

Information Technology $S_{\text {ervices }}$
Miami-Dade County Public Schools

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Section 1

Introduction, Security, and System Use


What is it?

From? $\leftrightarrow$ To?

What happens?


The Florida Automated System for Transferring Educational Records (FASTER) is an electronic mail system that provides school districts, community colleges, and universities with the means to exchange transcripts and other student records electronically.

State universities and colleges. School districts (and schools).

State universities and colleges request transcripts.

Senior high schools send transcripts.
Public schools (through their district) request permanent records.

Public schools (through their district) send permanent records.


The Florida Information Resource Network (FIRN) is a system of computers, terminals, and data bases connected by special telephone lines. It links state universities, colleges, school districts, and public schools in the State of Florida. SPEEDE/EXPRESS (Standards for Post Secondary Education Electronic Data Exchange/Exchange of Permanent Records Electronically for Students and Schools) is a national system that allows schools to send transcripts and permanent records to educational institutions that do not use FASTER. Each school district in Florida is responsible for providing its own computer system and network. The Miami-Dade County Public Schools' computer center and the network of terminals and printers in all of the schools are connected to FIRN.

In addition, each school district is responsible for developing its own computer programs for maintaining student records and for transmitting these records to other districts, colleges, and universities. Working closely with the Florida State Department of Education, the Miami-Dade County Public Schools' Information Technology Services (ITS) has developed this computer system.

The Florida Automated System for Transferring Educational Records uses FIRN to request, send, and receive transcripts and permanent records.

## About The System

(1) Requests for transcripts from colleges and universities, or for permanent records from schools outside of the county, are routed, via FIRN, to MiamiDade County Public Schools' Information Technology Services (ITS) computer center.

ITS processes the requests every night and produces reports which are sent to appropriate schools. These reports are:

## - Incoming Requests Report

## $\int$ State (FIRN) Transcripts/Permanent Records

## (2) School Action

$\square$ Review Incoming Requests Report for special messages.
R Review and confirm accuracy of transcripts / permanent records.
$\square$ Make on-line corrections / additions as required.
Perform on-line entry of appropriate codes to release transcripts and/or permanent records. [Schools may send transcripts to State universities and colleges even when not requested.]

3 Every night (Monday-Friday), ITS processes the outgoing activity submitted by the schools and sends the transcripts and/or permanent records to the requesters via FIRN.

ITS produces Outgoing Responses Reports and sends them to the schools.

## (4) School Action <br> Confirm the results by reviewing:

the Outgoing Responses Report.
$\square$ the on-line screens.

## About This Manual

## Format

This manual is designed to serve two functions. For new users, it is a step-by-step guide. For experienced users, it serves as a reference manual. The Florida Automated System for Transferring Educational Records (FASTER) is explained in the 5 sections outlined below. While samples and discussion are based on transcripts, they also apply to permanent records.

## Section 1: Introduction, Security, and System Use

This section contains an overview of the system, information about this manual, security restrictions, how to sign-on to the system, and how to obtain assistance.

## Section 2: Receiving Requests

This section explains how requests for transcripts and permanent records are received by the school and the action to be taken. Samples of the Incoming Requests Report, Transcripts, and Permanent Records are included.

## Section 3: Sending Transcripts/Permanent Records

The topics addressed in this section are:
How to treat requests for unidentified students. Menu Selection 6, UNIDENTIFIED STUDENTS.
$\square$ How to respond to requests for transcripts/permanent records. Menu Selection 1, RESPONSE TO REQUESTS.
$\square$ How to transmit transcripts/permanent records which have not been requested. Menu Selection 3, SENDING UNSOLICITED TRANSCRIPT / PERMANENT RECORD.
$\square$ How to transmit transcripts/permanent records via the SPEEDE/EXPRESS system. Menu Selection 8, SEND TRANSCRIPT/PERMANENT RECORD VIA SPEEDE/EXPRESS.
$\square$ Response Edit Error Report

## Section 4: Reports of Records Requested/Sent

This section provides samples with explanations of various hard copy and on-line reports.

Outgoing Responses Report

Electronic Transcript Delinquency Report

History: Records Requested / Sent

Menu Selection 4, LAST 30 DAYS TRANSMISSION LOG.
Menu Selection 5, SINGLE STUDENT HISTORY.

## Section 5: Requesting Permanent Records

This section explains how to request permanent records from public schools not in Miami-Dade County. There are two procedures:

Students who have transferred from another district and have been entered into a Miami-Dade County Public school. Menu Selection 2, REQUESTING PERMANENT RECORD FROM ANOTHER COUNTY.
$\square$ Students who are in the process of transferring from another district, but have not yet been entered into ISIS. Menu Selection 7, REQUEST OF PERMANENT RECORD OF STUDENTS NOT IN ISIS.

## Appendix:

This sections contains information about on-line Help screens.

## Conventions Used in this Manual



Printout indicates a computer produced report.
A four pointed star is used with items in a list.

Check box indicates an activity for school personnel such as verifying information, reviewing a report, or checking for accuracy.

Computer Terminal indicates an action which school personnel must perform on the computer terminal.

Pencil calls attention to something which should be noted or written down.

Enter PF1 Key Symbols depict the key that must be pressed to perform a specific task.

Triangles mark the individual steps in a sequence. Squares mark the end of a sequence.

Small Arrows highlight the menu item being described.
Large Arrows indicate that a back page has no information and a new topic is being introduced on the next page.

This symbol indicates that one or more help screens can be accessed.

Terminal screen reproductions are in two sizes. Small screens are used to provide you with a point of reference between the instructions and your terminal screen. Large screens are used when detailed explanations of individual items are provided.

## System Security

The on-line portion of $F A S T E R$ is a subsystem of the Integrated Student Information System (ISIS). Users of this system must be thoroughly knowledgeable of the Miami-Dade County Schools' Computer Network Security System. Refer to the Information Technology Services Publication: Computer Network Security System User's Guide. A portion of the introduction to this guide (Page 2) is quoted below.

Only authorized employees of the Miami-Dade County Public School System are allowed to access and use MDCPS computer systems. Each authorized employee is responsible for understanding and conforming to the following regulations:

1. The personal employee password is known only to the individual employee.
2. Each authorized employee is responsible for establishing and changing the personal password and for maintaining its secrecy.
3. Revealing this password to another individual is not permitted.

When an authorized employee has been cleared through the security screen and has accessed any one of the MDCPS computer systems, all activity performed by the individual is recorded by the computer. Should any unauthorized, incorrect, or misuse of the systems or data occur, the employee will be held accountable. If you allow another person to access any system by revealing your password, or by "signing-on" with your password and allowing another person to perform any activity, YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE AND WILL BE HELD ACCOUNTABLE.

In order to access the Integrated Student Information System and use FASTER, you must be designated by the work site authorizing administrator. Quoting again |from the above referenced ITS publication (Page 1),

Each work site authorizing administrator controls the access of employees at that work location to MDCPS computer systems by indicating which systems each employee is authorized to use. This responsibility cannot be delegated.

Authorizing administrators have been defined as: (1) all school principals; (2) administrators at the Director level and above in non-school site locations; or, (3) the highest ranking administrator of work sites not having a Director or above.

