

August 12, 2020  
9:15am

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## Discussion Items:

1. School Year 2019-2020 Final Level 0 Data Load Date
  - a. **Thursday, August 20 at NOON**, will be your final opportunity to load SY2019-20 student data to Level 0.\*\*
  - b. \*\* Some Spec Ed data are due later. See [Timeline and Due Dates](#) section below
2. CARES ACT Info
  - a. See the 3 new documents relating to the CARES Act on our website, in the COVID-19 Resources Section
  - b. <https://www.southcentralric.org/DDCHome.aspx>
  - c. You may or may not be involved in the application process, but the details are there for your info. [Applications are due August 15.](#)
3. Special Ed EOY Certifications
  - a. **Status email from NYSED went out with this agenda announcement on 8/11**
  - b. See the [Timeline and Due Dates](#) section below
4. Assessment Reporting
  - a. COSF
    - i. For the districts responsible for reporting Child Outcomes Summary Form, for Special Ed Indicator 7. Check with your CSE department. The COSF assessment file comes from your Spec Ed system (Cleartrack, IEP Direct)
  - b. AP, IB, SAT
    - i. Districts should report the AP, IB and SAT scores to SIRS via Level 0, but only as it relates to
      1. ALTREG – Regents alternative testing
      2. CCR – college and career readiness
    - ii. ESSA accountability is cohort driven so collecting all data each year is important.
  - c. June Regents

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- i. If you know of students no longer eligible for an exemption, or who should be added to the list, email the details to SIRSHELP.
      - ii. As of 8/11, the following districts exemptions have NOT been loaded to Level 2:
        - 1. Andes, JC, M-E, S-E and Unatego
    - d. CTE
      - i. CTE assessments given can be reported. CTE exemptions can also be reported
      - ii. Each of the 3 BOCES have loaded CTE Program Service and Assessments
        - 1. The data will appear on your districts SIRS -305 Career and Technical Education Report
    - e. ALTRCT is no longer collected.
- 5. NYSESLAT Program Service Records (repeat)
  - a. Program Service code 0231 - NYSESLAT Eligible is typically ended when a student “tests out” on the NYSESLAT exam. However, the exam was cancelled this year. There are still students who may be eligible to have their 0231 record ended pursuant to NYSED Guidance:
  - b. <http://www.nysed.gov/common/nysed/files/programs/coronavirus/nysed-covid-19-memo-gaprovision-services-ells-world-languages-students.pdf> see questions 8 and 9.
  - c. FAQ #9 “.....An exception to this requirement may be made for students who scored Expanding on the 2019 NYSESLAT and who took and passed the Regents Examination in English Language Arts in January 2020 with a score of 65 or higher. These students will be considered to have met the exit criteria for ELL services pursuant to Part 154.3(m)(1)(ii)....”
  - d. Otherwise, students who are 0231 NYSESLAT eligible in 2020 should roll over and be eligible in 2021.
- 6. Student Daily Attendance, Suspension Data and SIRS
  - a. SIRS-110 Student Daily Suspension Accountability report
  - b. Data comes from Student Daily Attendance, uploaded to Level 0, by the home district. BOCES gets their own separate report.
  - c. Run the Level 0 report to check.. Reports>Stu /Daily /Attend>Attendance Breakdown
  - d. Check the column/row for This Year/Suspensions
  - e. NYSED has said there will NOT be any new SIRS Student Daily Attendance codes this year (2021).
- 7. SIRS Day Calendar and State Aid
  - a. State Aid office has yet to release updated guidance on SAMS attendance reporting as of 8/11
- 8. SIRS Reports Refresh Schedule
  - a. See the schedule on our website under Quick Reference Documents, <https://www.southcentralric.org/DDCHome.aspx>
  - b. Before contacting us about a SIRS report not showing any data, please consider:
    - i. Check the refresh schedule to see if the report will be updated for 2019-20 and if so, how often will it refresh
    - ii. Consider the source data used for the report. Have you uploaded the appropriate data to level 0 yet? Is it locked? Are there burst or Lvl1/Lc report errors?

