



# **ASCENDER State Reporting Release Notes**

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## ASCENDER Release 8

### ASCENDER 8.1010

**Release Date:** 6/19/24 **ASCENDER Update:** 8.1010

#### State Reporting > Utilities > Create TSDS PEIMS Interchanges

☐ Modified the *Summer Student Interchange* to generate the following taglines for Non-Enrolled UIL Activity Students:

- TX-HomelessStatus
- TX-LEPIndicator
- TX-MigrantIndicator
- TX-UnschooledAsyleeRefugeeIndicator
- TX-AsOfStatusCode
- TX-EconomicDisadvantaged
- TX-ResidentialFacilityIndicator
- TX-GeneralEducationHomeboundIndicator

## Prior Release Notes for ASCENDER 8.0

[Update: 8.1000](#)

### ASCENDER 8.1000

**Release Date:** 6/5/24 **ASCENDER Update:** 8.1000

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

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☐ Corrected the program to ensure the TX-ToolOrAssessmentUsed tagline is included in the interchange if SR\_STU\_SELA\_SVS.TOOL\_ASSMNT is populated.

Update: 8.0800

## ASCENDER 8.0800

**Release Date:** 4/16/24 **ASCENDER Update:** 8.0800

### State Reporting > Extracts > Summer

☐ Corrected the issue that caused the user to receive duplicate IBC records when running the *Attendance* or *Flex Attendance* extracts.

☐ Corrected the error that was that returning a 0 value for the **Associate Degree Ind** field in PF\_STU\_DEMO\_SMR when a student did not have a row in the sr\_pgp\_options table.

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### State Reporting > Utilities > Create TSDS PEIMS Interchanges > Student Interchange

☐ Modified the interchange to add new sub-complex type *TX-UILActivity* to the StudentExtension PEIMS Summer submission as optional (Y) with the following data element:

NON-ENROLLED-STUDENT-UIL-ACTIVITY (E1739) Code Table C234 - indicates the University Interscholastic League (UIL) activity in which a non-enrolled student participated at a school district that allows participation of non-enrolled students under TEC Section 33.0832.

Update: 8.0600

## ASCENDER 8.0600

**Release Date:** 2/7/24 **ASCENDER Update:** 8.0600

### State Reporting > Maintenance > Summer > Student

- ☐ Corrected the Summer Attendance Extract to correctly trigger *FATAL - If result code is 03, then exam fee must be 0.00 or not reported (40100-0231)* on the **Attendance Extract Error Report**.
- ☐ Removed rule *If **Associate Degree** is checked, then **Grade Level** must be 11 or 12 (40100-0158)*.

## State Reporting > Maintenance > Summer > Student > Demo

- ☐ Modified **Associate Degree** with the following changes:

- Removed the checkbox option
- Added a drop-down menu with a one digit code and description

The screenshot shows a web form for student maintenance. At the top, there are fields for 'STUDENT:' and 'TEXAS UNIQUE STU ID:', each with a text input box. Below these are three buttons: 'Change ID', 'Delete', and 'Add'. The main section is titled 'Miscellaneous' and contains several fields: 'As of Status:' with a dropdown menu showing 'H', 'Last Date of Enrollment:' with a date input '05-30-2024', 'Career and Technical Ed:' with a dropdown menu showing '0', 'IGC:' with a dropdown menu showing '00', 'Associate Degree:' with a dropdown menu that is open, 'Star of Texas Award:' with a checkbox, 'Section 504:' with a checked checkbox, 'IEP/Sec 504 Svcs:' with a dropdown menu, and 'EB:' with a dropdown menu showing '0'. The 'Associate Degree:' dropdown menu is open, showing a list of options: '2 Associate of Arts (AA)', '3 Associate of Applied Arts (AAA)', '4 Associate of Applied Science (AAS)', '5 Associate of Arts in Teaching (AAT)', and '6 Associate of Science (AS)'. Below the 'Miscellaneous' section is a section titled 'Graduation Program'.

