

KDE Technology Platform Glossary

System	Acronym	What is it	Who Needs to Use It	Where can it be accessed	Who is the KDE contact
ASSIST	AdvancEd Adaptive System of School Improvement Support Tools	A tool for developing and monitoring CSIP(Comprehensive School Improvement Plans) and CDIP(Comprehensive District Improvement Plans) as well as Program Reviews. Contains processes for Needs Assessment including <i>Missing Piece</i> . It allows schools to streamline and enhance their efforts to boost student achievement.	All Schools and Districts who have CSIP and CDIPS and provide reports to Federal Programs and Kentucky Continuous Improvement Monitoring System as well as requirement for Priority and Focus Schools	http://www.advanc-ed.org/kde	Office of Next Generation Schools and Districts: Claude Christian and Title I contacts for Process and Ginger Kinnard to connect with AdvancEd for technical assistance Claude.christian@education.ky.gov Ginger.kinnard@education.ky.gov
CIITS	Continuous Instructional Improvement Technology System	A multi-phase, multi-year project designed to provide KY public school educators with the 21 st century resources they need to carry out highly-effective teaching and learning.. Included are Ky academic standards aligned, high-quality, multi-media instructional resources; lesson planning tool; formative assessment builder; aggregate and student level demographic program and performance information and K-Prep data	CIITS is an on-line role based system provided to all schools and districts. The primary users of the system are teachers and leaders. District 175 provides access to CIITS and a training site of student data for all KY co-ops and colleges of education.	https://ciits.kyschools.us	CIITS helpdesk 1-855-HELP-4-KY ciitshelp@schoolnet.com 8 AM to 6PM Mon-Friday Info Contact: Joseph McCowan
Career Cruising	Career Cruising	Individual Learning Plan -ILP (Career Cruising is the vendor) The ILP is Kentucky's virtual college and career planning tool which is completed annually in grades 6-12, and is a graduation requirement.	Students grades 6-12. Parents to provide guidance. Schools to use data in planning courses, activities and advising programs.	Students/parents: www.careercruising.com/ilp Schools : www.careercruising.com/ipschool Districts: www.careercruising.com/ilpdistrict All are password protected.	Sharon Johnston Sharon.johnston@education.ky.gov Back-up: Michael Hackworth Michael.hackworth@education.ky.gov

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<p>Infinite Campus</p>	<p>Infinite Campus (IC)</p>	<p>Kentucky's Student Information System (KSIS). This is the authoritative source for student data and information.</p>	<p>District edition: District and school personnel, access is determined in the district.</p> <p>State edition: Anyone at KDE who provides support to districts and needs to be able to see what the district sees.</p> <p>Scrambled district edition: Anyone at KDE who creates support documentation for districts and needs to have screen shots of what the districts see.</p>	<p>State edition: Logon screen</p> <p>Scrambled district: logon screen</p>	<p>Garnetta Barnette - Access to state edition and scrambled district site. KSIS Access Request FormIC: SharePoint</p> <p>Becky Jenkins for OAS and KIDS Candy Johnson for ONxGL Lisa McKinney for OAA and KHEAA Leigh Welch for ONxGDS</p> <p>online help within the application</p>
<p>MUNIS</p>	<p>Financial Management Software</p>	<p>MUNIS is the financial management software used in all 174 Kentucky School Districts for budgeting and accounting.</p>	<p>Every school and district</p>	<p>School District Finance Officers have access</p>	<p>Munis Support Desk 1-800-722-4908</p>
<p>PTGT</p>	<p>Persistence to Graduation Tool</p>	<p>A resource that provides data, tools and resources as required by KRS 158.146 to decrease Kentucky student drop-out rates through various programs, initiatives, grants and funding.</p>	<p>Every school and district</p>	<p>http://www.education.ky.gov/KDE/Instructional+Resources/Secondary+and+Virtual+Learning/Drop+Out+Prevention/FAQs+on+Persistence+to+Graduation.htm</p>	<p>Libby.taylor@education.ky.gov Libby Taylor Office of Next Generation Schools and Districts Division of Student Success</p>

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EDS (PGES)	Educator Development Suite (module of CIITS)	The professional growth and effectiveness system (PGES) is the system being designed for CIITS to measure teacher growth and effectiveness across Kentucky. It consists of multiple measures including but not limited to student growth, observations, peer observations, self-reflection, and professional growth. There are four levels of performance beginning with exemplary, accomplished, developing, and ineffective.	Currently teachers who are participating in the Field Test and all teachers in the Priority Schools. All schools begin using it starting with the 2013-2014 school year as a pilot year. All teachers in all schools will use in 2014-2015.	For electronic use it can be accessed via the Educator Development Suite in CIITS.	Cathy White Phone: 502-564-1479, ext. 4019 Cathy.white@education.ky.gov Priority Schools: Toyah Robey Toyah.robey@education.ky.gov
Open House		Multiple applications produce reports and are provided in one location. School Report Cards: Achievement, Readiness for College/Career, Gap, Growth, Summary Profiles, School District Details, School Finance, a Launchpad to CIITS, ILP,KSIS, ASSIST as well as Enterprise Data Dictionary, National Statistics, _20 Data Collaborative are all accessible here.	Single best place to start for anyone seeking statistical information on schools and districts	http://openhouse.education.ky.gov	KETS Service Desk Phone: 502-564-2002; 866-538-7435 ketshelp@education.ky.gov
TELL KY	Teaching, Empowering, Leading and Learning	An anonymous survey to gather information about school working conditions from practicing educators.	All Kentucky certified educators in all 174 KY school districts	www.tellkentucky.org	Next Generation Professionals Carol Leggett Phone: 502-564-5130, ext. 4006 Carol.leggett@education.ky.gov

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