

My Data Dashboard Webinar FAQ – February 20, 2024 @ 2pm

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Can our superintendent add the district admin role to our building principals?	Yes. Please see user guide on updating Ed360/My Data Dashboard roles in Employment Information System (EIS).
When will the new data be available? I cannot access it in my data dashboard	<p>The new Report Card metrics visualizations are available now. It is possible you do not have District Administrator Ed360 role access within EIS. To update your Ed360/My Data Dashboard role, please see this user guide. If you do have the appropriate role, contact mydashboard@isbe.net for additional assistance.</p> <p>Currently, the final Report Card data available in My Data Dashboard is through SY22-23.</p>
If my data dashboard only includes home, finance, and customization, how will we increase access?	If you are only seeing a few menu options, you do not have District Administrator Ed360 role access within the Employment Information System (EIS). To update your Ed360/My Data Dashboard role, please see this user guide .
Is this data in real time?	It depends on what metric and screen is being viewed. For example, the current year columns within the roster are derived from SIS operational data and updated nightly. Another example would be Educator Licensure screens which are derived from ELIS and EIS nightly ingestions. Other data, such as assessment data, like the Report Card, are based on final school year data for each reporting year, so you typically see historical data.
How is it determined if a student passed Algebra in 8th grade?	Eighth Graders Passing Algebra I are defined as eighth-grade students who have successfully completed Algebra I (or its equivalent) by the end of Grade 8. Please see the ISBE Report Card Business Rules for further information.
So assessment information will only be updated annually following each assessment? What about attendance and enrollment information, how frequently is this updated?	Yes. Assessment data is updated following the publication of the Report Card snapshot data.
Was Ed360 the program that updated data nightly?	Most screens previously in Ed360 used a combination of Report Card Snapshot data as well as SIS operational data. That remains true for some screens within My Data Dashboard. Several screens still are updated nightly, for example, the current year columns within the roster are

	<p>derived from SIS operational data. Another example would be Educator Licensure screens which are derived ELIS and EIS nightly ingestions. Other data, such as assessment data, like the Report Card, are based on final school year data for each reporting year, so you typically see historical data.</p>
<p>Is there a timeline for this to go live for district & building admin?</p>	<p>The new metrics (ISA, ACCESS, 9th Grade on Track, and Chronic Truancy) are live now for District Administrator users. There is no building level access at this time.</p>
<p>Data comes directly from SIS? Updated how often?</p>	<p>Data within My Data Dashboard comes from a variety of sources, including SIS, Report Card Snapshot, ELIS, and EIS. For example, the current year columns within the roster are derived from SIS operational data and updated nightly. Other data, such as assessment data, like the Report Card, are based on final school year data for each reporting year, so you typically see historical data.</p>
<p>If we want to add a user/colleague to the My Data Dashboard, do we do so through IWAS?</p>	<p>No, updates to allow access take place within Employment Information System (EIS). Please see user guide on updating Ed360/My Data Dashboard roles within EIS.</p>
<p>That is great that KIDS data will be included in the dashboard. Will it ever be possible for KIDS data to be included on the Illinois School Report Card?</p>	<p>KIDS data is currently included in both My Data Dashboard and the Report Card. KIDS data are included on Report Card under Early Learning in the School or District environment section.</p>
<p>Is the 2023-2024 enrollment data refreshed daily?</p>	<p>Prior to Feb. 23, 2024, enrollment screens were pulled from SIS and refreshed daily. However, due to confusion and differences between My Data Dashboard and other data sources (Student Information System (SIS) and Data Quality Dashboard (DQD) IWAS applications), the decision was made to disable these screens temporarily. We will be updating the enrollment screens in the future to use Fall Enrollment snapshot data which will be enrollments captured as of October 1 and will not be refreshed daily. It will be based on the reporting year.</p>
<p>Moving forward, when we will receive this important information? It would be helpful information early in the school year.</p>	<p>My Data Dashboard releases updates on a bi-annual schedule – each January and July. Report card snapshot data is refreshed and updated annually post public release of the Report Card.</p>
<p>How does the cohort data work for high schools that are not in a consolidated district?</p>	<p>In order to track a cohort of specific students' progress over time on various metrics, a 1st-grade</p>