## Confidentiality of Student Records

Student records have the highest level of confidentiality. All MDCPS employees authorized to access student records must follow the directives contained in the MDCPS School Board Rule 6Gx13-5B-1.07.

## Getting Started

To use the Integrated Student Information System (and FASTER), you must "sign-on" to the CICS operating system.

If your computer terminal screen looks like one of these samples, follow the directions below. [If your screen looks like the sample on page 1-9, begin with the directions on that page.]


Figure 1: MDCPS Teleprocessing Network Screen


Figure 2: MDCPS Computer Network Screen


The CICS Security screen will be displayed. [See sample on page 1-9.]

The MDCPS computer network security screen is displayed when CICS has been entered on the previous screen.


Figure 3: CICS Security Screen

The "sign-on" procedure, indicated on the screen, must be followed.


Your personal application list screen will be displayed when you have been cleared through security access.
(If you followed the option on page 1-9 and entered ISIS, and if you are authorized to access the Integrated Student Information System, this screen will be bypassed and you will go directly to one of the screens on page 1-11.]


Figure 4: Sample Application List Screen

Your name will appear in place of SAMPLE EMPLOYEE and your work location number will be displayed.

Once you have completed the security check and this screen is displayed, you can use any of the MDCPS computer applications, listed on your screen, which your authorizing administrator has designated for your use.

If you have been authorized to access the Integrated Student Information System, ISIS will be on your application list. If it is not, contact your work site authorizing administrator.

On this screen, to access the Integrated Student Information System,


When isis has been entered on either the network security screen or the APPLICATION LIST screen, one of the following screens will be displayed.

## Pending Requests for Transcripts/Permanent Records

If there are numbers in any of the 3 categories, this screen will appear. If there are no pending requests in any category, this screen will be bypassed and the ISIS main menu screen, Figure 6, will be displayed.


Figure 5: Pending Requests Screen

## ISIS Main Menu



Figure 6: ISIS Main Menu Screen

## Selecting FASTER

The on-line portion of $F A S T E R$ is a subsystem of the Integrated Student Information System (ISIS).

On the ISIS main menu screen, make Selection 1, student data base system.


Figure 7: ISIS Main Menu Screen
On the student data base system applications menu screen, make Selection 1, STUDENT INFORMATION MENU.


Figure 8: Student Data Base System Applications Menu Screen

On the STUDENT INFORMATION MENU screen, select COURSE TRANSFER/CREDIT EVALUATION.


Figure 9: Student Information Menu Screen

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\nabla Type 6 and Enter
    or
\nabla Press PF5
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On the COURSE TRANSFER AND CREDIT EVALUATION SYSTEM menu screen, make selection 5, ELECTRONIC TRANSCRIPT SYSTEM F.A.S.T.E.R.


The OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER menu screen will be displayed.
[See Figure 11, on page 1-14.]


Figure 10 : Course Transfer and Credit Evaluation System Screen

The OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER menu provides access to the various functions of the Florida Automated System for Transferring Educational Records.


Figure 11: Out of County Electronic Transfer Menu Screen
[Use of the menu selections are explained under the appropriate topics of these instructions. Refer to page 1-4.]

## Who To Call for Assistance

If you need further assistance after reading the instructions in this guide, please call Information Technology Services, Support Services at 305-995-3705(0).



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Section 2

Receiving Requests


Figure 1: Incoming Requests Report

## Incoming Requests Report

[Please refer to the sample in Figure 1 on page 2-2. It was produced from "live" information, therefore, names and $I D$ numbers have been altered to maintain confidentiality.]

When Florida colleges and universities enter requests for transcripts on their computer terminals, these requests are routed through FIRN to the appropriate school districts. Requests for permanent records from one school district to another are routed in the same manner. Requests for transcripts and permanent records for students in Miami-Dade county are processed by Miami-Dade County Schools' Information Technology Services (ITS) computer center at the end of each work day. These requests are sorted by school within each district and printed as the Incoming Requests Report.

Requests for transcripts (from colleges and universities) and requests for permanent records (from other school districts) are printed on the same report. Schools receiving the requests process both in the same manner. The computer programs automatically generate the type of document (transcript or permanent record) for transmittal to the requesting institution. The information to identify each student on the report is entered into the statewide computer system by the requesting institution. The report contains the items listed in the table below.

| LOCAL ID | 7-Digit student ID number used in MDCPS computer systems |
| :---: | :---: |
| FLORIDA ID | Social Security Number with an " X " in 10th position; or Fla. ID |
| Student name | (As entered by the requesting institution; might be either legal or assumed name.) |
| GRAD DATE | (As entered by the requesting institution.) |
| BIRTH DATE | (As entered by the requesting institution.) |
| SEX, RACE | (As entered by the requesting institution.) |
| MESSAGE | Provides more detail regarding request. |
| REQ CTY-SCHL | Standards for Post Secondary Education Electronic Data Exchange (SPEEDE) |
|  | Bright Futures - first two digits $=95$ |
|  | State Student Financial Aid Database - first two digits $=96$ |
| Requesting County | 2-Digit county number <br> Always $\square 0$ when requester is a college or university. |
| Requesting School | State assigned number for the requesting institution. Colleges = C + 3-digit number; Universities $=\mathbf{U}+3$-digit number; $\mathrm{K}-12$ schools $=4$-digit number. Name, address, and phone number of requesting school. |

The Incoming Requests Report provides the school registrar/transcript clerk with a concise list of requests from Florida schools, colleges, and universities on a daily basis. This report, with your comments, will be used to send (on-line) electronic Transcripts and/or Permanent Records.

## School Action

$\checkmark$ Research listings coded UNIDENTIFIED.
When the requester has omitted or incorrectly entered the FLORIDA ID, the computer cannot identify the student record. Information as entered by the requester is printed with the word UNIDENTIFIED in place of a local (MDCPS) ID number.
$\square$ The Last Name Scan function in ISIS is a good place to begin your research.


If you identify the student, write the local(MDCPS) ID number above the word UNIDENTIFIED on the report.

If the student cannot be identified, so indicate on the report.
Read message for each student on the list. Look for:
$\checkmark$ Request for printed copy in addition to, or in place of, an electronic copy.

- When to send; "...AFTER GRADES HAVE BEEN POSTED" or, "...ONLY IF A DIPLOMA HAS BEEN AWARDED."
$\checkmark \quad$ Bright Futures and State Student Financial Aid Database messages that require additional action to successfully send students' transcripts.

After verifying the accuracy of the printed transcript / permanent record for each student [see next section], make a notation by each entry on the report indicating:

Ready to send.
Hold for posting of grades.
Hold to correct ISIS records.
Unable to identify.

Every night ITS prints and sends to applicable schools a Transcript or Permanent Recordfor each identified student on the Incoming Requests Report. The transcript is the official State DOE version and includes a student's academic record for grades $9-12$. The official State DOE permanent record comprises a student's complete academic history.
[A sample Transcript is on pages 2-6 through 2-9. A sample Permanent Record is on pages 2-10 through 2-14.]

## School Action

$\boxed{\nabla}$ Review each Transcript / Permanent Record for accuracy. Look for errors such as missing classes or grades.

Make appropriate notations, for your reference, on the Incoming Requests Report.

Process on-line corrections as required.

If accurate, the printed copy of the transcript/permanent record may be sent to those institutions which requested a printed copy. [See Messages on the Incoming Requests Report.]


