

## APS Infinite Campus Teacher Manual

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## APS Infinite Campus Teacher Manual Overview

## Introduction This manual introduces teachers to the basic functions of the Infinite Campus software application and common tasks associated with the program.

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## Using the APS Infinite Campus Teacher Manual

## Purpose

Logging in to Infinite Campus

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The purpose of this manual is to assist teachers with the setup, navigation, and operation of the Infinite Campus software application.

Use this manual as a guide to explore the Infinite Campus landscape. It is a tool that provides enhanced administrative functionality for today's classroom.

Topics detailed in this manual include (but are not limited to) instruction on the following:

- Logging into the System
- Changing and Adjusting the Settings
- Viewing Messages
- Managing Schedules
- Taking Attendance
- Sorting the Grade book

Follow the steps below to log in to the Infinite Campus (APS Student Information System) program.


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| Logging in to Infinite Campus, continued | Step | Action |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 3 | Type in your APS Password. |
|  |  | Username |
|  |  | apsnetworkusername |
|  |  | Password |
|  |  | .............. |
|  |  | Sign In >> |
|  |  | Figure 2 - Infinite Campus Sign In screen |
|  | 4 | Click the Sign In button. (The Infinite Campus homepage will appear.) |



Figure 3-Infinite Campus Home screen

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## Opening <br> Campus Instruction



After signing into Infinite Campus, the screen should default to the Campus Instruction page. NOTE: In the event this doesn't occur, follow the steps below to open Campus Instruction.

Follow the steps below to access Campus Instruction.

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Locate the App Switcher icon on the menu bar and click on it. (A drop-down menu appears.) |
| 2 | Click the Campus Instruction button. |
|  |  |
|  | $\checkmark$ Campus Instruction Campus Community |
|  | Figure 5-Campus Instruction button |

Accessing the Preferences Account Settings

The Preferences section can be accessed from the left panel of the Infinite Campus home page.

Follow the steps below to setup the Preference options.

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1 | Scroll down the left panel to the bottom. |
| 2 | Select Account Settings. (The Account Settings open to the Preferences <br> tab.) |
| 3 | Choose from the following options by placing a checkmark in the <br> fields below: |
| - Show Active Students Only |  |
| - Show Student Number |  |
| - Show Student Picture |  |
| - Use Seating Chart for Attendance |  |

## Using the APS Infinite Campus Teacher Manual, Continued



Figure 6 - Preferences Account Settings screen

Accessing the Preferences

## Account Settings, continued

The table below describes the following Preference options.

| Preference | Description |
| :--- | :--- |
| Default <br> Application | The application that loads automatically when you sign in to Campus, either Campus <br> Instruction or Campus Tools. |
| Active <br> Students Only | Mark this preference to prevent dropped students from displaying outside the Roster. <br> If not marked, dropped students display in red text. |
| Student <br> Number | Mark this preference to view students numbers following student names. |
| Student <br> Picture | Mark this preference to view student pictures throughout Campus Instruction. |
| Seating Chart <br> Attendance | Mark this preference to set the default seating chart as the default view when taking <br> attendance, rather than a roster list. |

## Taking Attendance

## Attendance

## Planner

Grade Book
Attendance 1
Roster

Seating Charts
Student Groups

Class Serve
Post Grades

When you open Attendance, the student list for your current period displays. The number of periods where you need to take attendance display in an orange notification on the Attendance tab.


Figure 7 - Attendance button
You can view students in your section in a list or the seating chart, if one is assigned. Toggle between types using the Seating Chart or Attendance List buttons at the top.

Follow the steps below to set up the Attendance function.

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Click on the Attendance tab on the left panel. (Class roster appears.) |
| 2 | Mark the appropriate attendance using the following criteria: <br> - $\mathrm{P}=$ Present (Default) <br> - A = Absent <br> - T = Tardy |
| 3 | Enter comments, as needed. |
| 4 | Click the Save button. |



Figure 8 - Attendance window

## Taking Attendance, continued

Attendance, continued

Follow the steps below to mark attendance via seating chart.

