includes a text extension. This issue is now resolved. Selecting HTML File output correctly downloads the resulting file. A new Browser output option is now available to open the results in a new browser tab.
- In some instances when using Quick Import for Students, the dalx.log file will contain errors.
- The Report of Sign-In Attempts does not properly filter using Source IP Address.
- When the Reset Class Counts function is run for a period in which the section does not have cycle days defined, the class count returns a value of 0.

- While viewing the Admin Access and Roles tab of Security Settings for a user with access to the Data Export Manager Export/Edit Access group, refreshing the page adds a backslash (\) in the group name.
- The Define your school category link on the Edit School page results in an error.
- When dropping a section enrollment with a DateLeft before the DateEnrolled the CC record is not deleted as expected. When this data condition exists, it can result in an error when editing a record from the All Enrollments page. This issue is now resolved. The CC record will be deleted when this condition occurs. This issue applies to Tennessee customers.
- In some instances, the Start Page displays a warning message indicating the student selection has been changed by another page, although no changes have been made.
- In some cases, the Graduated Students school may be missing from the Transfer To Another School drop-down menu. This issue occurs when another school's School Number ends with the Graduated Students School Number of 999999.
- Attempts to run the Truancy View report fail when the **Minimum Age To Extract** field is blank.
- The Find Me icon does not support French localization.
- In some instances, incomplete results are returned when searching for students using the First Name parameter.
- When taking attendance in the PowerSchool Teacher portal, the default date is not set to the current date.
- When taking attendance in the PowerSchool Teacher portal using the Show Multiple Sections option, the attendance indicator does not turn green for all sections once attendance is submitted.
- PowerSchool SIS 20.11.0.0 inadvertently introduced the display of some scores in blue text instead of black.
- Under certain circumstances, when teachers edit scores for multiple students in multiple reporting terms on the All Reporting Terms page, the changed data would not be saved.
- Under certain circumstances, teachers are unable to transfer assignment scores for a student for scores in the current term.
- When editing an assignment in PowerTeacher Pro to remove the description, a character (Â) remains in the field after submitting the change.
- Under certain circumstances, when an alpha grade scale is being used with numeric values with decimal places, PowerTeacher Pro is rounding the grade value and removing the decimal.
- Under certain circumstances, the specific weights assigned to standards for certain sections of specific courses would not appear in PowerTeacher Pro.
- The Test Results page only sorts results by month and day, without the context of the year of the test.