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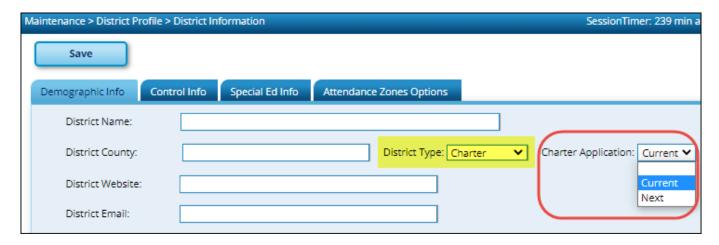
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Attendance > Maintenance > Student > Student Posting with Comments

❑ Corrected the program to allow the use of the Present (PR) attendance posting code to delete future-dated absences.

Registration > Maintenance > District Profile > District Information > Demographic Info

❑ Added the **Charter Application** drop-down field with the option to select *Current* or *Next*. This field determines the Charter School Application Form school year in ASCENDER ParentPortal.

NOTE: This field only displays if the **District Type** field is set to *Charter*.
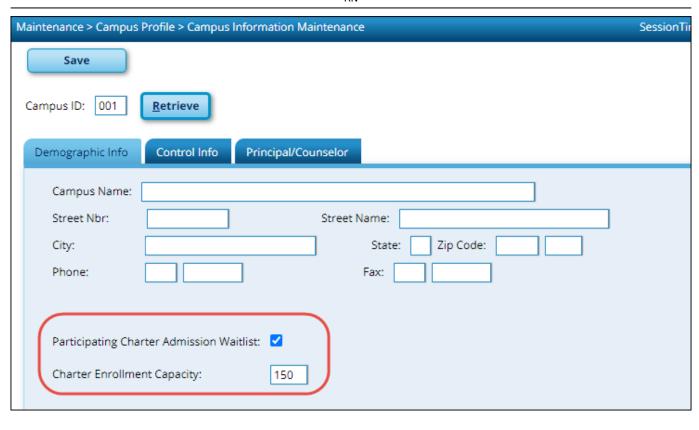

Registration > Maintenance > Campus Profile > Campus Information Maintenance > Demographic Info

❑ Added the **Participating Charter Admission Waitlist** check box to indicate whether or not the charter school campus uses a waitlist for admission.

❑ Added the **Charter Enrollment Capacity** field to indicate the maximum approved student enrollment number for which the campus is able to provide instruction without exceeding staffing and facility limitations.

NOTE: These fields only display if the **District Type** field is set to *Charter* on the Registration > Maintenance > District Profile > District Information > Demographic Info tab.

Registration > Maintenance > Online Registration > Pending Updates > Pending Update Details

☐ Corrected the program to properly order the **Priority** of newly inserted contacts. Previously, when a new contact was added or imported, the priority number was out of sequence, or numbers were skipped.

Registration > Maintenance > Online Registration > Pending Updates

☐ Modified the program to update the original and long student name fields when name changes are done via ZippSlip.

Registration > Maintenance > Student Enrollment > Demo 3

☐ Added new field, **Adult Prev Att** (Adult Previous Attendance).

Grade Reporting > Maintenance > Master Schedule > Campus Schedule > Section

❑ Updated the following error messages for 2021:

- Section - Row 1: If Role ID is 033, then Class Role must be 05.
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❑ Removed the **Charter School** button.

ASCENDER StudentPortal

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❑ Corrected the program to allow an existing student to create an account.

ASCENDER TeacherPortal

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Attendance > Attendance Rosters

❏ Corrected the issue that caused a "no data found" message to be displayed when trying to generate a roster for a class with students enrolled.

Attendance > Post/View Attendance

❏ Modified the program to allow the following changes to pre-posted attendance codes in ASCENDER TeacherPortal. Pre-posted attendance in TxEIS cannot currently be changed in ASCENDER TeacherPortal.

