



ASCENDER TeacherPortal - Publish Elementary Skills-Based Report Cards

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Teacher Guide to ASCENDER TeacherPortal

Publish Elementary Skills-Based Report Cards

This guide provides the necessary steps to set up and publish elementary skills-based report cards.

Prerequisites

Complete the prerequisites:

[ASCENDER > Grade Reporting > Maintenance > TeacherPortal Options > Campus > Options](#)

- Select **Use Elementary Skills-based Report Card** to allow teachers to create elementary skills-based report cards.

[ASCENDER > Grade Reporting > Maintenance > Master Schedule > District Schedule](#)

- Select **Graded Crs** for all elementary skills-based courses to indicate that the courses will be graded.

[TeacherPortal > Admin > Elementary Report Cards > Manage Elementary Skills-Based Courses](#)

- Click **Add Grade Type** and enter a grade type. The grade type indicates the grades set up on a report card and enables an elementary skills-based teacher to grade students appropriately on the [TeacherPortal > Grades > Assignment Grades](#) page. Click **Add** and then **Save**.
- Click **Add Skill Set** to add a skill set and click **Save**.
- Click **Add Skill** to add skills to the skill set and click **Save**.

[TeacherPortal > Admin > Admin Options](#)

- Click **Mark Ready to Post** to mark all courses at the campus including elementary skills-based courses as ready to post.

Complete the following:

- [TeacherPortal Admin > Elementary Report Cards > Manage Elementary Skills-Based Report Cards \(Step 1\)](#)
- [TeacherPortal Admin > Elementary Report Cards > Manage Elementary Skills-Based Report Cards \(Step 2\)](#)

[TeacherPortal > Admin > Elementary Report Cards > Elementary Skills-Based Courses](#)

- Select the **Report Card Type** for the elementary skills-based course.

□ [TeacherPortal > Grades > Assignment Grades](#)

- Enter elementary skills-based grades.
- If set up for the course's report card, for each student, make selections on the following:
 - Elementary Letter Skills
 - Elementary Number Skills
 - Elementary Word Skills

□ **TeacherPortal > Settings**

Verify the following:

- The teacher must not have any categories or assignments.
- The teacher must not group elementary skills-based courses.

I. Publish Skills-Based Report Cards in TeacherPortal

□ [TeacherPortal > Grades > Elementary Report Cards > Elementary Report Card Student Notes > Skill Set Notes](#)

- Add notes to students if needed.
- Enter PIN.
- Click **Save**.

Semester: 1 Cycle: 1 Course-Section: 01 LANG ARTS KG (0004-05) Retrieve

Elementary Report Card Student Notes

PIN: Save Show Withdrawn Students

Notice: District has limited the note size to 42 displayed characters

Student ID	Student Name	Notes
700171	ALMENDAREZ, LIAM A	<input type="text" value="This is a student note."/>

□ [TeacherPortal > Grades > Elementary Report Cards > Print Elementary Report Cards](#)

- Select students.
- Click **Print Selected Report Cards**.
- Confirm any notes that were added.
- If skills-based, the skills-based report card information is displayed.
- Click **Mark Ready to Post** to publish the report cards to ParentPortal.

Elementary Report Cards

➔
Mark Ready to Post
Print

Return to Elementary Report Card Selection

Student ID:

Student:

Teacher:

Grade Level:

Subject:

Principal:

II. View Skills-Based Report Cards in ParentPortal

☐ [ParentPortal > Summary](#)

- Select a student.
- If the student has a skills-based report card, the **Skills Based Report Card** button is displayed.

The screenshot shows the ParentPortal interface. On the left is a navigation sidebar with sections for DISTRICT (TEXAS ISD), CAMPUS (101 School), STUDENT (My Students), and NAVIGATION (Summary, Attendance, Alerts, Links). The main content area is titled 'Summary' and includes a 'Campus Message' section. Below this, there are three student profile cards. The first two are for '001 School' and '041 School', both showing 'Attendance Alerts: 1' and 'Grade Alerts: 1'. The third card, which is highlighted with an orange border, is for '101 School' and also shows 'Attendance Alerts: 1' and 'Grade Alerts: 1'. Below the student cards, there is a 'Published Grades' section with a green button labeled 'Skills Based Report Card'.

- Click **Skills Based Report Card** to view the selected student's skills-based report card.

Skills Based Report Card

Print

Student ID:
 Student:
 Teacher:
 Grade Level:
 Subject:
 Principal:

ELA-R(Semester:1)

A. Language Arts - 1st Grade	Semester 1			Semester 2		
	Cycle 1	Cycle 2	Cycle 3	Cycle 1	Cycle 2	Cycle 3
Identify and read 100 high frequency words (Word Wall Words) (1.3H)	E					
Segments spoken 1 syllable words into 3-5 individual phonemes(splint+ s)/p/ie/0 (1.2F)	E					
Sequence letters of the alphabet (1.1C)	E					
Decode words with r-controlled vowel sounds in context and isolation (1.3Cv)	E					
Identify and read common compound words(e.g., football, popcorn, daydream)	E					
Identify and read contractions(e.g., isn't can't) (1.3 G)	E					
Decodes words with blends(bl,xt) in context and in isolation. (1.3AII)	S					
Orally generate a series of rhyming words using a variety of phonograms. (2.A)						
Alphabetize a series of words to the first and second letter.(1.6E)						
Identifies verbs and nouns (1.6A)						

- Click **Print** to print the skills-based report card.