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Click on the Attendance tab on the left panel. (Class roster appears.) |
| 2 | $\qquad$ Seating Chart button. |
| 3 | Mark the appropriate attendance using the following criteria: <br> - $\mathrm{P}=$ Present (Default) <br> - $\mathrm{A}=$ Absent <br> - T = Tardy |
| 4 | Enter comments as needed. |
| 5 | Click the Save <br> button. |



Figure 9-Attendance Seating Chart

## Taking Attendance, Continued

## Navigating You have the ability to navigate between periods at the top of the screen. Between Periods When you save attendance for a period, a checkmark displays for that period.

| Period 01 | $\sqrt{ }$ Periad 02 | Penod 05 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |

Figure 10-Period Selection button

## Setting Up the Grade Book

Using Grade Book Options

There are a variety of options available to teachers within the Grade Book to choose for setup.


NOTE: DO NOT use Campus Tools (the old version) again, once the "New" Grade Book is set up.

## Setting Up

 Grade Book

Follow the steps below to setup the Grade Book for courses ending in Zero.
NOTE: All schools follow the steps 1-10. (Middle and High Schools refer to the chart on pages 11-14 for screen shots based on the type of course number.)

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Click on Grade Book on left panel of the home screen. <br> Grade Book |
| 2 | Click on the arrow icon on the Section to view the drop-down menu. |
| 3 | Select the first section at the top of screen. (e.g. 23.0014000 Reading Grade 3) |
|  | Figure 11 - Section Drop-Down menu |

## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

## Setting Up Grade Book, continued



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## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

## Setting Up Grade Book, continued



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## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

Follow the scenario below to set up Grade Calc Options according to the Course Number.

| If ... | Then ... |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| The middle school course | Choose | On Conduct Grading Task |
| number ends in Zero. (For | In Progress Grade in the Fill | Choose |
| example, 23.0014000.) | Calculation Type drop-down | • Grading Task = Conduct |
|  | menu. | (Quarter 1, 2, 3, or 4.) |
|  | • Grading Scale = Numeric | - Calculation> Type = In |
|  | • Check Weight Category | Progress |
|  | ONLY. | • Grading Scale = Conduct |
|  | • Click Save. | • Uncheck Weight Category. |
|  | See Figure 15 below. | See Figure 16 below. |
|  |  |  |



Figure 15 - Middle School Grade Calc Options


Figure 16-Conduct Options

## Setting Up the Grade Book

| If ... | Then ... |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| The course number ends in 1 or 2 in the High School $4 \times 8$ setting (For example, 23.0310001). | Choose <br> In Progress Grade in the Fill Calculation Type drop-down menu. <br> - Grading Scale = Numeric <br> - Check Weight Category ONLY. <br> - Click Save. <br> See Figure 17 below. | On Conduct Grading Task Choose <br> - Grading Task = Conduct (Quarter 1, 2, 3, or 4.) <br> - Calculation> Type $=$ In Progress <br> - Grading Scale = Conduct <br> - Uncheck Weight Category. <br> See Figure 18 below. |
| Semester Semester Grd 2 | $\square$ |  |
|  |  | Type: |
|  |  | -Grading Scale |
|  |  | Numeric |
|  |  | $\square$ Weight Categories $\square$ Use Score's \% Value |
|  |  | $\text { wisen }=$ |
| Semester EOCT CRS FINAL 2 | V | Type: |
|  |  | In Progress Grade 7 |
|  |  | *Grading Scale |
|  |  | Numeric $\quad$ - |
| Semester EOCT TEST 2 | $\square$ | Type: |
|  |  | In Progress Grade |
|  |  | *Grading Scale |
|  |  | Numeric $\quad \square$ |
|  |  | Weight Categories Use Score's \% Value |

Figure 17- High School Grade Calc Options

## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued



Figure 18 - High School Grade Calc Options

## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued



Figure 19 - EOC High School Grade Calc Options

## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

## Creating Categories

Follow the steps below to add categories to the Grade Book.

