



Wicked Good News

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Web2School

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HEALTH DESK

Nurses using Web2School have provided valuable input to aid us in the redesign of the Health Module. Similar to the Teacher Desk, the new Health Desk offers the nurse one location to perform almost all functions related to student health information, including setup, reporting, daily care logs, and health office visits.

- Multiple instances can be created for each immunization type.
- For each immunization set up, you may create a heading or category for user-defined information.
- Health Office Visit Notes can be any length.
- User-defined fields can be created for immunizations.
- Health setup and the information in the student health record has been re-arranged for ease of use.
- Reporting offers more options and greater flexibility.
- Medical Alerts will be immediately visible as a red box beside the student name.
- In Health Desk, you can easily move to the Next or Previous student from within a window.

ID	Name	YOG	HR	District ID	State ID		
24	BENSAUDE, MIGUEL	2009	104	000123424	000024		
8	BLEVINS, NANCY	2009	104	000012348	000008		
19	CONRADI, LYNLEY	2010	104	000123419	000019		
280	FONTAINE, ALICE	2010	104	000123428	000028		
16	GABLE, CLARK	2010	104	000123416	000016		
30	GABLE, CLAUDIA	2011	100				
5	JONES, JULIETTE	2010	104	000012345	000005		
26	KRINGLE, KRIS	2009	104	000123426	000026		
11	LAFFER, LARRY	2009	104	000123411	000011		
31	LINCOLN, ABRAHAM	2010	104				
23	MCEVOY, KARLA	2010	104	000123423	000023		
10	MILLER, MARIA ROSA	2010	104	000123410	000010		
32	Maddox, Bailey	2012					
25	NORTON, ANNE	2009	104	000123425	000025		
20	OROSZ, IMRE	2009	104	000123420	000020		
13	PARKER, WANDA	2009	104	000123413	000013		
18	PAYN, CINDY JO	2010	104	000123418	000018		
6	RIDDEL, NILES V	2009	104	000012346	000006		
21	SMITH, ICHABOD	2016	FUDD	000123421	000021		
33	Smith, Jeannie	2010					
15	TAYLOR, ELIZABETH	2016	FUDD	000123415	000015		
4	WASHINGTON, MARTHA	2016	FUDD	000012344	000004		
17	WATERBURY, TRISHKA	2016	FUDD	000123417	000017		
27	YIN, SUZANNE	2009	104	000123427	000027		
7	ZBAN, MATT	2010	104	000012347	000007		

BUDGETARY ITEMS

Isn't it nice to know that the cost of *some* things is **not** going up?

• Spring User Group Meeting

Wicked Good Software hosts training sessions at regional conference facilities each spring. Attendees receive low cost product training along with information about new features and additional products. Perhaps best of all, users can meet each other, meet the Web2School technical support staff, share ideas, and ask questions about the software.

More information will be forthcoming, but for your budgetary purposes, the cost

of the meeting, including a fabulous continental breakfast and lunch, remains \$110.00 per attendee.

• Web2School Support

We are not increasing support costs for the coming year. If you have not made changes to your software configuration, you can expect your support costs to remain the same as last year.

NEW FEATURES LIST

The list of new features is updated as each new release becomes available. check out the list under the Help Menu, then View New Features.

NEW SEARCH WINDOW

Search windows for students, personnel, guardians, and courses have taken on a whole new, keystroke-saving, user-friendly look. In addition to the existing 'Search By' functionality, you can now further filter or narrow down your displayed list. Also, those items that used to be tabs within an information window now appear down the left of the screen. The user can simply click a button, such as Transcript, to go directly into the student transcript information. In addition, displayed lists can be further narrowed down using the filter feature.

NEW NOTIFICATIONS WINDOW

Many customer requests were factored into the redesign of the Notifications feature. Much more user-friendly, the new window allows you to easily select date ranges and to retrieve those who have or have not notified. The personnel setup contains options to indicate those staff members who should display in the notifications window so that you can limit the lists to only relevant staff members. In addition, notification has been added to Discipline.

JAVA UPGRADE

Web2School will be moving to a more current version of java. The new version will enable us to make use of new features that Java offers. Please advise your technical coordinator that Web2School Windows client machines will need to be upgraded to Sun's Java 1.5 or higher. Our Linux customers already have the later version and need not take any action.

BROWSER-BASED PARENT MODULE

A new and improved browser-based parent module has been developed to provide parents and guardians with easy and secure access to their student's information. The enhanced version is available at no cost to customers who already have purchased the client-based Student Guardian module. Note that a web server is required.

TIPS

Scheduling season is upon us. This is the scheduling sequence most schools follow:

- Be sure to create a new year first.
- Remember that some data changes may need to be done in both the current year and next year.

- Update your course catalog as needed.
- Update your personnel list.
- Gather student requests and enter them into the system.
- Print Simple Tally reports to determine the number of requests for each course.
- Determine the number of sections of each course that will be offered.
- Decide whether or not you will edit your existing master schedule or create a new one.
- After the master schedule has been created (either by the scheduler or by hand), assign students to classes to see what your conflict rate is.
- Modify the master schedule and student schedules until all conflicts have been resolved.
- Print the Schedule Matrix Report to determine the number of students who do not have a class for any given day and term combination.
- Based on that report, add study halls to your master schedule.
- Assign students to study halls.
- Print and distribute student schedules.

WHAT'S IN THE WORKS?

Fee Module - Our engineers are building a new Fee module for use in tracking fees and payments. This module can be used by private schools, for library fees, lunch money, and more. Please call for pricing.

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