2013-14 Principal Apportionment Data Collection (PADC) Software Training and Demonstration Workshop

Division of Business Advisory Services

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Introduction

- Name change from the Data Collection/Attendance/Revenue Limit to the Principal Apportionment Data Collection (PADC)
- Used by County Office of Education (COE), School Districts, Charter Schools, Special Education Local Plan Areas (SELPA’s) and County Auditors to:
  - Report attendance data for school districts & charter schools
  - Report attendance data for county schools and programs
  - Report school district and county tax data; and
  - Report Special Education infant and extraordinary cost pool data
Introduction (cont’d)

• Basic Structure of the Software did not change
  o “Help” button modified to directly link to CDE website
  o Also realize that most of you are using different attendance tracking software locally that may (or probably not) be compatible (EAGLE, AERIES, etc.)

• Compatibility Mode:
  o Right click PADC software icon; Click on Properties
  o Click Compatibility pull down; Click box “Run this program in compatibility mode”

• CDE Webinar April 1st - http://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/sf/pa/
Data Entry Screens

- School District Entry Screens
  - Modified
    - Several screen names modified – alphabetical clarification order only
  - Newly Created
    - School District Audit Adjustments to CALPADS Data

- School districts and Charter School P-2 Attendance Deadline
  - Informational Bulletin #3787 due to LACOE by April 23rd
  - LACOE Statutory Deadline due to CDE by May 1st
Data Entry Screens (cont’d)

- Charter School Entry Screens
  - Modified
    - Several screen names modified – alphabetical clarification order and removal of revenue limit references only
  - Newly Created
    - Charter School Physical Location Deadline
    - Informational Bulletin #3813 due to COE by April 10th
    - Used to calculate LCFF concentration grant and to determine floor funding for new charter schools
School District Attendance

- ADA now reported by grade span
- Collapsed ADA categories for Opportunity Classes, Home and Hospital, Special Day Classes and Continuing Education into regular ADA
- Added two new lines (B-4 and B-5) to collect continuation and opportunity classes ADA for Audit purposes
- New prior year adjustments entry tab:
  - Lines C-1 through C-9 collect prior year P-2 charter school ADA that were transferring to or from charter schools and non-charter schools of the district
  - Lines C-10 and C-11 collect prior year ADA due to the gain or loss of ADA as a result of a reorganization or transfer of territory
Charter School Attendance

- ADA now displayed in Grid format rather than linear
  - Replaces four screens - Attendance Charter School Block Grant for: EHS, Unified, COE, and SBC
- Resident and non-resident ADA for Charters no longer exists in unified districts (SB 319 offset gone)
- Multi-track ADA is now required for P-2 and Annual reporting
  - Charter schools that operate a multi-track program must calculate attendance separately for each track (condition currently does not exist within LA County)
    - Waiver no longer required
    - New audit procedures are in the K-12 audit guide
Class Size Penalties

- Available at P-2 only
- Data entry is done by adding a record (by class) and then entering your data
  - A new record must be created for each class to report grade range, period length, and average class enrollment
  - You may revise data or delete record
    - If you delete record you must recreate entire record
- Special Day Classes are not considered “regular day classes” for the purposes of the report
- Special Education pupils who are enrolled in regular day classes must be counted for purposes of this report