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Click on Grade Book on left panel of the home screen. (If not already on the page.) |
| 2 | Click on the Settings bar in the upper left corner under Section to view options. <br> $\stackrel{\text { B }}{5}$ |
| 3 | Select the Categories link, under the Grade Book Setup section. (The Categories List window opens.) |

Figure 20-Grade Book Setup section


Figure 21 - Category List

## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

| Creating Categories, continued | Step | Action <br> Enter a Name for the Category, which displays on assignments and in the Grade Book. NOTE: Names should be unique. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 6 | Enter a Weight for the Category. <br> NOTE: The total of all the category weights should equal $100 \%$. |
|  | 7 | NOTE: This step is OPTIONAL. The Sequence number determines the order in which categories are listed in the Grade Book. Type in a Sequence number. |
|  | 8 | NOTE: This step is OPTIONAL. Exclude from Calculation omits categories from the grade calculation and displays them with an asterisk. |
|  | 9 | NOTE: This step is OPTIONAL. Drop Lowest Score automatically removes the lowest score in the category by percentage. |
|  | 10 | Indicate which Sections to add the category to in the Category Placement section. <br> NOTE: Sections listed include the current section and any others in the same course that have the same teachers. |

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## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

| Creating Categories, continued | Step |  | Action |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Select ONLY the Grading Task where the final grade counts (e.g. FINAL, Semester, Quarter). |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Gading Task |  |
|  |  | Progess | $\square$ |
|  |  | emeter Gid | $\square$ |
|  |  | Semester Gid | V |
|  |  |  | Save Detie Cobe |
|  |  | Figure 23 - Grading Tasks options |  |
|  |  | If | Then |
|  |  | The course ends in Zero (Elementary) | Check the box for FINAL |
|  |  | The course ends in Zero (Middle) | Check the box for Semester Grd |
|  |  | The course ends in 1 or 2 | Check the box for Semester Grd |
|  |  | The course is an EOC course number (Part B.) | Create an additional category called "EOC TEST." The weight should equal $100 \%$ and Grading Task equals EOCT TEST. |
|  | 12 | Click Save to add the category to the list. |  |

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## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

## Deleting a Category

Follow the steps below to delete a category.


Figure 24 - Category List window
$3 \quad$ Click on a Category name to open the Category Detail window.


Figure 25 - Category Detail window

## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

## Creating Categories, continued

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :--- |
| 4 | Click Delete in the bottom right corner. (A warning message appears.) <br> Verify that you would like to delete the category by clicking the OK <br> button. <br> Delete? <br> Are you sure you want to delete this category? |
| Figure 26 - Delete Warning message |  |

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## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

## Creating Assignments

## Grade Book

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Assignment can be created in three different locations within Infinite Campus. The assignment editor is the same in all three locations: Grade Book, Curriculum view of the Planner, and the Tree View.

Follow the steps below to create an assignment.


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## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued



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## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

## Creating Assignments, continued



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## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

## Copying Assignments

There are two ways to copy assignments, through an individual assignment or through the Planner.

Copy assignments by first accessing the assignment editor for the assignment you'd like to copy.

Follow the steps below to copy an assignment.

| Step | Action |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Click on Planner. |  |  |
| 2 | Select the My Curriculum button. |  |  |
|  | My Curriculum | My Schedule | Other Schedules |
| 3 | Select a course <br> 27.1140000-1 CCGP Period 5, Students: 6 <br> 17.0040000-1 Health Period 8, Students: 20 | Copy From <br> athematics Grade <br> Per | or Copy To a s <br> 5. Students: 6 <br> 8, Students: 20 |
| 4 | Click the Copy assignments to this section button. |  |  |



Figure 31 - Assignment Options Copy selection

## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

## Copying Assignments, continued

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :---: |
| 4 | Choose the section you want to Copy From. <br> Assignment Copier |
|  | Need Caneal |
| 5 | Mark the checkboxes on the assignments listed. |
| 6 | Choose the section to Copy To. |
| 7 | Click the Next button. |
| 8 | Edit the Alignment Name, Grade Book Alignment, Assigned or Due Date, if desired. <br> Figure 32 - Assignment Copier options |
| 9 | Click Copy. |

## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

## Scoring Assignments

Assignments are scored in the Grade Book. The view of the Grade Book is based on the Section, Term and Task you've selected in the Campus toolbar. The Term you select determines which assignments display in the Grade Book based on the dates of the assignment. Assignments are sorted based on the Sort By and Sort Order fields in the Settings.


