Data Standard Student Records Transfer

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Overview

Description

To provide instruction on transferring student records from one district to another using Infinite Campus.

Definitions	
Former District	District from which student is transferring; student was previously enrolled in this district
New District	District to which student is transferring; student is enrolling in this district

ITEMS TO NOTE:

- Student identification Identifying and tracking students as they transfer from one district to another is important for tracking student progress and ensuring students receive appropriate services as soon as possible at new school.
- Student Records Transfer The student locator function allows Kentucky school districts to transfer educational records for Kentucky students. This helps teachers see the student's prior academic background to better meet the student's educational needs.
- Prevents Duplicate Students Failure to link prior education records to a new enrollment creates duplicate students in Infinite Campus. Fixing these duplicates is much more difficult than setting the student up correctly initially; there can also be costs associated with data clean-up.
- (HB312 2020) set expectations for foster student records. The new school shall immediately request the records of the child from the former (previous) school. The former school must release records by the end of the working day on the day of receipt of request. If the record provided to the new school is incomplete, the former (previous) school shall provide the completed record within three days of original request. Districts can utilize the Student Records Transfer report to monitor timelines.
- The Enrollment History will not include Partial/Secondary created by the KTS Data Exchange in other districts nor No Show or other future enrollments.
- The National Records Exchange will only import basic demographic information, NOT state specific data. State-specific data such as Gifted & Talented records will not be included through National Records Exchange.
- Running the import wizard multiple times for a student can result in duplicate records.
- Students transferring from home school (R20) or nonpublic school (R21) for the first time will require a manual records request and will need to be set up as a new student in Campus.

Regulation citation(s)

KRS 199.802, 704 KAR 3:285, KRS 159.170, 702 KAR 7:125, 704 KAR 7:090, OAG 82-44

Data use

- Student services
- National Reporting
- Federal Reporting

- State Reporting
- School District Funding
- Data sharing between systems: <u>Kentucky Longitudinal Data System</u>

Related ad-hoc filters and reports

Student Records Transfer

Training

Campus Community Knowledge Base (search "student records transfer" for all resources)

- Records Transfer articles and videos
- KY SRT Special Education Process

Other Resources

Data Standards

Student Records Transfer report Quick Reference Card

<u>Infinite Campus Student Records Transfer Documentation</u>

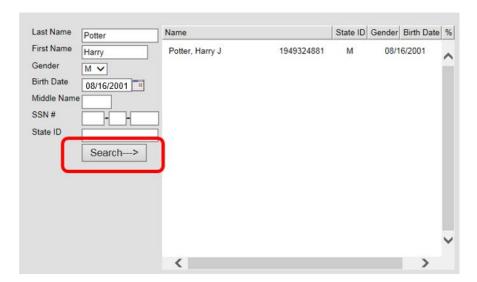
Section A – Student Records Transfer

Tool Search: Student Locator

<u>REQUESTING RECORDS</u> – At the time the new (receiving) school enrolls a student, a records transfer should be initiated through the student records transfer process.

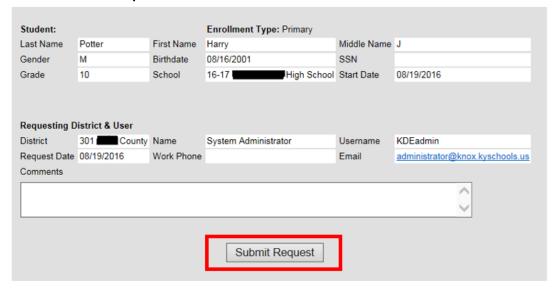
1. Look for the student in the Student Locator [Student Information | Student Locator | Enter last name, first name, gender, and Birth Date], Click Search

NOTE: The new district should always use Infinite Campus to request student records for any student that transfers from another Kentucky school district at the time of enrollment. This includes students with previous enrollments in the district. The Records Transfer screen will not automatically populate when attempting to enroll a student who was previously enrolled in the New District. If the Student Records Transfer screen does not appear, manually request the student's records. (See Manual Records Request below).



- 2. Select the appropriate student; if you hover over student's name, you will see the student's most recent enrollment in the state.
- 3. Required fields should populate from the student's previous enrollment record
 - a) Last Name
 - b) First Name
 - c) Gender
 - d) Birth Date
 - e) Race/Ethnicity: Select student's race from drop list
 - f) Calendar will default to School Year and School selected
 - g) Schedule: Select appropriate schedule
 - h) Grade: Select student's current grade
 - i) Start Date: Enter date student enrolls in your school (first day of attendance)
 - j) Start Status: Select the appropriate transfer status
 - k) Start Comments: Type note naming prior school (Optional)
 - I) Service Type: Select appropriate Service Type from drop list
- 4. Click Save. Student Records Transfer will show former district enrollment information.

