



Special DAC Email

October 1, 2019

2018-2019 PUBLIC RELEASE OF SCHOOL ACCOUNTABILITY DATA – EMBARGO LIFTED

The final assessment and accountability data for 2019 is available to the public in the [School Report Card](#). Data can be shared with education leaders and openly discussed in public meetings. Resources to assist district leaders with communication of school/district performance were shared with District Assessment Coordinators (DACs) on Thursday and Friday, September 26 and 27, and included again for convenience. These resources include:

For Districts and Schools

- [How to Prepare for Public Release](#)
- [Accountability At a Glance](#)
- [Accountability Comparison](#)
- [Achievement Gap Calculation](#)
- [2018-2019 Public Data Release PowerPoint](#)

For Parents

These short PDFs explain various aspects of the assessment and accountability data in the School Report Card in an easy to understand manner.

- 5-Star System for [Districts and the State](#)
- 5-Star System for [Elementary and Middle Schools](#)
- 5-Star System for [High Schools](#)
- [Achievement Gaps](#)
- [CSI, TSI and ATSI Classifications](#)

DATA REVIEW

A ten-day regulatory data review period follows public release. The final data review period will take place in the Student Data Review and Rosters (SDRR) application between October 1-10. It is now open and closes on **October 10 for new tickets at 5 p.m. ET**. Schools may request individual student changes to student accountability, non-participation, accommodations and demographics during this data review period in the [SDRR](#) application. Student demographics will be editable in SDRR during data review – any underlined field on the student listing will be editable and changes made will be visible onscreen immediately.

The Office of Standards, Assessment and Accountability (OSAA) will audit the demographic changes that are made in SDRR to ensure accuracy in reporting. Users will find up to date information, as well as, links to resources for assistance in the Announcements box on the home page of SDRR (including the [Accountability Tool](#) and the [Cohort Tool](#)), and in the Help button at the top right of every page within the web application.

This data review period is the final opportunity for school and district staff to request changes to individual student information.

LONG TERM GOALS

As required by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), long-term goals for improved academic achievement, graduation rate, and progress on English Language Proficiency will be generated based on final data. Goals for all students and demographic groups will include 2019 baseline data, long-term goals for 2030, and measurements of interim progress.

These goals designed to assist with continuous improvement will be coming after the 10-day regulatory review period. District Assessment Coordinators (DACs) will be notified when these long-term goals are posted.

ADDITIONAL DATA SETS

In addition to long-term goals, Title I, Part A of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) requires the cross-tabulated disaggregation of data by student demographic groups. Additional data sets will be forthcoming to meet this federal requirement. These additional disaggregation will be shared through Open House.

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