Figure 33 - Assignment Scoring options
Follow the steps below to enter scores for assignments in the appropriate column.

| Step | Action |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Click on Grade Book. |  |
| 2 | Verify the Section. Select a Term. |  |
| 3 |  |  |
| 4 | Click the Task drop-down menu. Refer to the table below. |  |
|  | If | Then |
|  | The course ends in Zero (Elementary) | - The term should be Full Year. <br> - Tasks should be FINAL. |
|  | The course ends in Zero (Middle) | - The term should be Quarter 2 or 4. <br> - Task should be Semester Grd |
|  | The course ends in 1 or 2 (High) | - The term should be Semester $\mathbf{1}$ or 2 . <br> - Task should be Semester Grd |
|  | The course is an EOC number ending in 2 | NOTE: EOC scores must be entered for the assignment named "EOC SCORES." <br> - The term should be Semester 1 or 2. <br> - Task should be EOCT TEST. |

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## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

## Scoring Assignments, continued

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | The column header includes the abbreviation of the assignment, the Sequence, the Due Date, the Category, and the Points Possible. <br> Inactive assignments display with an asterisk. Scores entered for these assignments are not included in grade calculation. To access additional scoring options, expand the assignment by clicking either the chevron in the top right of the header or in the |
|  |  |
|  | $45 \quad$ T M L I Ch X Dr 12/23/2013 13:22 |
|  | $48 \quad \square \mathrm{~T}$ M L I Ch X Dr |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  | $20 . \quad \mathrm{T} M \mathrm{~L}$ \| Ch X Dr |
|  | $50 \quad \mathrm{~T} M \mathrm{~L}$ \| Ch X Dr |
|  | Figure 34-Trigonometric Functions Worksheet |
|  | Within this expanded view, you can enter comments for scores and add flags to scores. |

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## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

## Scoring <br> Assignments, <br> continued

## Score Flags

The following table describes the effect of marking a flag for an assignment.

| T | Turned In | Top left of grid | If you mark an assignment as Turned In and then as Missing, the Turned In flag is removed. Assignments which are enabled for Submission through the Portal are closed for submission when the Turned In flag is marked. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| M | Missing | Bottom <br> right of grid | Score appears stricken-through. If you enter score for an assignment marked as Missing, a dialog box appears asking you if the Missing flag is removed. |
| L | Late | Bottom right of grid | N/A |
| I | Incomplete | Bottom <br> right of <br> grid | N/A |
| Ch | Cheated | Bottom right of grid | Score appears stricken-through. Scores with the cheated flag automatically calculate to zero. |
| X | Exempt | Bottom right of grid | Score appears stricken-through. The grid of scores flagged as Exempt appear in grey. |
| Dr | Dropped | Bottom right of grid | Dropped scores are not included in Progress grade calculations. |

## Setting Up the Grade Book, Continued

Fill Scores
Use the fill scores for an assignment to save time entering scores or proficiency levels.


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## Posting Grades

Posting a Grade Follow the steps below to post grades for a section.


Figure 36 - Post Grades options

| 6 | Verify information is correct in the Post Grades window. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7 | Click OK. |  |  |
| 8 | $\qquad$ | Save <br> udents |  |

## Posting Grades, Continued

Viewing Posted Follow the steps below to post grades for a section.
Grades

|  | Step | Action |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Student Groups | 1 | Click on Post Grades. |
| Class Serve | 2 | Select the Section in the drop-down menu. |
|  | 3 | Choose the Term. |
| Post Grades | 4 | Select the Task. |
| Assignment Overview | 5 | Verify information is correct or edit student grades accordingly. |
| Lockers | 6 | Click the Save button. |



Figure 37 - Posted Grades window

## Filtering and Sorting in Grade Book

Filtering
Options

Filtering By Students

The filtering options in the Settings menu control which students and/or assignments display in the Grade Book. You can filter students and assignments separately, or combine the filters. For example, choosing Missing Flag for both filters, limits the Grade Book to only view students and assignments that only have at least one missing flag.

Follow the steps below to display filtering options.