5. Click Submit Request



Status will then appear on screen

Status: Waiting for former district to release records.

The new district's Process Inbox and the student's Records Transfer tab will both display a waiting status until the former district responds. At this stage of the transfer, the new district will not be able to identify which district the student previously attended based only on the information in the Process Inbox.

<u>Manual Records Request</u>- if not initiated through the enrollment process and the student's previous enrollment was in another Kentucky school district, a manual request should be initiated to ensure all student records are available.

Search for the student, then go to Student Information / General / Records Transfer tab. Click **New State Transfer Request** then click **Submit Request**.



New State Transfer Request

<u>RELEASING RECORDS</u> – The former schools (or districts, if centralized) must have a process in place to review and release records daily upon receipt of process inbox requests.

1. The records transfer request notice is received directly in the Process Inbox.



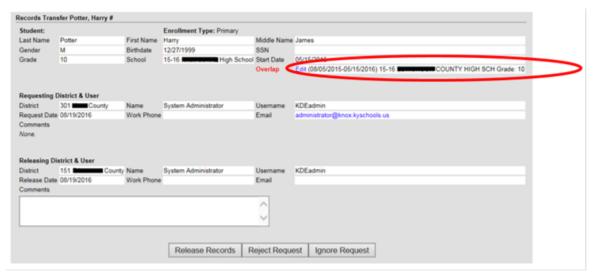
- 2. The Records Transfer release process is started:
 - a. Select the link (Request for you to release: Student's Name)
 - b. Verify correct student and ensure student records are ready for transfer
 - c. **End-date the enrollment of the student before releasing the records.** This must be done for attendance data to transfer and all other transfer functionality to work correctly.
 - d. Any completed IEP must be locked by the former district before release.
 - e. An ILPA must be locked by the former district before release.

NOTE: School districts cannot refuse to transfer student records due to holds for student fees, chrome books that have not been returned, etc.

The system will not allow records release of a student who has an active missing child flag. If a request for records is received for a missing child, please notify the Kentucky State Police Missing Persons Unit.



- 3. Former District responds to the records request
 - a. Click Release Records
 - If the Overlap indicator appears, it is an indicator that a student's enrollment in his/her former district has not been ended. Overlaps can be resolved by selecting the Edit link located in the Overlap field. The user will be redirected to the student's enrollment tab where the enrollment can be properly end-dated before the records are released.
 Return to Step 1.

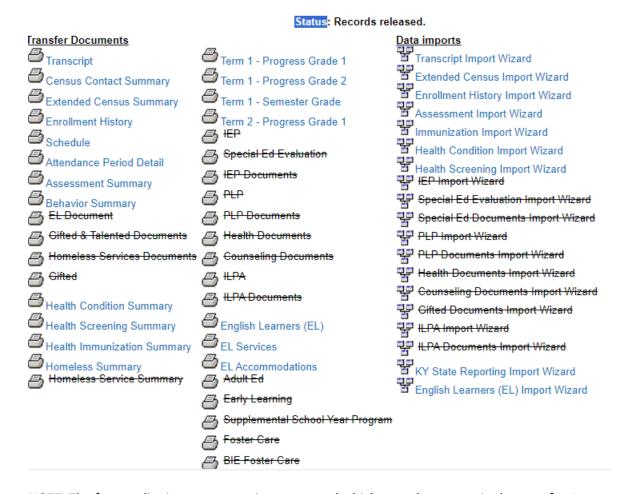


NOTE: If there is a reason to reject or ignore request, include comments to explain why this is necessary (i.e., invalid student match).

b. Click OK



The information that is available for transfer for the student will appear.



NOTE: The former district cannot preview or control which records are sent in the transfer. In addition, after a record is requested or released, it cannot be canceled.

