

Indiana's Common Electronic Transcript Project Winter 2015 Update

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- Legislative History and Requirements
- Transcript Layout and Data Elements
- SIS Updates
- Access to Common Transcript Resources
- Q&A

- HEA 1341, passed by the 2013 Indiana General Assembly, calls for a common high school transcript to be developed in collaboration with IDOE
- Enhance the admissions process, provide better data and lead to higher degree completion rates
 - Input from Higher Ed and Secondary Schools regarding common transcript content
 - Cooperation from Student Information System vendors to develop appropriate transcript

Requires the CHE, in collaboration with state educational institutions and the DOE, to develop a common electronic transcript, using common data fields and formats that are required by state educational institutions.

By July 1, 2015, all public schools shall use the common electronic transcript.

Accredited nonpublic schools may elect to use the common transcript.

The program will allow all students at all **accredited** Indiana high schools to request that their transcripts be **transmitted electronically** to state educational institutions, participating Indiana not-for-profit or privately endowed institutions, and participating Indiana institutions authorized by the board for proprietary education.

- Transcript elements have been organized into six categories:
 - School/District
 - Student/Guardian
 - Enrollment/Graduation
 - Immunization
 - Courses
 - Tests

IC 20-33-2-13 High School Transcripts; required content

Sec. 13. (a) A school corporation shall record or include the following information in the official high school transcript for a student in high school:

- 1) Attendance records
- 2) The student's latest ISTEP program test results under IC 20-32-5
- 3) Any secondary level and postsecondary level certificates of achievement earned by the student
- 4) Immunization information from the immunization record the student's school keeps under IC 20-34-4-1.
- 5) Any dual credit courses taken that are included in the core transfer library under IC 21-42-5-4
- 6) The student's latest PSAT program test results (Bill to repeal this)

- See handout
- Also posted at the link below

<http://www.doe.in.gov/indianacommoneselectronictranscript>

SIS Vendors	% of IN Schools Using
PowerSchool	33%
Harmony	19%
Specialized Data Systems	6%
STI	5%
RDS	7%
Skyward	5%
Not known	5%
All Other Systems	20%

SIS Vendors	Status
PowerSchool	Building Template
Harmony	Report Complete
Specialized Data Systems	Report Complete
RDS	In Queue
Skyward	Building Template

162 Schools using Parchment will be able to use a vendor created report and have the common transcript report created by their SIS vendor as of right now and another **52 Schools** would be supported by additional vendor partnerships.

