extended_import

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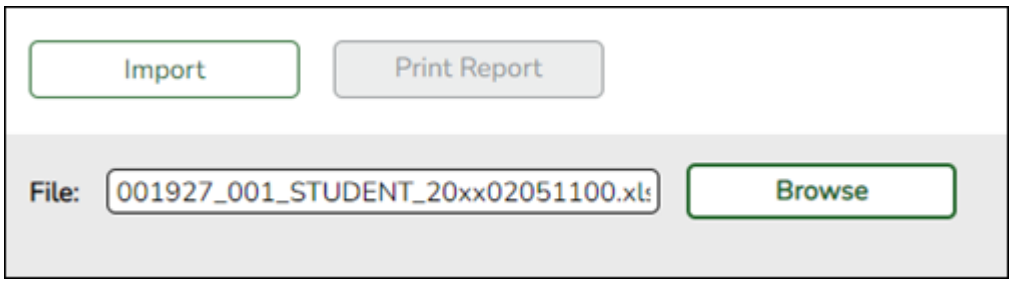
Some districts may update data in TSDS tables from a text flat file created outside ASCENDER where each row in the file corresponds to a TSDS record. The only TSDS record types available for importing for Submission 4 are:

- Organization-District (010)
- Organization-Campus (020)

All other records are skipped.

See online Help for file layout.



File	Click **Browse** to select the file to import. The first letter of the filename indicates the submission period and must be one the following in order to be imported: F (fall) M (mid-year) S (summer) E (extended) Once a file has been selected the **Import** button is enabled.

❑ Click **Import**.

When the import is complete, results are displayed, including counts of errors, records read, records skipped, and records by type.

Valid records are imported. Records marked with errors are not imported.

Correct any errors, and then run the Delete Tables utility to clear out the imported data; otherwise duplicate record errors will occur when you attempt to import a second time for the valid records that were imported originally.

Print Report	Click to print the PEIMS Import External File Report. **Review the report using the following buttons**: Click First to go to the first page of the report. Click ◀ to go back one page. Click ▶ to go forward one page. Click Last to go to the last page of the report. **The report can be viewed and saved in various file formats**. Click to save and print the report in PDF format. Click to save and print the report in CSV format. (This option is not available for all reports.) When a report is exported to the CSV format, the report headers may not be included. Click ✕ to close the report window. Some reports may have a **Close Report**, **Exit**, or **Cancel** button instead.
	Records that resulted in an error are listed. The line number in the file corresponding to the record that caused an error is displayed in the first column, and the record itself is displayed in the second column. A summary of the import is printed on the last page of the report.

Contact the TSDS PEIMS Coordinator at your regional education service center for further assistance.

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