RECEIVING RECORDS - New District receives released records from former district

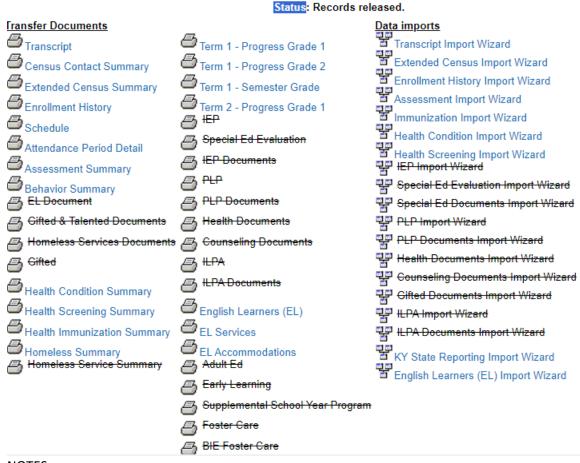
- 1. Records transfers can be accessed in two areas of IC:
 - Process Inbox New District will receive notice of released records in the Process Inbox
 - Student Information / General / Records Transfer

NOTE: User group tool rights must be given to allow access to these areas. See <u>Campus</u> <u>Community</u> for more information on the suggested tool rights.



2. Select the link from the Process Inbox or Records Transfer tab to see available transfer documents and import wizards.

- Transfer Documents are PDF documents available for view, download and can also be saved and/or printed. Data from these reports can be manually entered into Campus to be added as part of a student's records.
- Data Imports are wizards that can be run to transfer data directly from the former district database to the new district database.
- Ensure all records are transferred and shared appropriately within the school to ensure students receive applicable services.
- Additional specifics on processing records provided below by topic area.



NOTES:

- Documents and data that are crossed out and grey indicate those links are not available. The student's record did not contain this item in the former district.
- Gifted & Talented Documents may be crossed out even if the student is identified for services. Use the KY State Reporting Import Wizard to import Gifted and Talented records.
- Be aware that running an import wizard multiple times for a student can result in duplicate records.
- Student records can be transferred to a partial enrollment without the student's withdrawal from the original (primary) enrollment.

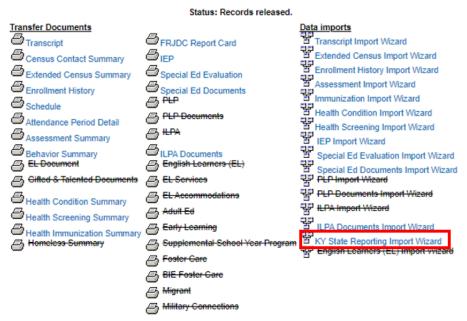
Section B – KY State Reporting Import Wizard

Tool Search: Records Transfer

This import wizard will import student data elements from the former district for Enrollment State Reporting Elements, Enrollment Special Ed Elements, Gifted & Talented Status and Attendance Transferred Summary from Last Enrollment District into the new district database.

Step 1: Click on the KY State Reporting Import Wizard.

The user will need to import all records from this wizard. Please be sure to run for all students.



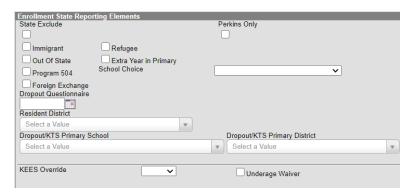
After clicking on the KY State Reporting Import Wizard, the users will be able to review the following screens:

Using this wizard, the receiving district can change the special education status to "Active" in the Special Education section of the Enrollments tab. The new district can also remove the Special Ed Exit Status and Special Ed Exit Date as well.

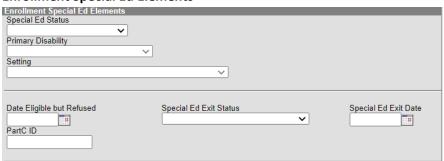
Step 2: Review the data that is available for import. Adjust data per district policy.

Gifted and Talented status will only be displayed if records existed in the former district.

Enrollment State Reporting Elements



Enrollment Special Ed Elements



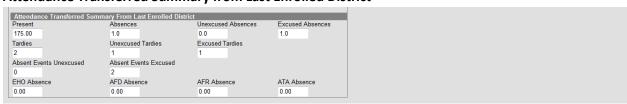
Using this wizard, the receiving district should update KY State Reporting Special Ed fields according to their current IEP status.

Gifted and Talented Status

If the student was identified as Gifted and Talented in the releasing district, one record will show per gifted category.



Attendance Transferred Summary from Last Enrolled District



Step 3: Click "Save" to import. A confirmation will be displayed.



Step 4: If Gifted & Talented Status data was available, confirm the data imported correctly to the Gifted & Talented section under Program Participation.



