



Continuous Instructional Improvement Technology System



Implementing CIITS: Empowering Kentucky's Teachers and Leaders for Success



Agenda

- ❖ Updates and Important Information with Q & A
- ❖ Topic Information
 1. June 20th CIITS Hosting and Training Site Move
 2. 2014-15 SY Roll-Over and Guide
 3. EDS Update: Cathy White
 4. Q & A





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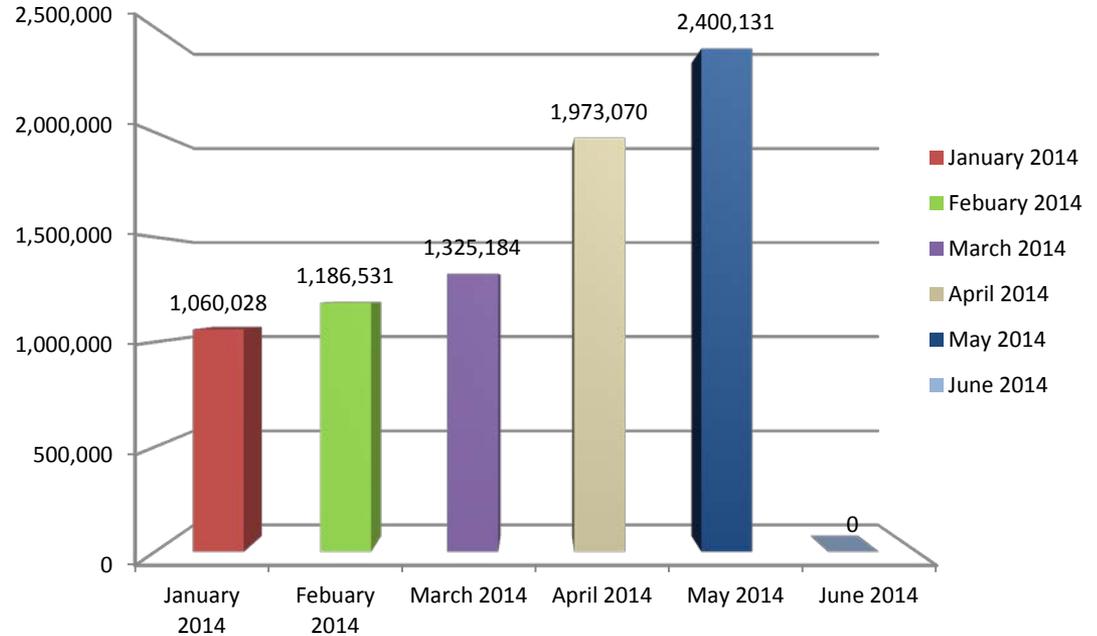


2014 CIITS Usage

Since January...

- 7,944,944 logins
- 26,230 unique teacher / leadership logins
- Accessed by
 - 98% of Superintendents
 - 90% of Principals
 - 97% of CAOs
 - 100% of DACs
 - 98% of CIOs

Overall CIITS Usage





Issue with Days Enrolled Calculation

Pearson has been made aware of an issue related to the calculations of student enrollments within a student profile in CIITS. This issue is impacting students who have had an updated enrollment calendar throughout the school year. The calculations displayed are calendar days and not school days.

This issue has been escalated to Pearson and developers are currently reviewing the issue and working to determine a resolution. We will provide an update once a resolution has been determined.



Maintenance Update (Hotfix applied June 2)

- An issue was fixed where Student Voice results were appearing in incorrect districts / schools.
- An issue was fixed where users no longer assigned to an institution were still appearing in the Caseload Manager.
- An issue was fixed where an incorrect number of sections was being displayed for Educator Development Activities.

Improved
Schools & Districts



Assessment Update Information

Available in Production
on June 12:

- 2013 COMPASS
- 2012, 2013 KYOTE



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Standards Update Information

- Science Standards are available in CIITS as Kentucky Core Academic Standards.
- Science Resources will be available after KDE reviews the content.
- All Standards will be reviewed and updated but not removed at this time.



Hosting / Data Center Migration

- Hosting services for CIITS Production and Training site will be moved from New York to Iowa City.
- CIITS Production and Training sites will tentatively be unavailable from the morning of June 20-the evening of June 25.
- CIITS Production site is scheduled to be available on June 26. At that time, CIITS production will contain 2014-15 data.



New Year Rollover

- The CIITS school year rollover is scheduled to take place on June 24-June 25. During this time, regular data refresh cycles will be suspended.
- CIITS Production site is scheduled to be available on June 26. At that time, CIITS production will contain 2014-15 data.
- Refer to the New School Year Resource Guide for information on searching for students, viewing prior year data, and other rollover information. This guide is available on the CIITS Support page on the KDE website:

http://education.ky.gov/districts/tech/ciits/Documents/New_School_Year_Resource_Sheet.pdf



Preparing Materials for New School Year

- Curriculum materials (pacing guides, unit plans, common assessments, lesson plans, etc.) can be updated/added at any time.
- It is recommended that users save materials in 'My Materials'.
- Wait until after the new school year rollover (June 26) to schedule materials for use in the 2014-15 school year.



Password Changes

- Enhanced password security options will be implemented in late summer/early fall:
 - Account lockout (for 24 hours) after x number of failed login attempts.
 - Minimum password complexity requirements (uppercase, lowercase, number/special character combination).
 - Password age limit.
- **More information will be forthcoming.**



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Educator Development *Suite*

School & District Data
Reports and Indicators

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Educator Development
Goals, Performance, PD

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Goals, Performance, PD

16.0 Update

JULY 8TH RELEASE DATE



16.0 Update

- Enhanced Observation Tool
- Adapted Caseload Manager
- Peer Observations
- Adapted Professional Growth Plan
- *Principal Professional Growth & Effectiveness System*

Enhanced Observation Tool

The screenshot displays the 'Notepad' section of the Enhanced Observation Tool. On the left, a sidebar contains 'Notepad >', 'Artifacts >', 'Add artifact', and 'Domains'. The main area is titled 'Notepad' and contains a comment field with the text: 'Teacher calls on each student by name. Teacher provides a sticker to students when he/she answers questions. Students smile when they receive a sticker.' The comment field includes a character count '(You have 4795 characters remaining.)' and a checked 'Include Timestamp' option. A blue 'Add Comment' button is located at the bottom right. A red rectangular box highlights the 'Share with Teacher by Standard Area' button at the bottom left of the comment area.

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Enhanced Observation Tool Adding Artifacts

Add Artifact

Picture of Students working

Choose File Type ▾

Attach file

-  Document
-  Image
-  Video

Link to Standards

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Enhanced Observation Tool Adding Artifacts

Add Artifact

Enter a title for the artifact Choose File Type ▾

Attach file

Link to Standards

- The Classroom Environment
 - Creating an Environment of Respect and Rapport
 - Establishing a Culture for Learning
 - Managing Classroom Procedures
 - Managing Student Behavior
 - Organizing Physical Space
- Instruction
 - Communicating with Students

Save changes Cancel

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Peer Observations



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Quick Reference
Cards

Teacher
Videos

Principal
Videos

	Teachers	Library Media Specialist	Principals	Technology Coach	Instructional Coach/Supervisor	Professional Development Coordinator	CAO	CIO
Roles & Permissions								
PD Planner – Activity Set Up								
PD Planner – PD Profile								
Caseload Manager								
Summative Features								
Self Reflection								
Professional Growth Plan								
Student Growth Goals								
Observations								
Peer Observations								
Accessing Student Voice Results								

Professional Learning

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