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1 | Click on Grade Book. |
| 2 | Select the Settings button. |
| 3 | Choose from the drop-down menu to sort by Student or Assignment. |
| 4 | Click the Save button. |



Figure 38 - Student Filter Options menu

All Student Groups that have assignments assigned to only students in that group are listed in the Student Groups section. Select one to only view students in that group.

## Filtering and Sorting in Grade Book, Continued

Filtering By Students, continued

NOTE: You can also limit the Grade Book to just one student by choosing an Individual, which could be useful in a conference where you'd like to show a student their progress and scores directly in the Grade Book.

Another way to hide all other students is by clicking the student's name to expand the student section (or by using the key command ALT S) and then Hide Others. Navigate between students by clicking Next or Previous, or return to the full class view by clicking Show All.


Figure 39 - Navigating between Individual Students

## Filtering and Sorting in Grade Book, Continued

## Filtering By Assignments <br> The Assignment Filters are used to limit which assignments display in the Grade Book.



Figure 40-Assignment Filter Drop-Down menu

Select a Category to view only assignments in that category, or a Student Group to view only assignments assigned to that group.

The Other section includes options with the following logic:

- Choose Due This Week to view assignments with Due Dates in the current calendar week.
- Choose Due Next Week to view assignments with Due Dates in the next calendar week.
- Choose Missing Flag to view assignments that have at least one score flagged as Missing.


## Filtering and Sorting in Grade Book, Continued

## Sorting <br> Assignments

Use the sorting options in the Settings menu to change the order of assignments in the Grade Book. Use the pair of arrows in each column header to sort students by scores.

The Sort By option determines how assignments are grouped in the Grade Book, by Category, Sequence, or Due Date.


Figure 41-Assignment Sorting options
The Sort Order option determines the order of assignments, Ascending, earliest due date to latest, or Descending, latest due date to earliest. Past the midway point of the term, it may be useful to reverse the order in which assignments appear.

Sorting Students

Click the pair of arrows that appear in many column headers in the Grade Book to sort students by the values in that column.

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1 | Click once to sort students ascending by column value with the highest <br> value at the top. |
| 2 | Click twice to sort students descending by column value with the <br> lowest value at the top. |
| 3 | Click three times to return to sort alphabetically by student name. |

NOTE: You can also sort students alphabetically using the arrows at the top of the Students column.


Figure 42 - Sorting Students by Score, Grade, or Proficiency Estimate

## Viewing Messages



Figure 43 - The Message Center screen

## The Message Center

The Message Center collects all your messages, including process alerts and notices in addition to the following:

- Process Alerts are sent automatically based on processes in Campus, such as records transfer or responses to behavior referrals.
- State, District and School notices are messages sent to all users through User Communication.
- Messages are sent to specific users, such as reminders and updates, through Messenger.

In addition, the Message Center allows you to sort messages by offering the following options on the drop-down list:

- Sticky - sticky messages are at the top, followed by other messages sorted by date.
- Date (newest) - messages sorted with most recent at the top.
- Date (oldest) - messages sorted with earliest at the top.

Filter the messages in your inbox by clicking the All Items, Process Alerts or Notices buttons at the top.

New messages have an orange New indicator that disappears after you read the message.

## Viewing Messages, Continued

New Messages continued

The orange number icon indicates how many messages you have. In the example above, the teacher has 4 new messages, including 3 process alerts and 1 notice.


NOTE: Messages with the yellow post-it icon are designated as "sticky," which means they appear at the top of your inbox and you can't delete them. These messages are given an end date when they're created, at which point they disappear from your inbox.

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1 | Sign into Infinite Campus. |
| 2 | The Message Center appears. |
| 3 | Scroll down and click on the blue link of the message to review it. (The <br> message opens in the Campus Tools.) |
| 4 | After reading messages, using the app switcher. <br> E. Log Oif |
| 5 | Click on the Campus Instruction button. |



Figure 44 - Open New Message

## Searching for Messages

Searching by Follow the steps below to search for a message within a specific date range. Date Range

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1 | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Click the Search } \\ \text { box opens.) }\end{array}$ |
| 2 | button at the top of the homepage. (The Search |\(\left.| \begin{array}{l}Enter a Date Range to view messages sent to you within those dates. <br>

messages to display.\end{array}\right\}\)

## Search



$$
\text { Search } \quad \text { Cancel }
$$

Figure 45 - Search Message box

## Viewing and Managing Your Schedule

## Setting Up the Planner

This section contains information about following options:

- Settings that control the appearance of the Planner and the To Do List
- Schedule View
- Curriculum View

The School Calendar or the To Do List or both can be minimized to increase the space of the schedule.