- **Present** and **Tardy** can be changed to **Remote Synch** or **Remote Asynch**.
- **Absent** can be changed to **Remote Asynch**.
- **Remove Asynch** can be changed to **Absent**.
- **Remote Synch** cannot be changed once posted.

❏ Modified the program to display the following error messages if the period value in either **A Day: Period ADA Attendance Taken** or **B Day: Period ADA Attendance Taken** on the Attendance > Maintenance > Grade Book Options > Campus Options page matches the **ADA Posting Period** on the Attendance > Maintenance > Campus > Campus Options page.

- "A Day: Period ADA Attendance Taken is invalid. Please contact TeacherPortal Administrator."
- "B Day: Period ADA Attendance Taken is invalid. Please contact TeacherPortal administrator."

❏ Modified the program to display an error message informing users that attendance did not post because a **Default Abs Cd** was not selected in TxEIS.

Grades > Assignment Grades

❏ Corrected the import functionality to properly upload grades to the correct rows by student ID. Previously, errors occurred.

❏ Updated the program to enable the **Fill** field/button, which updates all grades for an assignment to the same grade. This field was previously disabled pending a review to verify all grades were being properly updated.

❏ Corrected the **Exclude All** button functionality to properly update cycle averages on the Cycle Grades page.

❏ Added the Unsaved Data Warning pop-up message. This message displays when the user enters/modifies grades and clicks the **Retrieve** button or changes retrieval information by selecting from the **Semester** drop down, **Category** drop down, or **Assignment** drop down.

❏ Corrected the program to properly calculate cycle grades for E, S, N, U courses, and courses with letter grades.

❏ Modified the program to display the following message when a course section does not have any assignments: "Course-Section does not have any assignments." Previously, a system error message was displayed.

❏ Modified the report to:

- Freeze all column headers when using the vertical scroll bar
- Freeze the first three columns when using the horizontal scroll bar
- Remove the commented text from the beginning of the page
- Change the column header border to a brighter white
- Convert entered lowercase letter grades to uppercase

Grades > Report Cards

❏ Modified the report to:

- Freeze all column headers when using the vertical scroll bar
- Freeze the first two columns when using the horizontal scroll bar
- Center the title columns (A, B, C, etc.)
- Change the column header border to a brighter white
- Resize the table to fit the page
- Change the Report Card Grade page title to Skills Based Grades

Grades > Elementary Report Cards

❏ Corrected the program to properly display the Elementary Report Cards menu and all submenus for logged-on teachers.

Grades > Elementary Report Cards > Print Elementary Report Cards

❏ Corrected the program to properly print the shading on the **Sem# C#** box when **Sem# C#** is not

selected for a skill on the Admin > Elementary Report Cards > Manage Elementary Skills-Based Report Cards – Step 2.

❏ Corrected the format of the school year value from 2,020 - 2,021 to 2020 - 2021.

Grades > Cycle Grades

❏ Added the ability to use the arrow keys and the Enter key to navigate the data table.

❏ Increased the size of the **Override** column to properly display the N/G and 100 values. Also, changed the column alignment to center data.

Grades > Print IPR

❏ Corrected the program to properly display and print category averages on the Interim Progress Reports (IPRs). This also fixes an issue with IPRs not printing incorrect grades.

Reports > Assignment Grades > Assignment Grades
Reports > Assignment Grades > Cycle Grade Range

❏ Updated the program to properly sort by student name.

Settings > Manage Assignments > Copy Assignments

❏ Corrected the program to only select the semester 1 cycle 1 courses/periods when the select all **Semester 1 Cycle 1** check box is selected. Previously, cycle 1 courses/periods for both semesters were selected.

❏ Corrected the program to prevent copying assignments to a grouped course, which was causing an Assignments Out of Sync condition.

Settings > Manage Course Groups

❏ Corrected the functionality of the **Recheck Validity** button.

Admin > Search for Discipline Referrals

❑ Corrected the **Page Break Between Referrals** functionality to properly insert a page break between referrals and display the student ID, student name, and grade level for each referral. Previously, no page break was inserted and the student details were blank.

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