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State Reporting > Maintenance > Fall > Student > Leaver

Made the following edits for school year 2024 and beyond:

- Leaver - If Graduation Type is not 34, 35, or 54-57, then Distinguished Coursework must be blank (48011-0028).
- Leaver - If Distinguished Coursework is 2, then at least one Endorsement's must be 2 (48011-0020).
- Leaver - If As of Status is B or C, then there must not be leaver data, unless Leaver Reason code is 01 (40100-0006).
- Leaver - Student Leaver data should be empty when As of Status is F or G (40100-0141).
- Leaver - If As of Status is A, then there must be Leaver data (40100-0005).
- Leaver - Campus ID is required.
- Leaver - Campus ID is invalid.
- Leaver - Campus ID is invalid
- Leaver - Campus ID should be 001-698.
- Leaver - Invalid Leaver Reason Code.
- Leaver - If Grade Level is less than 09, then Leaver Reason Code must not be 01 (40203-0015)
- Leaver - If District Id is 211901, then Leaver Reason Code must not be 01 (40203-0017).
- Leaver - If Leaver Reason is 01, then Graduation Date must not be blank (40203-0004).
- Leaver - Graduation Date must be in the format, MM-YYYY.
- Leaver - Graduation Date must be after July and before September (40203-0003).
- Leaver - If Leaver Reason is 01, then Graduation Type code cannot be blank (40203-0004).
- Leaver - Graduation Type is invalid.
- Leaver - If Leaver Reason is 01, then IGC must not be blank (40203-0004).
- Leaver - If Leaver Reason is 01, then IGC must be 00 or 02 (40203-0018).
- Leaver - If IGC is 02, then Grade must be 12 (40203-0019).
- Leaver - If Graduation Type is not 34, 35, or 54-57, then Distinguished Coursework must be blank (48011-0028).
- Leaver - If Graduation Type is not 34, 35, or 54-57, then STEM must be blank (48011-0028).
- Leaver - If Graduation Type is not 34, 35, or 54-57, then Business and Industry must be blank (48011-0028).
- Leaver - If Graduation Type is not 34, 35, or 54-57, then Public Services must be blank (48011-0028).
- Leaver - If Graduation Type is not 34, 35, or 54-57, then Arts and Humanities must be blank (48011-0028).

- Leaver - If Graduation Type is not 34, 35, or 54-57, then Multi Disciplinary Studies must be blank (48011-0028).
- Leaver - If Leaver Reason is 01, then there must be student Graduation Program data (40203-0010).
- Leaver - If Graduation Type is 34, 35 or 54-57, then Distinguished Coursework and Endorsements must be either 0 or 2 (48011-0012).
- Leaver - If Graduation Type is 34, 35, or 54-57, then Distinguished Coursework must be either 0 or 2 (48011-0012).
- Leaver - If Graduation Type is 34, 35, or 54-57, then STEM must be either 0 or 2 (48011-0012).
- Leaver - If Graduation Type is 34, 35, or 54-57, then Business and Industry must be either 0 or 2 (48011-0012).
- Leaver - If Graduation Type is 34, 35, or 54-57, then Public Services must be either 0 or 2 (48011-0012).
- Leaver - If Graduation Type is 34, 35, or 54-57, then Arts and Humanities must be either 0 or 2 (48011-0012).
- Leaver - If Graduation Type is 34, 35, or 54-57, then Multi Disciplinary Studies must be either 0 or 2 (48011-0012).
- Leaver - If Distinguished Coursework is 2, then at least one Endorsement's must be 2 (48011-0020).
- Leaver - First Industry Certification/License is required (48011-000B).
- Leaver - Invalid First Industry Certification/License.
- Leaver - If First Industry Certification/License is 000, then Second and Third Industry Certification/License must be blank (48011-0024).
- Leaver - Invalid Second Industry Certification/License.
- Leaver - Invalid Third Industry Certification/License.
- Leaver - First Industry Certification/License and Second Industry Certification/License must be different (48011-0026).
- Leaver - First Industry Certification/License and Third Industry Certification/License must be different (48011-0026).
- Leaver - Second Industry Certification/License and Third Industry Certification/License must be different (48011-0026).
- Leaver - If Third Industry Certification/License is not blank, then Second Industry Certification/License must not be blank (48011-0025).
- Leaver - If Leaver Reason is 01, then Financial Aid Application must not be blank.
- Leaver - If Leaver Reason is not 01, then Graduation Date must be blank (40203-0005).
- Leaver - If Leaver Reason is not 01, then Graduation Type code must be blank (40203-0005).
- Leaver - If Leaver Reason is not 01, then IGC must be blank (40203-0005).
- Leaver - If Leaver Reason is empty, then Student Graduation Program fields should be blank.
- If Leaver Reason is not 01, then there must not be Student Graduation Program data (40203-0005).