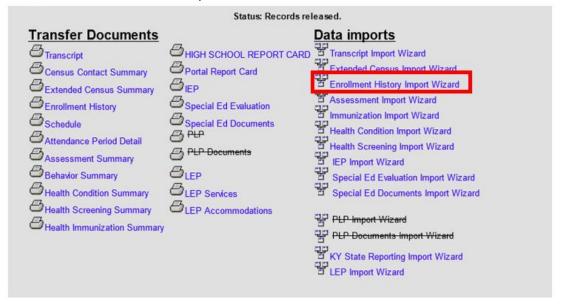
- Notify the Gifted & Talented Coordinator so he/she can review the student's records. The services in the record should be reviewed and changed if the services from the former district are not offered in the student's new (current) district.
- The Gifted & Talented Coordinator should notify all personnel working with the student so appropriate services can be offered to the student and a Gifted Student Service Plan (GSSP) can be created. The GSSP should then be given to the parents/guardian to notify them of the services being offered to the student.

Section C – Enrollment History Import Wizard

Tool Search: Records Transfer

This import wizard allows a user to import all the student's previous enrollments as historical enrollments to ensure proper tracking of prior enrollment history that has a direct effect on state reporting. This import does not allow a choice of what records to import. It is an all or nothing import. If the student has been enrolled in the district previously, comparing the Enrollment History document to manually add the missing enrollments may be preferrable. If duplicates are created, they should be deleted.

Enrollment History is necessary to verify school entry information on the Demographics tab, 9th grade entry on the Graduation tab, number of days enrolled in a KY school for KEES, and number of days enrolled for school accountability.

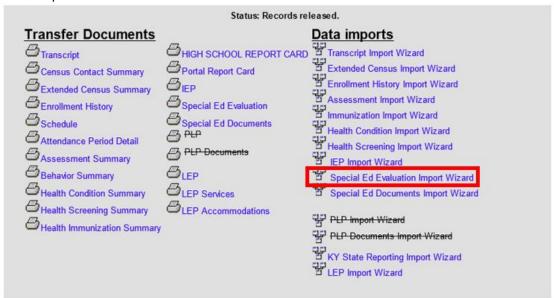


Enrollment History Fields imported using this wizard include Calendar Name, District Name, End Comments, End Date, End Status, Grade, Service Type, Start Comments, Start Date, and Start Status.

Section D – Special Ed Evaluation Import Wizard

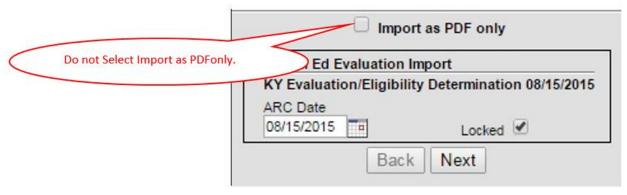
Tool Search: Records Transfer

This wizard will import the student's most recent locked Evaluation/Eligibility Determination from the former district to the new district database. When complete, the Evaluation/Eligibility Determination will be available as an editor-based document in the student record: Student Information | Special Ed | General | Documents tab.



NOTE: If no KY Evaluation/Eligibility Determination exists, the most recently locked historical evaluation-type document will be transferred as a locked, editor-based document in the following order of priority:

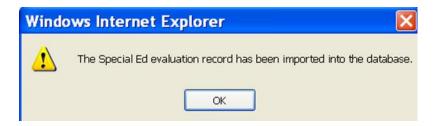
- 1. KY Evaluation (2015) or
- 2. Conference Summary (2014) or
- 3. Conference Summary (2013) or
- 4. Conference Summary (Pre-2013) or
- 5. KY ESR



Note: Do NOT select "Import as PDF only".

- 1. Select the Locked indicator
- 2. Click Next

3. Click OK on dialog box



4. Path: Student Information > Special Education > General > Documents

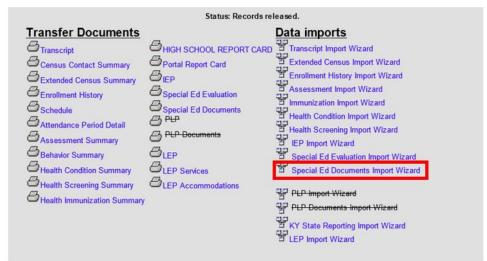
Verify in student record that the Evaluation/Eligibility Determination is now available as an editor-based document.



Note: If "Import as PDF only" was selected, the document will be imported as a PDF, not as an editor-based document.