## State Reporting > Maintenance > Summer > Student > Discipline

- ☐ Modified the program with the following to update and/or delete rules as needed:

- 44425-0009 Changed 2023 to 2024
- 44425-0010 Deleted rule
- 44425-0026 Added DISCIPLINARY-ACTION-REASON-CODEs 62, 63, 64
- 44425-0027 Removed DISCIPLINARY-ACTION-REASON-CODE 37
- 44425-0029 Removed DISCIPLINARY-ACTION-REASON-CODE 37
- 44425-0034 Changed 2022 to 2023
- 44425-0035 Changed July 1, 2022 to July 1, 2023. Changed June 30, 2023 to June 30, 2024.
- 44425-0047 Added DISCIPLINARY-ACTION-CODEs 06, 26
- 44425-0048 Removed Rule Applies to Charter
- 44425-0049 Removed DISCIPLINARY-ACTION-REASON-CODE 37
- 44425-0057 Added DISCIPLINARY-ACTION-REASON-CODEs 62, 63, 64

- 44425-0062 Removed DISCIPLINARY-ACTION-REASON-CODE 37
- 44425-0072 Added DISCIPLINARY-ACTION-REASON-CODEs 62, 64
- 44425-0073 Added DISCIPLINARY-ACTION-REASON-CODEs 62, 64

☐ Added the following new rules for Summer PEIMS:

- 44425-0077
- 44425-0078
- 44425-0079
- 44425-0080
- 44425-0081

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## State Reporting > Maintenance > Summer > Student > Industry Cert

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

Update: 8.0305

## ASCENDER 8.0305

**Release Date:** 11/15/23 **ASCENDER Update:** 8.0305

## State Reporting > Extracts > Fall > Student

☐ Corrected the Fall PEIMS Student Extract calculation of As-of status codes C and E.

☐ Updated the program to add **Graduation Type** code 40 (Tx First Early High School Completion Program) to rule 40811-0028 in the Fall Student Extract in order to extract Endorsement Indicators.

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## State Reporting > Utilities > Create TSDS PEIMS Interchanges > Fall

☐ When endorsements in the **Student Graduation Program** group box are all coded 0 on *State Reporting > Maintenance > Fall > Student > Leaver*, the tagline is not showing a 0 when the Fall Student Enrollment Interchange is generated.

Update: 8.0300

# ASCENDER 8.0300

**Release Date:** 11/6/23 **ASCENDER Update:** 8.0300

## 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).

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- 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

Update: 8.0100

# ASCENDER 8.0100

**Release Date:** 9/11/23 **ASCENDER Update:** 8.0100

## 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

COUNTY DISTRICT	CAMPUS ID	SHARED SERVICES ARRANGEMENT	CONTRACTED INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF	PRIOR YEAR CAMPUSES	PRIOR YEAR SSA								
Complex Type - LocalEducationAgencyExtension													
District ID:	194902	ASVAB:	01										
District Name:	TEXAS ISD	Family Engagement Plan Link:											
Total Nbr School Brd Requests:													
Total Cost School Brd Requests:													
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- ☐ 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.



DEMO	ENROLLMENT	SPECIAL ED	LEAVER	INDUSTRY CERT
Complex Types - StudentExtension, StudentProgramExtension, StudentSchoolAssociationExtension				
<b>School Leaver Program</b>				
Campus:	<input type="text"/>	Graduation Type:	<input type="text"/>	Leaver Reason:
Local ID:	<input type="text"/>	Graduation Date:	<input type="text"/>	IGC:
Military Enlistment:	<input type="checkbox"/>			
<b>Student Graduation Program</b>				
Distinguished Coursework:	<input type="text"/>	Business and Industry:	<input type="text"/>	Financial Aid Application:
STEM:	<input type="text"/>	Multi Disciplinary Studies:	<input type="text"/>	Tx First Early HS Completion Pgm:
Public Services:	<input type="text"/>	Arts and Humanities:	<input type="text"/>	

## 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.

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## 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.
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## 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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