Figure 46 - The Planner Viewing Options
Events such as holidays, will automatically appear on your calendar.


Figure 47-Calendar View Holiday display

## Viewing and Managing Your Schedule, Continued



Figure 48 - Calendar Header in the Planner
When in week view, the week of the school year displays at the top of the calendar. The day of the school year also displays for each day. In the top right of the calendar, you can change the view to Month, Week, or a single Day.

Use the arrows at the left to advance or go back from your current view.
Click the calendar icon to select a specific day to view. Click Today to return to the current day from wherever you are.

Planner Settings The planner Settings allow you to choose:

- the color of each course in your schedule
- the display preferences for how the schedule appears


Figure 49-Planner Settings

## Viewing and Managing Your Schedule, Continued

## Display <br> Preferences

Color choices apply to each course, so multiple sections of the same course are the same color.

The Display Preference logic is as follows:

| Option | Logic |
| :--- | :--- |
| Auto-expand when <br> selecting Planner | Marking this preference causes the planner to auto-expand when you open <br> it to fully utilize screen space. |
| Show EMPTY periods in <br> schedule view | Marking this preferences displays all periods you don't havee a section to <br> the default color. Change color as desired. |
| Show Saturday/Sunday | Marking this preference adds Saturday and Sunday to the week view. |
| Work day start time | Select the default earliest time that should appear in the schedule. |

School Calendar Each year and calendar that you have rights to display in the School Selection Calendar list.

Select which schedule you'd like to view. Select All My Schools to view all of your sections across schools. If you have sections in multiple schools, you may want to choose a different color scheme in Settings for each school (such as light and dark, warm and cold, etc.)


Figure 50-Multiple Schools in the Schedule

## Viewing and Managing Your Schedule, Continued

## To Do List

The To Do List allows you to list tasks you'd like to remember and mark them off as you complete them.


Figure 51 - To Do List. Current and Completed

Follow the steps below to add items to the To Do List.

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :--- |
| $\mathbf{1}$ | Click on Planner. |
| $\mathbf{2}$ | Scroll down on the right side panel to view the To Do List section. |
| 3 | Click Add Task if you want to add new tasks to the list. |
| 4 | Type in the task. |
| 5 | Press the Enter key. (Tasks appear on the Tasks tab.) |
| 6 | Mark the checkbox to move a task to the Completed tab. |
| 7 | To move a task back to the active Task list, mark the checkbox for the <br> task in the Completed tab. |
| 8 | Click the Clear Completed button to delete the task. |

## Schedule View

Display Preferences

The Schedule view of the Planner shows all of your sections, based on the school and calendar options you've selected.


Figure 52 - Schedule View screen
NOTE: Hover over a section to see additional information.

## Schedule View, Continued

| Display <br> Preferences, continued | Follow the steps to view the student attendance for specified period. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Step | Action |  |  |  |
|  | 1 | Click on Planner. |  |  |  |
|  | 2 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Month Week Day |  |  |  |
|  | 3 | Locate the Period and Student count, click on Period, Student link to open the Class Roster. |  |  |  |
|  | 4 | Note the attendance for the period for the particular day for the class. |  |  |  |

Meetings scheduled by counselors that you are invited to also display in your schedule.

Click the title of the meeting to view a printable version of the meeting basics, including:

- Location
- Date and Time
- Agenda


Figure 53-Scheduled Meeting

## Curriculum View

Display Preferences

The Curriculum view of the Planner shows assignments in each of your sections, based on the school and calendar options you've selected. This view gives you the opportunity to view all assignments for a given week or day and modify them as needed.

An additional option displays on the right where you can select or specify which sections display.