Section E – Special Ed Documents Import Wizard

Tool Search: Records Transfer



This import wizard will import any special education FDF (non-editor-based) documents attached to the student record from the former district to the new district database. When complete, the documents will be available as PDFs in the student record: Student Information > Special Ed > General > Documents tab.

1) Select any documents that do not need to be imported by selecting the "Do not import the following document" indicator



- 2) Deselect the "Archive" indicator if the document does not need to be archived when imported.
- 3) Click "Save"
- 4) Click "OK" on dialog box

The Special Ed evaluation record has been imported into the database



5) Path: Student Information > Special Education > General > Documents

Verify in the student record that the requested documents are now available.

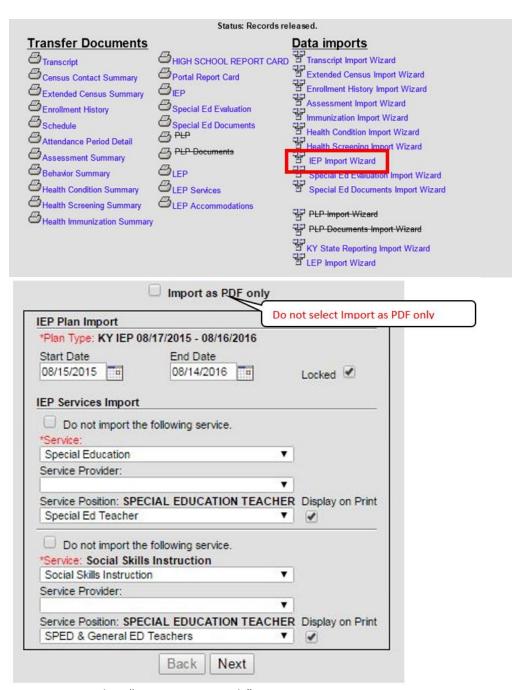


Note: These documents will open as a PDF in Adobe outside the IC system. Changes cannot be made to the documents.

Section F – IEP Import Wizard

Tool Search: Notification and Records Transfer

This wizard will import the student's most recent locked KY IEP from the former district to the new district database. When complete, the KY IEP will be available as an editor-based document on the Special Education Documents tab.



Note: Do not select "Import as PDF only"

- 1. The services related to the IEP being imported will be listed
- 2. Select "Locked"
- 3. Each **Service** must be mapped to a service within the receiving district by selecting the appropriate item from the drop list
- 4. Each **Position** can be mapped to a provider or position within the receiving district by selecting the appropriate item from the drop list
- 5. Click "Next" to import the IEP
- 6. Select "OK"



7. Path: Student Information | Special Education | General | Documents

Verify in student record that the KY IEP is now available as an editor-based document



Section G – English Learners (EL) Records Transfer

Tool Search: Records Transfer

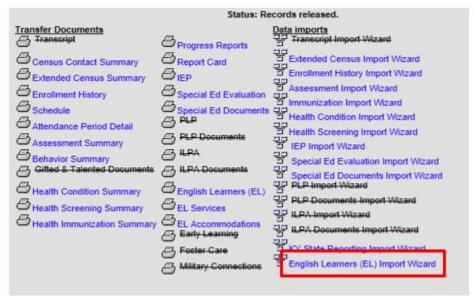
Former (Originating) District: preparing for transfer

- a. The former (originating) district must end-date the enrollment of the student before releasing the record for all transfer functionality to work correctly.
- b. The former (originating) district should NOT end date EL Accommodations or EL Services when a student transfers to a new district.

NOTE: Do not create a new EL record for incoming students but instead import records from previous district and update as needed.

Receiving District Runs Import Wizards

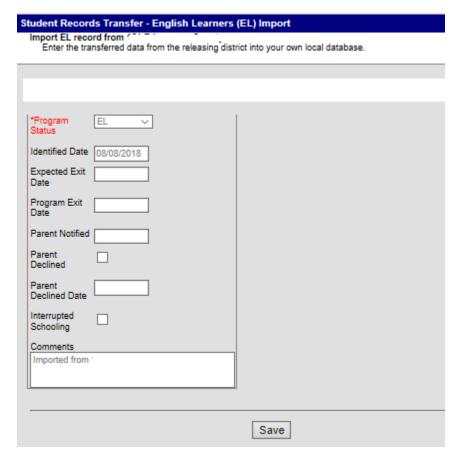
User clicks on English Learners (EL) Import Wizard



NOTE:

 If an item has been crossed out such as <u>PLP Import Wizard</u> above, then the student's record did not contain this item in the former district.