Figure 2: Transcript (Page 1)


Figure 3: Transcript (Page 2)

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TO - DISTRICT: 13 DADE SCHOOL: 7777 COMMENTS FILE: SRTS12IS
GRADE LEVEL: 12 PREPARED DATE: 01/13/2003 CURRENT DISTRICT: 13 DADE PAGE 03
FL STUDENT ID: 123456789X SSN: 123-45-6789
LEGAL NAME: SAMPLE, STUDENT ALPHA
    CURRENT SCHOOL: }7777\mathrm{ SAMPLE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
(305) 999-8888
-------------------------------------- GENERAL COMMENTS
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L = MDCPS LOCAL CREDIT U = BELOW GRADE LEVEL Y = LOCAL HONORS ONLY
----------------------------------------------------
1 = SEMESTER 1
ONE SEMESTER IS EQUIVALENT TO }\frac{1}{2}\mathrm{ CARNEGIE UNIT. TWO CARNEGIE SEMESTERS ARE EQUIVALENT TO 1 CARNEGIE UNIT
FOREIGN LANGUAGE I COURSES SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED BY 7 7H OR 8 }\mp@subsup{8}{}{\mathrm{ TH }}\mathrm{ GRADE STUDENTS ARE INCLUDED FOR COLLEGE
FOREIGN LANGUAGE I COURSES SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED BY 7NS OR 8 OREDRADE STUDENTS ARE INCLUDED FOR COLLEGE 
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS ARE ACCREDITED BY THE SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS.
RANK IN CLASS IS DETERMINED BY A TOTAL GRADE POINT AVERAGE AFTER THE ADDITION OF BONUS POINTS FOR THOSE
COURSES DESIGNATED AS HONORS, ADVANCED PLACEMENT, PRE-INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE, OR INTERNATIONAL
BACCALAUREATE COURSES.THIS INFORMATION MAY NOT BE RELEASED TO A THIRD PARTY UNLESS APPROPRIATE AUTHORIZATION
IS OBTAINED. GPA IS CALCULATED AT THE END OF THE FIRST SEMESTER OF GRADE }12
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Figure 4: Transcript (Page 3)


Figure 5: Transcript (Page 4)

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TO - DISTRICT: }13\mathrm{ DADE
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GRADE LEVEL: 12 PREPARED DATE: 01/13/2003
FL STUDENT ID: 123456789X SSN: 123-45-6789

| LEGAL NAME: | SAMPLE, | STUDENT ALPHA |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| MAILING | 18888 | NE SAMPLE AV |
| ADDRESS: | MIAMI | FL $33160-000$ |
| DISTRICT STUDENT ID: | 1234568 |  |
| PARENT/GUARDIAN (NAME/CODE): |  |  |
| SAMPLE | FATHER | PARENT |
| SAMPLE | MOTHER | PARENT |

SCHOOL: 7777 DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION FILE: SRTS12IS CURRENT DISTRICT: 13 DADE CURRENT SCHOOL: 7777 SAMPLE SENIOR HIGH
(305) 999-8888

1111 NE SAMPLE STREET
MIAMI FL 33162
FL STUDENT ID-ALIAS: 1301234568
RACIAL/ETHNIC CATEGORY: W SEX: M BIRTH DATE: 11/01/1984 BIRTH VERIFICATION: 1 BIRTH PLACE: MIAMI FL


DISTRICT: 13 SCHOOL: 2222 SAMPLE ELEMENTARY
Y
YEAR: 1993-1994 GRADE LEVEL: 05

## SUBJECT CRSE

AREA FLAG GRD
T COURSE\# COURSE TITLE

45100110 READING
45100110 MATHEMATICS
45100110 ART
45100110 MUSIC
45100110 PHYS ED
45100110 CONTENT AREAS
45100110 LANGUAGE ARTS
CREDIT, TERM:
1993-1994 ANNUAL DAYS-PRESENT: 176 ABSENT: SUMMER TERMS DAYS-PRESENT: 27 ABSENT: ACADEMICALLY PROMOTED

DISTRICT: 13 SCHOOL: 2222 SAMPLE ELEMENTARY
YEAR: 1995-1996 GRADE LEVEL: 06
CREDIT SUBJECT CRSE ATT./EARN T COURSE\# COURSE TITLE AREA FLAG GRD ATT./EARN
C $0.000 .0030104000 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ EXPLORING ART $0.000 .0030600010 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ EXP WHEEL 2 0.000 .0031001010 LANG ARTS 1 $0.000 .0031205010 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ MATH 1 $0.000 .0031301000 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ GEN MUSIC 1 $0.000 .0031501100 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{J}$ COMPRE PHYS ED 1
C $\quad 0.000 .0032002040 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ COMP SCI 1 $0.000 .0032103010 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{J}$ WORLD GEOG

CREDIT, TERM
4
3
1995-1996 ANNUAL DAYS-PRESENT: 164 ABSENT:
SUMMER TERMS DAYS-PRESENT: 0 ABSENT: 0
0.000 .00 0.000 .00 0.000 .00 0.000 .00 0.000 .00 0.000 .00

B $\quad 0.00 \quad 0.00$
B $\quad 0.000 .00$
0.000 .00

ACADEMICALLY PROMOTED

DISTRICT: 13 SCHOOL: 6666 SAMPLE MIDDLE SCHOOL YEAR: 1996-1997 GRADE LEVEL: 07
CREDIT
SUBJECT CRSE
ATT./EARN T COURSE\# COURSE TITLE AREA FLAG GRD ATT./EARN $0.000 .0011501110 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ COMPRE PHYS ED 2 F 0.000 .00 $0.000 .0021501000 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ PHYSICAL FITNESS C 0.000 .00 $0.000 .0031001050 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{J}$ LANG ARTS 2 ADV D 0.000 .00 0.000 .0031200300 PRE ALGEBRA MA C 0.00 0.00 $0.000 .0031302000 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ BAND $1 \quad$ C 0.000 .00 $0.000 .0032002080 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ COMP SCI 2 ADV C $\quad 0.000 .00$ $0.000 .0032106020 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ CIVICS ADV F 0.000 .00 $0.000 .0041302000 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ BAND 1 CREDIT, TERM:
$42106010 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ CIVICS

A 0.000 .00
B $\quad 0.000 .00$ 0.000 .00

DISTRICT: 13 SCHOOL: 2222 SAMPLE ELEMENTARY YEAR: 1994-1995 GRADE LEVEL: 05
SUBJECT CRSE

3 COURSE\# COURSE TITLE AREA FLAG

35100110 SOCIAL STUDIES
35100110 ART
35100110 MUSIC
35100110 PHYS ED
35100110 SPANISH-SL
35100110 LANG ART/READING
35100110 SCIENCE