Figure 54 - Curriculum View
The bar for each assignment runs from the Assigned Date to the Due Date. Click on the assignment name to view and modify the assignment, or click the Add button to create an assignment

## Curriculum View, Continued

```
Display You can also modify an assignment by clicking on it and dragging it to a new
Preferences,
continued
You can also modify an assignment by clicking on it and dragging it to a new day within the same section. (Dates automatically update based on your placement.)
Click on the Period \#, Students: \# line on a day to view a student list, which includes any scheduled absences. Print this list, if desired.
```



Figure 55 - Curriculum View Period Selection
Follow the steps below to display additional Section options.

| Step |  |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1 | Select the Planner tab on the left panel. |
| 2 | Click My Curriculum. |
| 3 | Choose the Section title. |
| 5 | Click View Assignment List. |
| 6 | Click the blue Score hyperlink. |
| 7 | Type in the score. |
| 8 | Click the Save button. |



Figure 56 - Curriculum View Score Assignment Details screen

## Grade Book Support

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Consulting with Atlanta Public Schools has created the role of a Student Information <br> Student Information Coordinators (SIC)

Coordinator (SIC), which is assigned to an Assistant Principal in the building. SICs are responsible for training and managing grade book setup for all teachers delivering instruction in their school buildings. Teachers should consult with the SIC in the school when concerns occur with the grade book. <br> The Student Information department maintains online resources for teachers on the IT Knowledgebase share point site. <br> https://my.apsk12.org/technology/sites/KBWiki/Pages/Infinite\ Campus\  Grading\%20Gradebook\%20Training.aspx
}

## Traditional Grading

## Sparkline Graphs

Grades are calculated based on the points or percentage earned by the student on each assignment and the subsequent weight of assignments and categories. Standards can be scored using Points or Marks as well. All of the options in this section are dependent on establishing Grade Calculation Options to calculate In Progress Grades.

- Sparkline Graphs summarize individual student performance.
- Box and Whisker Diagrams display student performance in relation to other students in the section.
- The Calculation Summary displays for an assignment or category.
- The Grade Totals section includes In Progress calculations and posted grades.

If you set the Sparkline Graph preference, a blue spark line graph displays next to the student's name. This graph condenses all scores into a compact graph that shows the patterns in the student's overall performance over time. This graph is always displayed chronologically, regardless of assignment sort options.

Sparkline graphs calculate based on the percentage of a score, rather than by the numeric score value; therefore, a 6 out of 10 and a 60 out of 100 will both calculate as $60 \%$. Hover over the spark line graph to view a tool tip indicating the number of scores represented in the graph.


Figure 58 - Sparkline Graph Example
In the figure above, Claire's performance steadily improves over four assignments. The line is created by connecting scores, showing progress over time.

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## Traditional Grading, Continued

## Box and Whisker Diagrams

Click on a student's name to expand the student section and view the box and whisker diagram for each assignment. Box \& Whisker diagrams allow you to easily visualize a student's performance in relation to the rest of the section. The center black line of the box is the median score. $50 \%$ of the students did equal to or better than this score and $50 \%$ did worse.


Figure 59-Quartile Values

The top of the box Q3 represents the top score of Quartile 3 or the 75th percentile. The bottom of the box Q1 represents the top score of Quartile 1 or the 25th percentile. The top and bottom whisker are drawn at the minimum and maximum scores or 1.5 times the distance between Q1 and Q3 which is also known as the Inter-Quartile range (IQR). A score placed in the whiskers show either the upper $25 \%$ of the class or the bottom $25 \%$ of the class. This lets statistical outliers fall outside the whiskers to show exceptionally good and exceptionally bad scores.

See below for more details on Quartile values.
The following examples explain two specific Box and Whisker plots. In these examples, there are 12 students in the class, which is three students per quartile. All assignments are out of 100 points.

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## Traditional Grading, Continued

## Box and Whisker Diagrams, continued

Student is in the Fourth Quartile

In this example, the student is within the top quarter of the class.