	adjusted cohort will be established, the exception being the Graduation Rate metric which uses 9 th grade entry for the cohort analysis. End-of-year enrollment snapshot will be used to calculate the first-grade cohort year. This is a similar process to the adjusted cohort for graduation rate. Please see the My Data Dashboard User Guide for more information.
How do I add icons on the menu at the left?	If you are only seeing a few menu options, it's likely you do not have District Administrator Ed360 role access within Employment Information System (EIS). To update your Ed360/My Data Dashboard role, please see this user guide .
I do not have access to academics on my page. How can I get this option? The only choices I have are home, finances, and My Dashboards.	If you are only seeing a few menu options, it's likely you do not have District Administrator Ed360 role access within the Employment Information System (EIS). To update your Ed360/My Data Dashboard role, please see this user guide .
On the student roster for ACCESS, will students who have exited in previous years be included there, even though they would have no scores for the current year?	No. Only students currently included in the assessment will be included on the roster.
Have you considered adding a link to My Data Dashboard on the ISBE My Data Dashboard webpage?	On the My Data Dashboard webpage under "Resources", you will find How to Access My Data Dashboard which will provide steps and resources needed to successfully access My Data Dashboard (MDD) housed within MyIRC.
When will this be live?	The new metrics (ISA, ACCESS, 9 th Grade on Track, and Chronic Truancy) are live now.
My dashboard does not show ACCESS, despite having many students taking ACCESS every year.	If you had students included within the ACCESS assessment, that metric should be available. Please reach out to mydashboard@isbe.net with specifics and we can investigate.
Is this webinar recorded and will be sent to those who want it?	The presentation, along with the recording will be posted to the My Data Dashboard webpage (www.isbe.net/mydashboard) under the heading Presentations and Webinars in a couple of days following this presentation.
Looking at enrollment numbers and showing an extremely high number for our district for last school year. Assuming this is a cumulative count of any child that was ever enrolled in our district that year as opposed to pulling the enrollment number as a specific date like Fall Enrollment	Enrollment numbers are not cumulative across school years. Please email mydashboard@isbe.net with a screenshot of the data variations you are seeing, and we can investigate any potential data discrepancies.

count as they do on the report card. Is that correct?	
When will this be available again?	The new metrics (ISA, ACCESS, 9 th Grade on Track, and Chronic Truancy) are live now.
Could you talk more about cohorts? I'm confused as to what is meant by cohort. All I am seeing is 1st grade...	<p>To track a cohort of specific students' progress over time on various metrics, a 1st-grade adjusted cohort has been established. Inclusion within the cohort takes into consideration transfers in and transfers out and other factors as outlined by the business rules which can be found in the My Data Dashboard user guide.</p> <p>The inclusion of a 1st-grade adjusted cohort means that progress data will be available to be viewed over time. This will provide the ability to view how students were captured within a given metric within a given year. Within the cohort visualization, the portion of students within a particular 1st grade cohort for the numerator or denominator of a given metric will be displayed for the given year. Further, the display will show the aggregate totals for each 1st-grade cohort that still has any students present in the school/district.</p>
Who do we contact if there is an error in our data somewhere?	mydashboard@isbe.net
Can my superintendent manage users directly in My Data Dashboard?	No. Due to the protected nature of the data within My Data Dashboard, users are managed via the Employment Information System (EIS). Please see user guide on updating Ed360/My Data Dashboard roles within EIS.
Will we be able to see our own school if we are given district access or will it be all schools in the district?	If you are given District Administrator access, you will be able to see all the schools in the district.
If we are not a unit district will we still receive cohort data starting at 9th grade?	Visibility of data for all schools/districts is based on current enrollment rosters. The displays will identify every student's 1 st grade entry cohort (or 9 th grade based on the metric), but the data displayed is limited to in-district data, so non-consolidated HS district data displays are populated starting with 9 th grade data.
Whom do I contact if none of these metrics are showing on my data dashboard?	mydashboard@isbe.net
Why can't a school principal see this for their school??	Due to the protected nature of the data within My Data Dashboard, users are managed via the

	<p>Employment Information System (EIS), and at this time, access to My Data Dashboard is gained via the “District Administrator” role. Superintendents can give anyone the Ed360 role of “District Administrator” within EIS. Please see user guide on updating Ed360/My Data Dashboard roles within EIS.</p>
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