DISTRICT: 13 SCHOOL: 2222 SAMPLE ELEMENTARY
YEAR: 1994-1995 GRADE LEVEL: 06
SUBJECT CRSE
AREA FLAG GRD
T COURSE\# COURSE TITLE
$41001010 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ LANG ARTS 1
$41205010 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ MATH 1
$41301000 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ GEN MUSIC 1
$41501100 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ COMPRE PHYS ED 1
$42002040 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ COMP SCI 1
$42103010 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ WORLD GEOG
CREDIT, TERM:
1996-1997 ANNUAL DAYS-PRESENT: 170 ABSENT
SUMMER TERMS DAYS-PRESENT: 28 ABSENT:
CREDIT ACADEMICALLY PROMOTED
0.000 .00 DISTRICT: 13 SCHOOL: 6666 SAMPLE MIDDLE SCHOOL
0.00 0.00 YEAR: 1997-1998 GRADE LEVEL: 08
0.000 .00 SUBJECT CRSE CREDIT
0.000 .00 T COURSE\# COURSE TITLE AREA FLAG GRD ATT./EARN
0.000 .0018600220 EXP GRAPHIC COMM TEC B 0.000 .00
0.000 .0028600020 EXPLOR TECHNOLOGY C 0.000 .00

B $0.000 .0031001080 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ LANG ARTS 3 ADV D $\quad 0.000 .00$ 0.000 .0031200320 ALGEBRA I HON MA HR9 B 1.001 .00
$31303000 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ CHORUS $1 \quad$ B 0.000 .00

1994-1995 ANNUAL DAYS-PRESENT: 173 ABSENT: 7 3 2003320 PHYSICAL SCI HON $\quad$ SC H9 C $\quad 1.001 .00$
SUMMER TERMS DAYS-PRESENT: 21 ABSENT: 6
ACADEMICALLY PROMOTED
$32100010 \mathrm{M} / \mathrm{J}$ US HISTORY

Figure 6: Permanent Record (Page 1)


Figure 7: Permanent Record (Page 2)


Figure 8: Permanent Record (Page 3)


Figure 9: Permanent Record (Page 4)


Figure 10: Permanent Record (Page 5)


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Section 3
Sending Transcripts/Permanent Records

## The topics addressed in this section are:

$\square$ How to treat requests for unidentified students. Menu Selection 6, UNIDENTIFIED STUDENTS.

How to respond to requests for transcripts/permanent records. Menu Selection 1, RESPONSE TO REQUESTS.

How to transmit transcripts/permanent records which have not been requested. Menu Selection 3, SENDing UNSOLICITED TRANSCRIPT/PERMANENT RECORD.

How to transmit transcripts/permanent records via the SPEEDE/EXPRESS system. Menu selection 8, SEND TRANSCRIPTS/PERMENANT RECORD VIA SPEEDE/EXPRESS.

Response Edit Error Report

## Unidentified Students

$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Explanation } & \begin{array}{l}\text { On the Incoming Requests Report, some entries may have } \\ \text { been coded UNIDENTIFIED. Identifying these students was } \\ \text { described on page 2-4. A corresponding on-line entry must be } \\ \text { made for each. }\end{array}\end{array}$

## School Action

## Summary $\square$ <br> Sign on to ISIS and go to the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONiC TRANSFER menu screen. <br> [See:"Getting Started" on page 1-8]

- Make Selection 6, Unidentified students.

The unidentified students for your school screen will be displayed. Listed on the screen will be all of the students from your school which were coded unidentified on the Incoming Requests Report.

You must perform one of the following tasks for each student listed:

- Enter student local ID.

Enter all Ds in the student number field.
[This indicates that the student cannot be identified.]

- Enter all Hs in the student number field. [This indicates that only a printed copy of the student's Transcript/Permanent Record will be sent.]
[Detailed directions begin on the next page.]


## Directions

Sign on to ISIS and go to the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER menu screen.
[See:"Getting Started" on page 1-8.]


Figure 1: Out of County Electronic Transfer Menu Screen
$\nabla$ Type


Enter

The UNIDENTIFIED STUDENTS FOR YOUR SCHOOL screen will be displayed.

The UNIDENTIFIED STUDENTS FOR YOUR SCHOOL screen lists all of the students from your school which were coded UNIDENTIFIED on the Incoming Requests Report.
[Refer to the sample of the report in Figure 1 on page 2-2.]


Figure 2: Unidentified Students For Your School Screen

$\nabla$ Refer to your notes on the corresponding Incoming Requests Report. [See page 2-4.J
$\nabla$ You must perform one of the following tasks for each student listed on the screen:

Type Student ID number.
or
DDDDDDD (all Ds) in the STUDENT NUMBER field. [This indicates that the student cannot be identified.]
or
нHннннн (all Hs) in the STUDENT NUMBER field.
[This indicates that only a printed copy of the student's transcript/permanent record will be sent.]

The Unidentified students for your school screen will continue to be displayed.
If you entered valid student ID numbers, two possible results determine your next action. [An error message at the top of the screen will notify you of invalid ID numbers.]

The location number of the student's current (or last attended) school is displayed under the heading HOME SCHOOL.

## Your School is the Current (or last attended) School of a Student.

## $\nabla$ [No action required;

 continue below.]
## Your School is not the Current (or last attended) School of a Student.

## $\square$ <br> Verify that you have the right

 student.

When everything is correct,

- Press PF1 to save the information.

When there are more unidentified students than can be displayed on one screen, press PF8 to display additional listings. Repeat the procedure described above.

## Results of Your Actions

## 1. Student Identified and ID Number Entered

The transcript or permanent record for the student will be printed by ITS and sent to the school the student last attended. You will be able to send an electronic transcript or permanent record to requester.
[See "Responding to Requests" on page 3-7.]
2. Student Could Not be Identified—You Entered AII Ds

Requester will be notified and will either resubmit request with correct information, or contact you.
3. Student Identified, but You Entered all Hs

Requester will be notified that you are sending a printed copy of the student's record.
4. Your school is not the Current (or last attended) school of a student

If you corrected an invalid ID number, the request for the student's record will now appear on the screen for the school of record (current or last attended). The request for this student's record will no longer be displayed on your screen.

## Responding to Requests

Explanation
You must respond by entering an action code on-line for each of the students for whom records have been requested. (Exception: Students whose records were automatically sent. See side bar.) According to the code you enter, students' transcripts / permanent records will be sent electronically; and/or, an informational message will be returned to the requester.

## School Action

Summary Sign on to ISIS and go to the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONic TRANSFER menu screen.
[See: "Getting Started" on page 1-8]
Make Selection 1, response to requests.
The response screen will be displayed. Listed on the screen will be all of the students from your school for whom record requests have been made. The list will include students who were on the UNIDENTIFIED STUDENTS screen if you entered ID numbers for them.
You must enter one action code for each student listed. Action codes are on the SCHOOL HELP SCREEN.

```
1314-09-X2FD
ACTION CODE
    ALL OF STUDENT'S RECORD IS BEING SENT ELECTRONICALLY
    B SENDING STUDENT'S RECORD ELECTRONICALLY AND SCHOOL IS ALSO
        SENDING A PRINTED COPY
        C CANNOT SEND STUDENT'S RECORD AT THIS TIME, PLEASE CONTACT SCHOOL
        D RECORD BEING SENT TO BOTH THE REQUESTING INSTITUTION AND TO THE
        DOE TEACHER CERTIFICATION OFFICE
        E RECORD BEING SENT FOR EMPLOYMENT PURPOSES
        H SCHOOL SENDING PRINTED COPY OF STUDENT'S RECORD
        S SENDING STUDENT'S RECORD ELECTRONICALLY, ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
        BEING SENT IN PRINTED FORM
        X STUDENT HAS NOT YET GRADUATED, TRANSCRIPT WILL NOT BE SENT.
        (VALID ONLY IF STUDENT'S INCOMING REQUEST RECORD WAS
            'PLEASE SEND ONLY IF A DIPLOMA HAS BEEN AWARDED')
RETURN TO SCREEN = CLEAR
```

Figure 3: School Help Screen

You do not have to respond to requests for records which have been sent automatically.
When ITS receives a request for which all information is a perfect match with ISIS, the record is sent and the school is notified on the Incoming Requests Report.