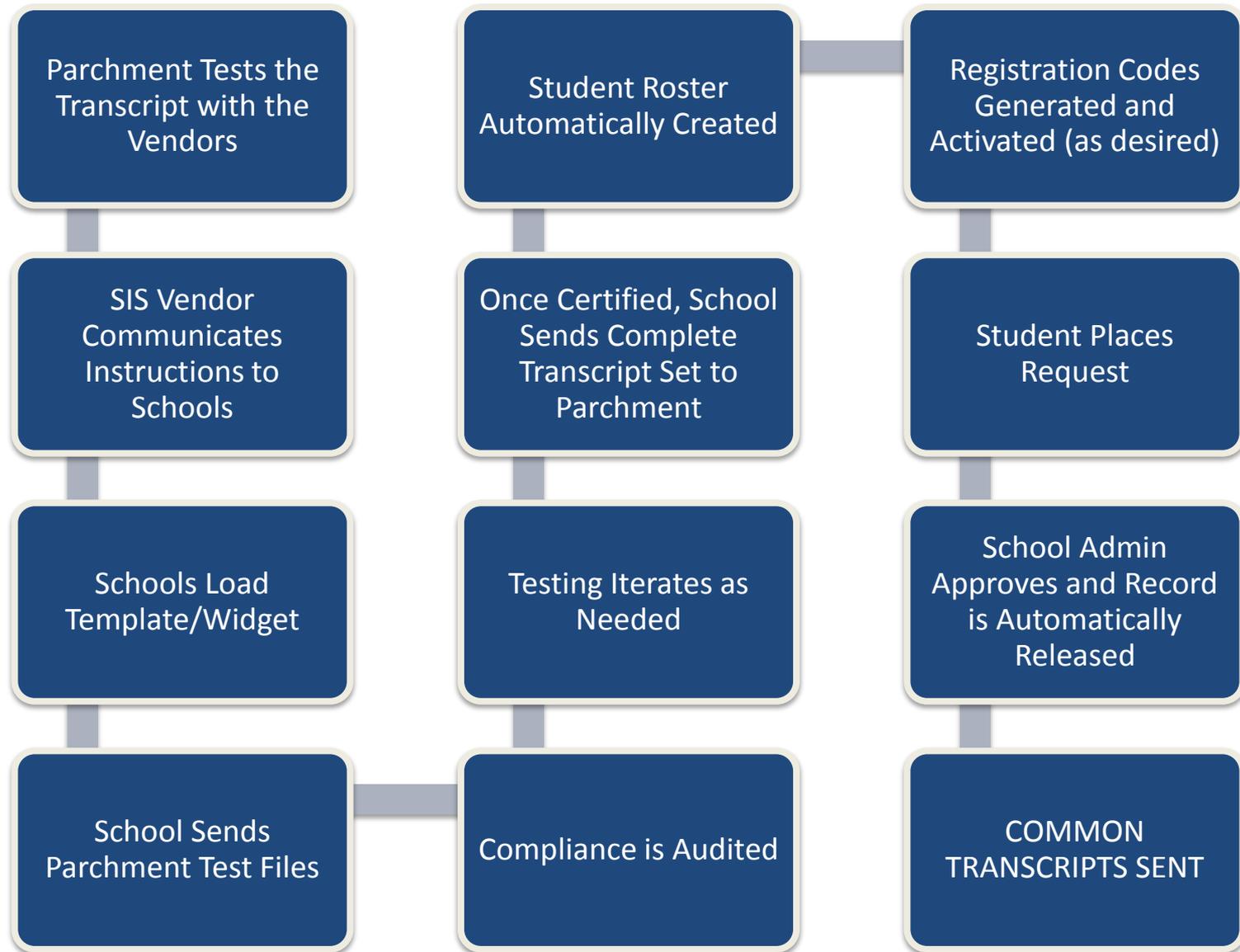
- PowerSchool
 - Building report template compliant with required elements. Intends to have report complete by the end of the quarter.
 - Not yet ready to start testing with Parchment and the report format is not finalized, meaning they could publish a PDF report which we would build a data template for or they could publish a XML report which we would build a PDF template for.
- Skyward
 - Building a report template compliant with the required elements. No integration discussed.
 - Parchment is trying to get an engagement review scheduled with them to narrow down date the report will be complete.

- RDS
 - They are in queue. Parchment to engage RDS next week.
- Specialized Data Systems
 - The report is complete and ready to be tested. Vendor intending to implement Parchment APIs to release transcript data from within SDS.
 - 4 weeks out
- Harmony
 - The report is complete and ready to be tested. Vendor intending to implement Parchment APIs to release transcript data from within the Harmony interface.
 - 4 weeks out

- Your new transcript report does not have to be in XML format
- Parchment will take on stripping the data from the PDF file type and convert to XML to send to Higher Ed
- Parchment’s Engineering/Product team will be available each month for webinar sessions
<http://info.parchment.com/IN-Common-Transcript-Limited.html>
 - March 4 & 11
 - April 1, 18, 15, 22
 - May 6 & 20
 - June 3 & 17

- Currently, PDF delivery of transcripts from Naviance schools
- The Big Question: How will Naviance produce and deliver data?
- Naviance and their clients will need to be part of this discussion

The Migration and Upgrade Workflow



- Counselor E-Newsletter (SSINTouch)
- Website
 - Legal Requirements
 - Data Elements
 - Presentations (Future and Archived)

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- Parchment Information Sessions:
 - Vendor partnership status
 - Field enumerations
 - Data representation updates
 - Timeline & Implementation
- Webinar Dates:
 - 2/25/2015
 - 3/25/2015
 - 4/29/2015
 - 5/27/2015
 - 6/24/2015
- Registration
 - <http://info.parchment.com/IN-Common-Transcript-AllSchools.html>

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