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9. SIRS – EOY Report Certification
  - a. See the EOY Reports and certification grid on our website: under Quick Reference Documents
  - b. <https://www.southcentralric.org/DDCHome.aspx>
  - c. ALL SIRS reports have a Report Guide. Look for the link in the lower right hand corner of all SIRS reports. It will take you here: <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/irs/level2reports/reportguides.html>

10. Staff Evaluation Rating – Not collected this year.

11. For 2020-2021 school year:

- a. Instructor Delivery Method, on the Course/Instructor/Assignment record, is to be reported according to how the course was designed
- b. If the course was designed as face-to-face, that is how it should be reported, even if it is provided to the students via Zoom, skype, webex, Teams, etc.

## Level 0 Templates to load

### 2019-2020

- By this point in the year, student data changes in Level 0 are perhaps best done manually rather than risk importing a bad file.
  - If you import a file, be sure to check your import counts BEFORE and AFTER the import and be able to explain differences.
- BE SURE you have reported Graduates!!
- January 2020 Physics Regents scores, must be reported through Level 0
- Student Class Grade Detail
- Run SIRS-401 Reasonableness Report to compare year over year record counts!! If they are not close, find out why!

### 2020-2021

- Level 0 is expected to be ready to accept SY21 student data by the week of September 17.
- Staff Snapshot, Student Demographic and Enrollment will be your first domains.
- October 8 -- Data due in Level 0 for August Graduates.

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## Timeline and Due Dates

- August 20 (Thursday) **NOON** -- All Final 2019-20 SIRS EOY Data Due (except for Special Education Events)
- September 4 -- EOY SIRS reports certification due
  - District Superintendent will submit the certification of SIRS EOY reports via the IDEX system.
  - <https://portal.nysed.gov/abp/>

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL [portal.nysed.gov/abp/](https://portal.nysed.gov/abp/). The page header includes 'NYS ED .gov' and 'New York State EDUCATION DEPARTMENT Knowledge > Skill > Opportunity'. The user is logged in as Timothy Farnham. The main content area is titled 'My Applications' and lists several systems: SEDDAS User Guide, Examination Request System, IRS Data Exchange (IDEX), Information and Reporting Services Portal (IRSP), New York State Student Identification System (NYSSIS), PD System, SED Delegated Account System (SEDDAS), and SED Monitoring and Vendor Performance System. A red arrow points to the 'IRS Data Exchange (IDEX)' link. A notice box on the right states: 'Notice: If the Superintendent or Principal has changed, please click here. (Does not apply to Summer School principals.)' At the bottom, there are buttons for 'Public Links' and 'Other Applications'.

## Special Education Reports.

- PD8 (Discipline - In/Out of School Suspensions, Drugs/guns/weapons, Serious Bodily Injury)
  - **Your CSE dept will load this to the PD data site** Certify August 3
- VR11, VR12, VR14 (Indicator 11 CSE and CPSE New Referrals, Indicator 12 Early Intervention New Referrals to CPSE, New Referrals from Non-Public (Parochial) Schools) .
  - **Special Ed Events. Get the file from CSE and upload to L0**
  - **Every district must certify VR14, even if your count is zero**
  - **Certify Sept 21, data due in L0 Sept 17.**
  - **Note that Special Ed Events MUST have a student enrollment record already in Level 0 and student enrollment finished being collected in August.**
- VR13 (End of Year Snapshot)
  - **Special Ed EOY Snapshot. Upload to L0**
  - **Certify August 24, data due in L0 August 20**

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- **VR15 (Indicator 7 Preschool Outcomes)**
  - **Assessment (COSF records). Usually from Spec Ed system. Upload to L0**
  - **Certify August 24, data due in L0 August 20**
  
- **VR16 (Coordinated Early Intervening Services (CEIS))**
  - **Program Fact (code 5753). Usually from RTI Edge system. Upload to L0 or manually enter.**
  - **Certify August 24, data due in L0 August 20**