## Directions

- Sign on to ISIS and go to the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER menu screen. [See:"Getting Started" on page 1-8]


## $\nabla$ Type

## 1

Enter

The RESPONSE SCREEN will be displayed.


Figure 4: Out of County Electronic Transfer Menu Screen

The RESPONSE SCREEN lists all of the students from your school for whom record requests have been made. The list includes students who were on the UNIDENTIFIED STUDENTS screen if you entered ID numbers for them.
[Refer to "Unidentified Students" on page 3-1.]


Figure 5: Response Screen


Refer to your notes on the corresponding Incoming Requests Report. [Refer to page 2-4.]

You must enter an action code for each student listed on the screen.
[Action codes with their meanings are listed on the next page. You can display a list of action codes on the screen by pressing PA2.]

## Type

the appropriate code for each student.
$\nabla$ Enter Check for errors.
When all information is correct,

- Press PF1 to update and save.


## Explanation of School Help Screen Action Codes

A You are sending the student's record electronically.

B You are sending the student's record electronically; and, you are also mailing a printed copy.

C You cannot send the student's record at this time; therefore, you are notifying the requester to contact you.

D Record being sent electronically to both requesting institution and to DOE Teacher Certification Office.

E Record being sent electronically for employment purposes.

H You are mailing a printed copy of the student's record. You are not sending an electronic copy.

S You are sending the student's record electronically; and, you are mailing additional information in printed form.

X You are not sending a Transcript because the student has not yet graduated. (Valid only when the student's incoming request record was please send only if a diploma has been AWARDED.)

After entering the codes, you may change them up to 5:00 P.M. on the day entered.

## Changing a Student Listed on the Response Screen to a Different Student.

This may be necessary when the requester has specified the wrong student. (For example, Mary Jane Smith in place of Mary Joyce Smith.)


Figure 6: Response Screen


## Press

$\square$
Position cursor at the ID number to be changed.

| $\boldsymbol{\nabla}$ | Type | New ID number over the old one. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\boldsymbol{\nabla}$ | Enter |  |
| $\boldsymbol{\nabla}$ | Type | Action Code for this (new) student. |

When all information is correct,
Press PF1 to update and save.

## Results of Your Actions

1. At 5:00 P.M., ITS will process records for all students listed on the RESPONSE SCREEN for whom you entered a code. These students will not be listed on the screen the next day (unless another request is received).
2. Students for whom you did not enter a code will remain on the screen until you enter a code.
3. Codes A, B, D, E or S: ITS will electronically send students' transcripts or permanent records to the requesters.

4. Codes B or $\mathbf{H}$ : School should mail a printed copy of the students' records to the requester.
5. Code S: School should mail additional printed information to the requester.
6. ITS will produce an Outgoing Responses Report and send it to your school. [See Section 4.]
|7. $\square$ You will be able to view, on your terminal, information about transcripts and permanent records which have been sent electronically. [See "History: Records Requested/Sent" in Section 4.]

## Sending Unsolicited Records

Explanation There are times when you need to send, electronically, a transcript or permanent record that was not requested (unsolicited). Also, you often need to send a corrected or updated record that was previously requested and sent electronically.

## School Action

Summary $\square$ Sign on to ISIS and go to the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER menu screen.
[See:"Getting Started" on page 1-8.]
Make Selection 3, sending unsolicited transcript / PERMANENT RECORD.
The SEND TRANSCRIPT/PERMANENT RECORD screen will be displayed.
Enter the following items for each transcript or permanent record you wish to send:
$\checkmark \quad$ Student's local ID number.
County and School code where the record is to be sent.

- One of the action codes found on the SCHOOL ACTION help screen.


Figure 7: School Action Help Screen

## Directions

Sign on to ISIS and go to the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER menu screen. [See:"Getting Started" on page 1-8.]


Figure 8: Out of County Electronic Transfer Menu Screen

## $\nabla$ Type

 3Enter

The SEND TRANSCRIPT/PERMANENT RECORD screen will be displayed.


Figure 9: Send Transcript/Permanent Record Screen


For each transcript or permanent record you wish to send,


The names of the students and the names of the schools will be displayed.


Figure 10: Send Transcript/Permanent Record Screen


Press PF1 to save and send electronically via FIRN.

## Sending Records Via SPEEDE/EXPRESS

Explanation | The SPEEDE/EXPRESS system (Standards for Post Secondary |
| :--- |
| Education Electronica Data Exchange/Exchange ofPermanent |
| Records Electronically for Students and Schools) is a national |
| system that allows schools to send transcripts and permanent |
| records to educational institutions that do not use FASTER |
| (Florida Automated System for Transferring Educational |
| Records). |

## School Action

## Summary

Help screens are available which display a list of institution names, states and address codes.
[Detailed directions begin on the next page.]

## Directions

$\nabla$ Sign on to ISIS and go to the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER menu screen. [See "Getting Started"on page 1-8.]


Figure 11: Out of County Electronic Transfer Menu Screen


The SEND STUDENT RECORDS VIA SPEEDE/EXPRESS screen will be displayed.


Figure 12: Send Student Records Via SPEEDE/EXPRESS Screen


For each transcript or permanent record you wish to send,

| Type | Student ID number <br> Educational Institution's Address |
| :--- | :--- |

A list of the participating SPEEDE/EXPRESS educational institution addresses is available from the Help Screen. [See page 3-21.]


The names of the students and the names of the educational institution will be displayed.


Figure 13: Send Student Records Via SPEEDE/EXPRESS Screen
$\nabla \quad$ Verify student names and educational institution names

| All is correct. |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| [Continue.] | There is an error. <br> Type corrections. <br> Verify corrected names. <br> If not correct, repeat correction. <br> If correct, continue. |

Press PF1 to save and send electronically via FIRN.

To access the help screen from the Send student records via speede/Express screen,

## $\nabla$ Press PA2

The heLP MENU will be displayed.


Figure 14: Help Menu Screen
$\nabla$ Press PF6

The HELP SCREEN will be displayed.


Figure 15: Help Screen

| $\nabla$ Press |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| PF8 to display next page of HELP SCREENS or, |  |
| Press Clear twice to return to the SEND STUDENT RECORDS VIA |  |
|  |  |

Figure 16: Response Edit Error Report


## Explanation

Whenever insufficient data for a transcript or permanent record is sent electronically from a school district, the Florida Department of Education (DOE) produces a report titled: Response Edit Error Report.

This report is sent (electronically) to the school district. In Miami-Dade, the report is printed by the ITS computer center and sent to the school which sent the transcript/permanent record.

## School Action

The Response Edit Error Report must be corrected to re-transmit the data appropriately. The following information refers to an S04 record type error, Student Course Information record. (See sample on page 3-23) It explains how to find the error and how to correct it. For assistance with other types of errors, contact Support Services at (305) 995-3705(0).