State Reporting > Utilities > Create TSDS PEIMS Interchanges > Fall

Modified the *Student Enrollment Interchange* if the endorsements below are left blank, they will not generate a tagline:

- PF_SCHOOL_LEAVERS.STEM_ENDORS
- PF_SCHOOL_LEAVERS.BUS_INDSTRY_ENDORS

- PF_SCHOOL_LEAVERS.PUB_SVC_ENDORS
- PF_SCHOOL_LEAVERS.ARTS_HUM_ENDORS
- PF_SCHOOL_LEAVERS.MULTI_DISC_ENDORS

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State Reporting > Extracts > Fall > Student

Modified the program to allow duplicate Industry Based Certifications to extract to State Reporting.

State Reporting > Maintenance > Organization > County District

The screenshot shows the 'County District' maintenance page. At the top, there are tabs for 'COUNTY DISTRICT', 'CAMPUS ID', 'SHARED SERVICES ARRANGEMENT', 'CONTRACTED INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF', 'PRIOR YEAR CAMPUSES', and 'PRIOR YEAR SSA'. The 'COUNTY DISTRICT' tab is selected. Below the tabs, the 'Complex Type' is set to 'LocalEducationAgencyExtension'. The form contains several input fields: 'District ID' (194902), 'ASVAB' (01), 'District Name' (TEXAS ISD), 'Family Engagement Plan Link' (empty), 'Total Nbr School Brd Requests' (empty), and 'Total Cost School Brd Requests' (empty). Below these fields, there are two sections: 'District-wide Gifted and Talented' with checkboxes for 'Pull-Out', 'Push-In' (checked), 'Full-Time GT Program', 'Full-Time Inclusion', and 'Special Day School'; and 'CTE Programs of Study' which displays a table with columns 'Delete' and 'Prog_Cd'. The table lists three rows with 'Prog_Cd' values 005, 024, and 029. Below the table, it says 'Rows: 3' and has an 'Add' button.

- Modified the program to remove the **Child Care Partnership** group box from the page.

State Reporting > Maintenance > Fall > Student > Leaver

- Modified the page to add a **Tx First Early HS Completion Pgm** field.

State Reporting > Maintenance > Fall > Student > Industry Cert

- Modified the program to allow duplicate entries in the **Industry Certifications** group box.

State Reporting > Utilities > Create TSDS Core Collections Interchanges > Early Childhood Data System- PK

- Made the following changes to the *Education Organization Interchange* core collection:
- Removed sub-complex type CHILD-CARE-OPERATION-NUMBER (E1726)(TXChidCareOperationNumber) and the included data element.
 - Added existing data element PROGRAM-EVALUATION-TYPE (E1626) (TX-ProgramEvaluationType) to the complex type as **optional (Y)**.

State Reporting > Utilities > Create TSDS Core Collections Interchanges > Early Childhood Data System- PK

Made the following changes to the *Master Schedule Interchange* core collection:

- Removed data element PROGRAM-EVALUATION-TYPE (E1626) (TX-ProgramEvaluationType).
- Added existing data element CHILD-CARE-OPERATION-NUMBER (E1726) (TX-ChildCareOperationNumber) to the complex type as **optional (Y)** for the ECDS Prekindergarten Submission.

State Reporting > Utilities > Create TSDS Core Collections Interchanges > Special Education Language Acquisition

Made the following changes to the *Student Program Interchange* core collection for the 2024 school year and beyond:

- Revised TOOL-OR-ASSESSMENT-USED (E1668) (TX-ToolOrAssessmentUsed) to use codes and descriptions from Code Table DC166 instead of Code Table DC162.

State Reporting > Utilities > Create TSDS Core Collections Interchanges > Child Find

Modified *StudentChildFindAssociationExtension* with the following changes:

- Made *TX-ECITransitionConferenceDate* to be no longer mandatory.
- Deleted *TX-ParentalConsentDate*.
- Added elements *TX-OriginalECIServiceDate* and *TX-ConsentToEvaluationReceivedDate*.
- Made *TX-ConsentToEvaluationReceivedDate* mandatory.
- SPPI-11: data is now extracted from SR_STU_SPPI11.DT_CONSENT_EVAL_RCVD.
- SPPI-12: data is now extracted from SR_STU_SPPI12.DT_CONSENT_EVAL_RCVD.
- Deleted the *StudentSpecialEdProgramAssociationExtension* from the interchange.



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