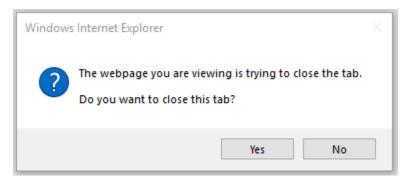
 Be aware that running import wizard multiple times for a student can result in duplicate records.



a. Once the user has verified information is correct, they choose "Save". A confirmation pops up:



b. An additional box pops up confirming the user wants to close the save dialog; click yes.

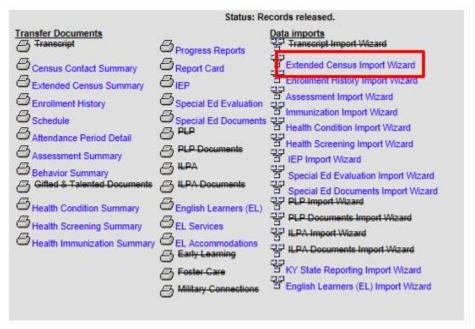


c. User is now redirected back to the summary/import screen.

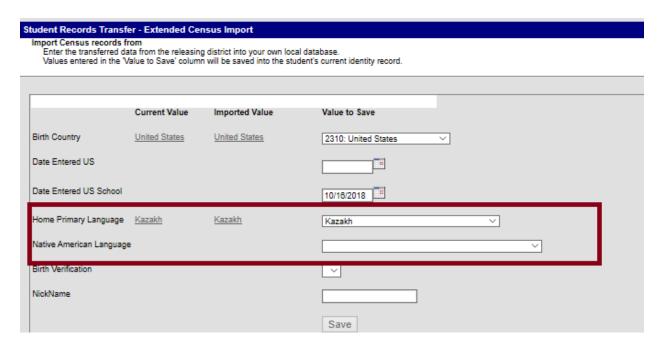
Section H – Extended Census Import Wizard

Tool Search: Records Transfer

The **Extended Census Import Wizard** populates First US School and other key demographic information such as Home Primary Language and Native American Language, if applicable. If the home language is NOT English, the **Extended Census Import Wizard is relevant to English Learner (EL) and Immigrant students**.



Note that the user can view the value in the receiving district (current value) as well as the imported value (from former district) and to choose one of these values or select a new value. For English Learner students, the Home Primary Language and Native American Language should not change as the initial entry Home Language Survey **should not** be given when a student transfers from one district to another.



Section I – Transcript Import Wizard

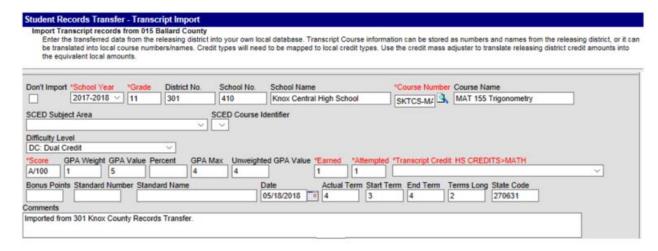
Tool Search: Records Transfer

Not all school's transcript the same classes – i.e. some schools transcript non-high school classes while others do not. Best practice would be to view the transcript by clicking the Transcript



button before running the Transcript Import Wizard to determine which records you want to import. Each transcript entry will need to be evaluated individually to determine if it should be imported and what credit group should be assigned.

When you are ready to begin, click Transcript Import Wizard.



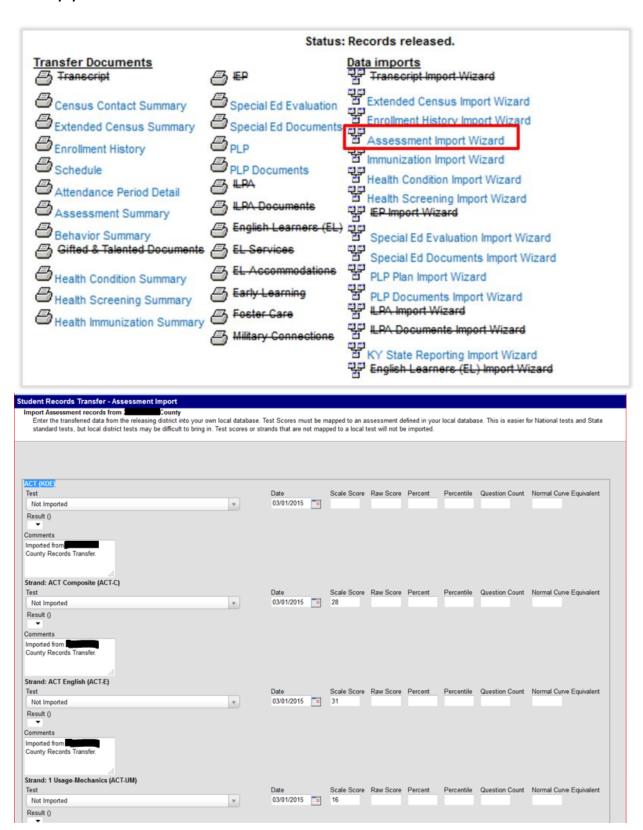
Many fields must be considered on each entry imported to the transcript. Adjustments may be made to align entries to the new school's policies:

- Credit Multiplication Factor RARELY USED If credits issued by former district are not on the same scale as credits issued by the new district, this field can be used to change credits en masse.
- Don't Import If checked, entry will not be imported.
- Grade Should not be edited but used to determine whether to import entry.
- Course Number If using Multi-Year Academic Planning (MYAP), change course number to appropriate local school course number.
- Difficulty Level –Identifies if the difficulty level of a course (i.e. AP: Advanced Placement, CAI: Cambridge Advanced International, DC: Dual Credit or IB: International Baccalaureate)
- Score Adjustment can be made to match local score group.
- GPA Weight KHEAA requires GPA Weight equal credits attempted for KEES.
- GPA Value Weighted GPA value Adjustments may be needed based on the school's grading policies.
- GPA Max If GPA Value was adjusted, an adjustment may be necessary.
- Unweighted GPA Value KHEAA requires a standard 4.0 scale.
- Earned Adjustments may be needed based on your school's policies.
- Attempted Adjustments may be needed based on your school's policies.
- Transcript Credit Select the appropriate credit group. This must be selected on each imported entry.

Section J – Assessment Import Wizard

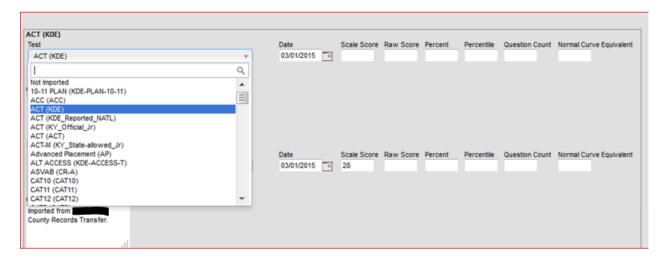
Tool Search: Records Transfer

A new district can import national, state, and local tests from a student's former district. National and state assessment records created by KDE will not need mapping or additional setup. A former district's local assessments may require additional setup by the new district.

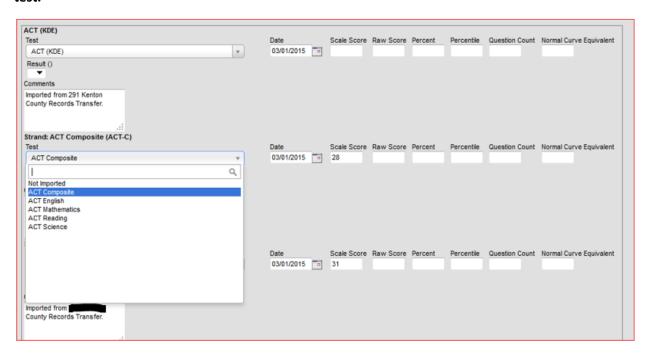


For each assessment, the new district will need to select the test name for each score. Make sure to select the same name to transfer only state test to state test and national test to national test. Select the test name to import for each of the student's assessments. The list may be lengthy depending on the

number of tests the student has taken. The new district SHOULD NOT alter the Date, Scale Score, or any other variable of the test.



Note: Once you select the parent test, the drop list will only contain the applicable child test or subtest.



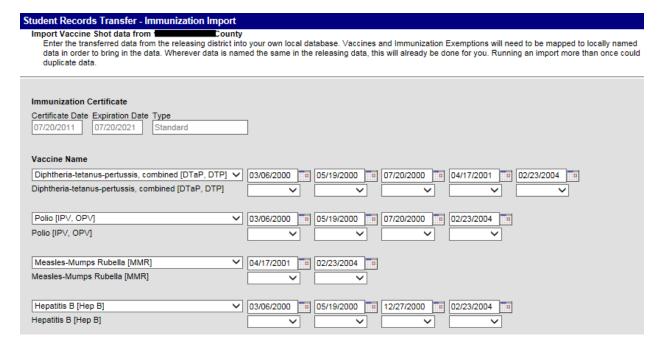
When you have finished selecting all the tests you would like to import, click Save.