## Directions

Locate the following fields on the report sample:
REJECT: This line contains the information that must be corrected.
What information is invalid?
FIELD: COURSE NUMBER COLS:0070-0076 (See field 13 on report sample)
VALUE: 2109400 course number on file

Why is the information invalid?

## NOT A VALID PK-12 NBR FOR YR ON DOE COURSE FILE

The course number entered was not a valid course number for the designated school year 2000-2001. (See field 10 on report sample)

Where is the information invalid and where can it be corrected?
The valid course number must be located in the Curriculum Course Bulletin for the designated year and corrected in ISIS in the TRACE system, where the information was originally entered upon transfer from private school. (See fields 8 and 9 on report sample)


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Section 4

Reports of Records Requested/Sent

This section provides samples with explanations of various hard copy and on-line reports.
$\square$ Outgoing Responses Report

Electronic Transcript Delinquency Report

■ History: Records Requested / Sent
Menu Selection 4, Last 30 days transmission log
Menu Selection 5, single student history

## Outgoing Responses Report

This report is produced by Miami-Dade County Schools' Information Technology Services and sent to each school which processed electronic transcript and/or permanent record requests the previous day.

Listed on the report are the names of all students which were processed by the school on the following screens.

1. The UNIDENTIFIED STUDENTS FOR YOUR SCHOOL screen. Students which you coded DDDDDDD (student could not be identified) or HHHHHHH (only a printed copy will be sent). [See Figure 2 on page 3-3.]
2. The ReSponse screen. Students which you coded A, B, C, D, E, H, S, or X. [See Figure 4 on page 3-9.]
3. The SEND TRANSCRIPT/PERMANENT RECORD screen. Students for whom you are sending unrequested records (codes U, C, J, E and F.) [See Figure 7 on page 3-15.]
4. The SEND Student records via speede/EXPRESS screen. Students for whom you are sending records via the SPEEDE/EXPRESS system. (Codes U, C, J, E and F.) [See Figure 12 on page 3-20. ]

The action codes entered on these three screens automatically generate the messages on the Outgoing Responses Report. The report contains the items listed in the table below.

| LOCAL ID | 7-Digit student ID number used in M-DCPS computer <br> systems |
| :--- | :--- |
| FLORIDA ID | Social Security Number with an "X" in the 10th position; <br> or Fla. ID |
| STUDENT NAME | (As maintained in the computerized student file.) |
| REQ CTY-SCHL <br> Requesting County | SPEEDE <br> 2-Digit county number <br> Always ØØ when requester is a college or university. <br> State assigned number for the requesting institution. <br> Colleges = C + 3-digit number; Universities = U + <br> 3-digit number; K-12 schools = 4-digit number. |
| MESSAGE | Corresponds to the action codes entered by the school. |

To show the continuity between the Incoming Requests Report and the Outgoing Responses Report, samples of both are reproduced on the following pages.


Figure 1: Incoming Requests Report


Figure 2: Outgoing Responses Report

The large block letters, A, X, B, C, H on the sample Incoming Requests Report (Figure 1, page 4-2) are the Action Codes entered on the RESPONSE SCREEN (Figure 4, page 3-9). These codes generate the messages on the Outgoing Responses Report (Figure 2, page 4-3).

Note: All currently valid action codes are not represented in these samples.

## School Action

The Outgoing Responses Report provides the school with a concise transmittal list of transcripts and permanent records sent to schools, colleges, and universities.

V Compare the Outgoing Responses Report to the corresponding Incoming Request Report and verify that the results are what you intended them to be.

On the Outgoing Responses Report, mark all students listed with a message indicating that a printed copy of the record is to be sent.

When the printed copy of the record has been mailed, make a notation on the report and include the date for your records.

## Explanation

The State Department of Education mandates that schools send transcripts and permanent records within three days of receiving a request.

FASTER keeps a file of all requests and transmissions of student transcripts and permanent records. From this file ITS produces the Electronic Transcript Delinquency Report.

Students for whom transcripts and permanent records have been requested, but not sent by the school, are listed with the requesting educational institution number and name.

The report is sent to the schools, and appropriate District Offices.

## School Action

Review the report and verify which requests have not been honored.

Respond to the requests immediately.
[A sample report is on the next page.]


Figure 3: Electronic Transcript Delinquency Report

## History: Records Requested / Sent

Explanation

## School Action

## Summary

Sign on to ISIS and go to the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER menu screen. [See: "Getting Started" on page 1-9.]

Display the last 30 days activity for your school.

1. Make Selection 4, LAST 30 DAYS TRANSMISSION LOG.
2. The TRANSMISSION LAST 30 DAYS screen will be displayed.

Display activity for an individual student.

1. Make Selection 5, Single student history.
2. The SINGLE STUDENT HISTORY screen will be displayed.
3. Enter a student's local ID number.

## Directions

## Last 30 Days Transmission Log

Sign on to ISIS and go to the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER menu screen. [See:"Getting Started" on page 1-9.]


Figure 4: Out of County Electronic Transfer Menu Screen

Type
4

## Enter

The TRANSMISSION LAST 30 DAYS screen will be displayed.


Figure 5: Transmission Last 30 Days Screen
The information in the table below is displayed.


| STUDENT NUMBER | 7-digit District (local) ID number |
| :---: | :---: |
| STUDENT NAME | (As maintained on the computer file) |
| SEND CTY (county) SCHL (school) | SPEEDE <br> 2-digit county number <br> (Always $\emptyset \emptyset$ when requester is a college or university) <br> State assigned number for the requesting institution. <br> Colleges $=\mathbf{C}+3$-digit number; Universities $=\mathbf{U}+3$-digit <br> number; K-12 schools $=4$-digit number |
| (Action) | (See samples on the screen.) |
| DATE <br> SENT | Date the School/District responded electronically |
| DATE RECEIVED | Date the requesting/receiving institution received the record electronically |

[The list of students on the sample screen do not correspond to other examples in this guide.]
When there are more records than can be displayed on one screen, press PF8 to page forward.

## Single Student History



Figure 6: Out of County Electronic Transfer Menu Screen

Type
5

Enter

The SINGLE STUDENT HISTORY screen will be displayed.


Figure 7: A Single Student History Screen

The SINGLE STUDENT HISTORY screen reappears with all of the electronic transcript and permanent record activity for the student displayed.


Figure 8: A Single Student History Screen

The information in the table on page $4-12$ is displayed.

| TO | 2-digit county number <br> (Always DO when requester is a college or university) <br> State assigned number for the requesting institution. <br> Colleges = C + 3-digit number; Universities = U + 3-digit <br> number; K-12 schools = 4-digit number <br> SPEEDE <br> School Name |
| :--- | :--- |
| (Action) | (See sample on the screen.) |
| DATE | Date the School/District responded electronically |
| SENT | Date the requesting/receiving institution received the record <br> electronically |
| DATE |  |
| RECEIVED |  |

To display the transcript / permanent record activity for another student,
$\nabla$ Type
Student ID Number (new number over the one on the screen).

Enter


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Section 5

Requesting Permanent Records

## The topics addressed in this section are:

$\square$ Requesting Records from Florida Schools Outside of Miami-Dade County. Menu Selection 2, REQUESTING PERMANENT RECORDS FROM ANOTHER COUNTY.

