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Subject: SIRAS Update 5/5/2026

Hi All,

Happy Teacher Appreciation Week!

Two things of note:

1. **CALPADS EOY** Preparation
2. **SWDS0749E1** Update (Exiting Graduates and Completers that are NOT returning)

1) CALPADS EOY Preparation:

- Happy CALPADS snapshot begin day as well!
- That's right, we can now begin using 'certification status' reports in CALPADS to get ready for EOY reporting in June.
- Please make sure to check both Errors AND Warnings in CALPADS.
- Please make sure you have zero errors and warnings posted in SIRAS.
- Please make sure all your pending records have been sent to CALPADS at this time.
- If you have questions on how to resolve posted errors in SIRAS or why some pending record won't send, please reach out to support@sirassystems.com
- Don't miss this help page for EOY reporting in SIRAS: <https://sirassystems.happyfox.com/kb/article/234>

2) SWDS0749E1 Update: aka Exiting Graduates and Completers that are NOT returning

(Slide 39 in CDE EOY Roadshow

PPT) <https://cde.app.box.com/v/SpringRoadshow2026/file/2193136628433>

If you attended the EOY Roadshow or saw SWDS0749E1 errors recently that then went away, here is what you need to know.

SIRAS will again be modifying the SWDS effective date for specific completer SWDS exits.

When one makes a record Inactive in SIRAS, we typically align the inactive date in SIRAS with the SENR enrollment exit date:

We are adjusting SWDS Effective date output so SEDS Staff don't have to change data entry for the most common inactives in SIRAS.

SIRAS will automatically adjust the SWDS effective date by one date in accordance with new CDE/CALPADS guidance.

This + 1 date will be applied to all 'Left School / Completed HS / Moved out of State' Type of Inactive reason. (see screenshot below)

Teacher Impact: No impact on IEP staff who are creating exit summaries as of the last day of school.

Staff can continue to make records inactive as they always have using exit summary exit date = last day of school.

SEDS Coordinator Impact: Minimal impact on SEDS as we can continue to make records inactive in alignment with SENR enrollment exit date for all completers.

SWDS0749 ERROR RESOLUTION:

In CALPADS

Removing SWDS with effective date = SENR Inactive date in CALPADS

In SIRAS

Open inactive archived transaction in SIRAS. (this only works for inactive reasons shown below in screenshot)

Change report status from Complete to SWDS Only

SIRAS will send the same transaction but with SWDS Effective date already changed to + 1 day.

If you have any questions on this, is please don't hesitate to reach out to support@sirassystems.com

Kind regards,

Brian

- Type of Inactive Reason?
- Moved and known to be continuing (within CA)
 - No Show / No Evaluation
 - Left School / Completed HS / Moved out of state
 - Exit or Withdrawal from Special Ed.
 - Initial Evaluation Outcome (DNQ or Eligible, Not Participati

Inactive Reason

Special Ed. Status

Placement

Placement Effective Date

Program

Please select one...

- Graduated from high school with a regular diploma
- Alternative High School Diploma
- Graduated from HS with certificate of completion
- Completed GED or requirements of EC 56390
- Completed HS without graduating or GED
- Expelled
- Dropped out (unable to contact)
- Moved out of state
- Deceased

SWDS 3 Effective date is automatically + One Day
SWDS 4 for Diploma was fixed last year already.

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