Section K – Immunization Import Wizard

Tool Search: Records Transfer

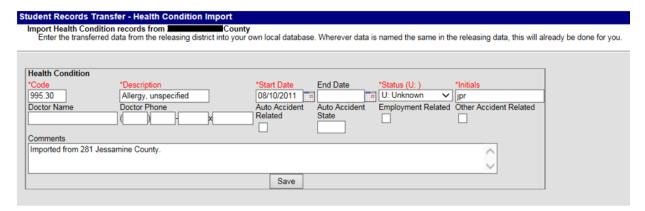
School nurses may not have access to import immunization records; therefore, it is important all health-related imports be processed. Click on the Wizard, review the data and click **Save**.



Section L – Health Condition Import Wizard

Tool Search: Records Transfer

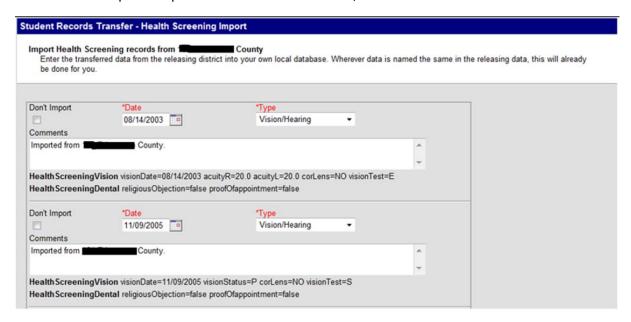
School nurses may not have access to import health condition records; therefore, it is important all health-related imports be processed. Click on the Wizard, review the data and click **Save**.



Section M – Health Condition Import Wizard

Tool Search: Records Transfer

School nurses may not have access to import health screening records; therefore, it is important all health-related imports be processed. Click on the Wizard, review the data and click **Save**.



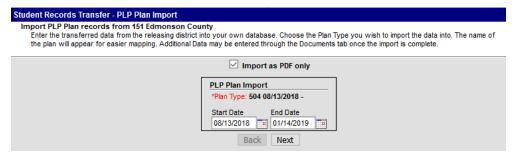
Section N – PLP Plan Import Wizard

Tool Search: Records Transfer

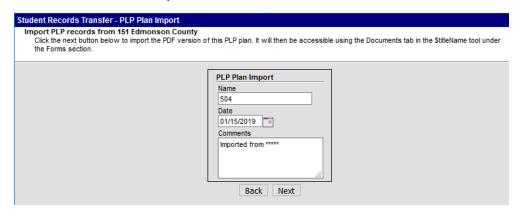
Campus only transfers custom plans as PDF documents. Kentucky does not have any state defined PLP plans. Use the PLP option under Transfer Documents to review the plan(s) before running the import wizard. If plan(s) are meaningful, click the PLP Plan Import Wizard.



Check *Import as PDF only*. If the plan does not have an End Date or it is in the future, set it to end before the new enrollment begins. Then click Next.



Add a comment if desired, then click Next.



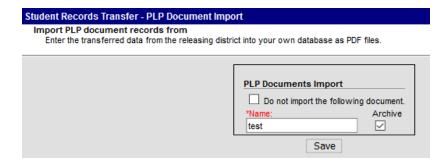
Section O – PLP Documents Import Wizard

Tool Search: Records Transfer

Use the PLP Documents option under Transfer Documents to review the documents before running the import wizard. If Plan(s) are meaningful, click the PLP Documents Import Wizard.



Click on the Wizard. Check *Do not import the following document* for any document that is not meaningful. Click Save after determining how to proceed with each document. If PLP Documents are imported, they should be reviewed to determine if they should be retained or deleted.



Section P - Homeless Summary used to create Homeless record

Tool Search: Records Transfer

If the student has a Homeless Summary under Transfer Documents, the student had one or more Homeless record(s) in the former district.



Click Homeless Summary to review the document. Once identified, a student must receive homeless services for the entire school year. If the prior district had a record for the current year, reference section C of the Homeless Data Standard for directions on creating a homeless record in the new district using the Homeless Records Summary.