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Requesting Records from Florida Schools Outside of Miami-Dade County Before a Student is Entered into ISIS. Menu Selection 7, REQUESt OF PERMANENT RECORD OF STUDENTS NOT IN ISIS.

- After Requests Are Made

Outgoing Requests Report
Incoming Responses Report

## Requesting Records From Florida Schools

Explanation
All public schools in Miami-Dade County have access to all students' records within the District. FASTER is not used to transfer records within Miami-Dade County.

FASTER links individual schools in Miami-Dade County, via FIRN, to schools in other districts within the State of Florida.

When a student transfers from one county to another, within the State, the receiving school can request and receive, electronically, that student's record from the sending school/district.

Note: Records can not be requested through the SPEEDE/EXPRESS system.

## School Action

## Summary <br> ㅁ

Sign on to ISIS and go to the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER menu screen.
[See:"Getting Started" on page 1-8.]
$\square$ Make Selection 2, REQUESTING PERMANENT RECORD FROM ANOTHER COUNTY.The REQUEST PERMANENT RECORD screen will be displayed.

Enter the following items for each Permanent Record you wish to request:

- Student's local ID number.
- County and School code from which the record is being requested.

Help screens are available which display: a list of Florida District numbers; and, the State numbers for colleges, universities, and $K$ through 12 schools.

Most districts are on-line. Use the Help Screens to determine if a selected district/school is on-line.
[Detailed directions begin on the next page.]

## Directions

$\nabla$ Sign on to ISIS and go to the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER menu screen. [See:"Getting Started" on page 1-8.]


Figure 1: Out of County Electronic Transfer Menu Screen
$\nabla$ Type
2
$\nabla$ Enter

The request permanent record screen will be displayed.


Figure 2: Request Permanent Record Screen


For each Permanent Record you wish to request,
$\nabla$ Type Student ID number.
County Code \& School Code.
[No space between codes; e.g., 010151, 00C929]
If you are requesting the Permanent Record, leave the отHER REQ column blank.

If you have received the electronic transmission of the student's Permanent Record and want to notify the sending institution that you are still waiting for ESE and/or other non-automated information,

## County Code <br> 2-digit

number (00
for colleges \& universities)

## School Code

C + 3-digit
no. (colleges)
$\mathbf{U}+3$-digit n o (universities) type an $X$ in the OTHER REQ column.

The names of the students and the names of the schools will be displayed.


Figure 3: Request Permanent Record Screen

Verify student names and school names.

All is correct.
[Continue.]
There is an error.

| $\boldsymbol{\nabla}$ | Type corrections |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\boldsymbol{\nabla}$ | Enter |
| Verify corrected names |  |
|  |  |
| If not correct, repeat correction. |  |
| If correct, continue. |  |

Press PF1 to save and send requests electronically via FIRN.

## Requesting Records for Students Not in ISIS

Explanation
The procedures for requesting records explained on page $5-1$ and following require an ISIS ID number. There are times, however, when a school must request a record for a student from another Florida school before the student can be entered into ISIS. This is the procedure to use.

## School Action

## Summary

- Sign on to ISIS and go to the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONiC

TRANSFER menu screen. [See: "Getting Started" on page 1-8.]

- Make Selection 7, request of permanent record of STUDENTS NOT IN ISIS.

The request of permanent record of students not in ISIS screen will be displayed.

- Enter the following items for each permanent record you wish to request:
- Student's Social Security Number/Florida ID Student's Last, First, and Middle Name Student's Date of Birth Student's Ethnic and Sex Codes
County and School codes from which the record is being requested.

Help screens are available which display: a list of Florida District numbers; and, the State numbers for colleges, universities, and $K$ through 12 schools.

Most districts are on-line. Use the Help Screens to determine if a selected district/school is on-line.
[Detailed directions begin on the next page.]

## Directions



Figure 4: Out of County Electronic Transfer Menu Screen

## Type

$\square$
Enter

The REQUEST OF PERMANENT RECORD OF STUDENTS NOT IN ISIS screen will be displayed.


Figure 5: Request of Permanent Record of Students Not In ISIS Screen



## Options

PF12 To clear the screen and enter information for another record.
Clear To return to the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER menu.


## After Requests Are Made

1. Your requests for permanent records will be processed by the MDCPS computer center and sent, via FIRN, to a computer center in Tallahassee. The MDCPS computer center produces the Outgoing Requests Report and sends it to your school. This report lists the students for whom you have requested permanent records with the county number and school number where the request was sent. [Sample on page 5-10.]
2. Each school district has an electronic mail box. All electronic transcript and permanent record activity (requests and records) for each school district are placed in the appropriate electronic mail box.
3. School districts check their electronic mail boxes each night and communicate with the appropriate schools in their district.
4. When the district/school receives your request, they will send the student's record, via FIRN, to the central computer center in Tallahassee. The records
| are placed in the Miami-Dade County electronic mail box.
5. Each night, the MDCPS computer center checks the Miami-Dade electronic mail box. Student records are transmitted electronically from the computer center in Tallahassee to the MDCPS computer center.
|6. The permanent records are printed by the MDCPS computer center and distributed to the requesting schools.
|7. The MDCPS computer center prints and distributes the Incoming Responses Report to all applicable locations. This report contains responses from the counties/schools from whom requests for permanent records have been made as listed on the Outgoing Requests Report. The report lists the students for whom you have requested permanent records, the county number and school number responding, and an informative message about each request. [Sample on page 5-11.]

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\end{aligned}
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& \text { MESSAGE } \\
& \text { A PERMANENT RECORD/TRANSCRIPT HAS BEEN } \\
& \text { REQUESTED FOR THIS STUDENT. } \\
& \text { A PERMANENT RECORD/TRANSCRIPT HAS BEEN } \\
& \text { REQUESTED FOR THIS STUDENT. }
\end{aligned}
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TIME RUN 10.36.23

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\text { SCHOOL - } 1111 & \text { SAMPLE ELEM } & \\
\text { LOCAL } & \text { FLORIDA } & \\
\text { ID } & \text { ID } & \\
1134567 & 1301134567 & \text { SAMPLE } \\
& & \\
& 1307754321 & \text { SAMPLE }
\end{array}
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Figure 6: Outgoing Requests Report


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Figure 7: Incoming Responses Report


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## Help Screens

On most of the $F A S T E R$ screens, special HELP screens have been provided for quick access to the various codes used in the system.

Please be aware that if you change to a HELP SCREEN after typing some information and before pressing Enter, the data you typed may be lost. If you need to look up codes, use the help screen before you begin to type.

PA2 is the access key to the HELP SCREENS.
Clear returns to the application screen or HELP MENU.
PA2 The phrase PA2 = HELP SCREEN on the bottom of a screen indicates that you can change to another screen which will display applicable codes and their explanations. In most cases the first HELP SCREEN is a HELP MENU screen which lists other help screens which can be accessed by a function key (PF). The table below indicates which screens from the OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER menu have help screens attached.

| OUT OF COUNTY ELECTRONIC TRANSFER MENU | HELP SCREEN |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1. RESPONSE TO REQUESTS | ACTION CODES |
| 2. REQUESTING PERMANENT RECORD | HELP MENU |
| 3. SENDING UNSOLICITED TRANSCRIPT / P. R. | HELP MENU |
| 4. LAST 30 DAYS TRANSMISSION LOG | HELP MENU |
| 5. SINGLE STUDENT HISTORY | (NO HELP) |
| 6. UNIDENTIFIED STUDENTS | HELP MENU |
| 7. REQUEST OF PERMANENT RECORD OF STUDENTS NOT IN |  |
| ISIS | HELP MENU |
| 8. SEND TRANSCRIPT / P.R.VIA SPEEDE / EXPRESS | HELP MENU |

The help screens are reproduced on the following pages.

Action Codes [Used on the response to requests screen.]

```
1314-09-X2FD
SCHOOL HELP SCREEN
01/27/03 14:17:59
ACTION CODE
    DEFINITION
ALL OF STUDENT'S RECORD IS BEING SENT ELECTRONICALLY
    SENDING STUDENT'S RECORD ELECTRONICALLY AND SCHOOL IS ALSO
    SENDING A PRINTED COPY
    C CANNOT SEND STUDENT'S RECORD AT THIS TIME, PLEASE CONTACT SCHOOL
    D RECORD BEING SENT TO BOTH THE REQUESTING INSTITUTION AND TO THE
        DOE TEACHER CERTIFICATION OFFICE
    E RECORD BEING SENT FOR EMPLOYMENT PURPOSES
    H SCHOOL SENDING PRINTED COPY OF STUDENT'S RECORD
    S SENDING STUDENT'S RECORD ELECTRONICALLY, ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
        BEING SENT IN PRINTED FORM
    X STUDENT HAS NOT YET GRADUATED, TRANSCRIPT WILL NOT BE SENT.
        (VALID ONLY IF STUDENT'S INCOMING REQUEST RECORD WAS
        'PLEASE SEND ONLY IF A DIPLOMA HAS BEEN AWARDED')
RETURN TO SCREEN = CLEAR
```

Figure 1: School Help Screen
Help Menu

```
1314-10-X2FD
HELP MENU
01/29/03
14:19:21
PF1 - DISTRICT SCREEN
PF2 - DISTRICT/SCHOOL SCREEN
PF3 - SCHOOL ACTION CODES(* FOR USE IN SEND TRANSCRIPT/PERMANENT RECORD)
PF4 - UNIDENTIFIED STUDENT CODES (*FOR USE IN UNIDENTIFIED STUDENTS)
PF5 - INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL INFORMATION SCREEN
PF6 - SPEEDE/EXPRESS ADDRESSES
RETURN TO SCREEN = CLEAR
```

Figure 2: Help Menu Screen

The following help screens are accessed from the help menu.
District Screen

| 1314-10-X2FD | DISTRICT SCREEN | 01/27/03 14:19:21 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NUMBER NAME | NUMBER NAME | NUMBER NAME |
| 00 POSTSECONDARY INSTITU | 17 ESCAMBIA | 34 LAFAYETTE |
| 01 ALACHUA | 18 FLAGLER | 35 LAKE |
| 02 BAKER | 19 FRANKLIN | 36 LEE |
| 03 BAY | 20 GADSDEN | 37 LEON |
| 04 BRADFORD | 21 GILCHRIST | 38 LEVY |
| 05 BREVARD | 22 GLADES | 39 LIBERTY |
| 06 BROWARD | 23 GULF | 40 MADISON |
| 07 CALHOUN | 24 HAMILTON | 41 MANATEE |
| 08 CHARLOTTE | 25 HARDEE | 42 MARION |
| 09 CITRUS | 26 HENDRY | 43 MARTIN |
| 10 CLAY | 27 HERNANDO | 44 MONROE |
| 11 COLLIER | 28 HIGHLANDS | 45 NASSAU |
| 12 COLUMBIA | 29 HILLSBOROUGH | 46 OKALOOSA |
| 13 DADE | 30 HOLMES | 47 OKEECHOBEE |
| 14 DESOTO | 31 INDIAN RIVER | 48 ORANGE |
| 15 DIXIE | 32 JACKSON | 49 OSCEOLA |
| 16 DUVAL | 33 JEFFERSON | 50 PALM BEACH |
| RETURN TO SCREEN = CLEAR | PF8 = PAGE FORWARD | HIGHLIGHTED $=$ ACTIVE DISTRICTS |

Figure 3: District Screen
(Page Forward)


Figure 4: District Screen

## District/School Screen



Figure 5: District/School Screen

## How to Use This Help Screen

This screen helps you locate the district school location number of a particular school in a Florida school district. You can also display all the schools in a specified district; or search for a school by name.

To use this screen effectively, you must know the 2-digit number of the school district. If you do not know the district number,
$\nabla$ Press Clear to return to the help menu.

- Press PF1 to display the list of Florida School Districts.
[The following examples show you how to use the District School Help Screen.]


## You know the district number and the name of the school.



The school and county will be displayed. If you entered a portion of the school name, all schools sharing that name in the district will display.


Figure 7: District/School Help Screen
Clear to return to the HELP MENU.

## You know the district number and want to see all schools in that district.

 $d \quad i \quad s \quad t \quad i \quad c \quad t$ (alphabetically) will be displayed. Press PF8 to page forward.


Figure 9: District/School Help Screen

To display another district, type the number after ENTER STARTING COUNTY SCHOOL and press Enter.

> Clear to return to the HELP MENU.

You know the name of the school, but not the district name or number.


Figure 10: District/School Screen
The school and county will be displayed. If you entered a portion of the school name, all schools sharing that name will display.


Figure 11: District/School Help Screen

Action Codes [Used on the SEND TRANSCRIPT/PERMANENT RECORD screen]

1314-10-X2FD
SCHOOL ACTION
01/27/03 14:35:36
FOR USE IN SEND TRANSCRIPT/PERMANENT RECORD
ACTION DEFINITION
CODE
U SENDING STUDENT'S RECORD UNSOLICITED
C SENDING A CORRECTED OR UPDATED STUDENT RECORD
J SENDING STUDENT'S RECORD FOR A JOINT PROGRAM, ARTICULATED AGREEMENT OR SIMILAR ARRANGEMENT

E SENDING AT STUDENT'S REQUEST FOR EMPLOYMENT PURPOSES
F SENDING STUDENT'S RECORD BOTH TO DOE TEACHER CERTIFICATION OFFICE AND COUNTY/SCHOOL

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RETURN TO SCREEN = CLEAR
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Figure 12: School Action Screen

## Unidentified Student Codes

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UNIDENTIFIED STUDENT CODES
FOR USE IN UNIDENTIFIED STUDENTS
TAKE 1 OF FOLLOWING ACTIONS FOR EACH STUDENT
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01/27/03 14:35:36

1. ENTER STUDENT ID
2. ENTER ALL 'D'S IN STUDENT ID FIELD, INDICATING STUDENT CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED
3. ENTER ALL 'H'S IN STUDENT ID FIELD, INDICATING ONLY A PRINTED COPY OF STUDENT'S RECORDS IS BEING SENT

Figure 13: Unidentified Student Codes Screen

## Individual School Information

1314-10-X2FD

ENTER COUNTY/SCHOOL - 00U973

RETURN TO SCREEN = CLEAR

Figure 14: Individual School Information Screen


Figure 15: Individual School Information Screen