The student scores used to produce this diagram are as follows (example student score in bold):
Fourth Quartile (top quarter, upper whisker) - 100, 95, 90 (average: 95)
Third Quartile (lower-top quarter, top half of box) - 80, 75, 70
(average: 75)
Second Quartile (upper-bottom quarter, lower half of box) 60,55,50 (average: 55)
First Quartile (bottom quarter, lower whisker) - 40, 35, 30
(average: 45)

## Student is a Low Outlier

In this example, the student received a score that is significantly lower than the rest of the class, called an outlier.

The student scores used to produce this diagram are as
 follows (example student's score in bold):

Fourth Quartile (top quarter, upper whisker) - 100, 100, 100 (average: 100)

Third Quartile (lower-top quarter, top half of box) - 100, 100, 100 (average: 100) Note: Identical
first and second quartiles explain the non-existent top half of the diagram.

Second Quartile (upper-bottom quarter, lower half of box) 100, 98, 88 (average: 95.3)

First Quartile (bottom quarter, lower whisker) - 88, 80, 10
(average: 59.3)

## Traditional Grading, Continued

Box and<br>Whisker<br>Diagrams,<br>continued

## Calculation Summary

Hover over an assignment header to view the calculation summary tool tip, which provides basic calculations describing student performance across the assignment. These calculations include all students, regardless of any filters selected.


Figure 60 - Assignment Headers
The calculations for an assignment scored with Assignment Marks or Points are determined as shown in the following table. Assignments that are not scored are not included in calculations.

| Fleld | Description |
| :--- | :--- |
| Mean | The average score. Calculated by adding all student scores together and dividing by the <br> number of scores. |
| Std <br> Dev | Standard Deviation - the variation in scores based on the mean. A low standard deviation <br> indicates that scores are grouped fairly close together, that students scored similarly on the <br> assignment. A high standard deviation indicates that scores vary more greatly, that students <br> did not score similarly on the assignment. |
| Range | The range of the lowest score to the highest score. Displays as the lowest score - hlghest <br> score (total scores). |
| Count | The total number of scores entered for the assignment. |
| Medlan | The middle score, half way between the highest and lowest scores. |
| Q3 | The top score of Quartile 3, the 75th percentile. Halfway between the highest score and the <br> median. |
| Q1 | The top score of Quartile 1, the 25th percentile. Halfway between the lowest score and the <br> median. |
| IQR | Interquartile Range - the difference between Q1 and Q3. Like standard deviation, this value <br> indicates the degree of variance across student scores. |

Figure 61 - Description table

## Traditional Grading, Continued

## Points and Marks-Based Grade Totals

The Grade Totals include three sections, Posted Grades, In Progress Grades, and Categories. In Progress values calculate automatically based on scores entered and cannot be directly modified. Posted grades appear on the student's Grades tab. Grades in the Posted column can be modified as desired by the teacher when the grading window is open. In Progress grades are only available if the Grade Calculation Options are established. In the Grade Calculation Options, you have the option of indicating if the entered Weight for Categories should be honored and the In Progress grade should calculate based on the raw score entered or the percent earned. Grades can only be posted if the grading window is open for the Grading Task.

| 3 |  | Term | $\stackrel{+}{+}$ | Semester Grd |  |  |  | + Add |  | Categories |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Postod |  |  | In Progress |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Percent |  | Grade | Rpt Crd Comments | Points ${ }^{\text {- }}$ | Possible ${ }^{-}$ | Percent ${ }^{\text {* }}$ | Post <br> Grade | Classwork $\stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{*}$ | Homework $\stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{*}$ | Projects $\stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{*}$ |
|  | 69.33\% | 69 |  | 1090 | ${ }^{140} k$ | $69.37 \%$ | 69 | 89.13\% | 66.67 \% | $80.00 \%$ |
|  | 89.00\% | 89 |  | 268 | 300 | 89.33 \% | 89 | 89.33\% |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 2044 | 2500 | 81.73\% | 82 | 80.80\% | 80.00\% | 87.67 \% |
|  |  |  |  | 90 | 100 | 90.00\% | 90 | 90.00\% |  |  |
|  | 90.38\% | 90 |  | 2048 | 2300 | 90.23 \% | 90 | 86.63\% | 90.00\% | 91.00\% |
|  | 91.91\% | 92 |  | 2222 | 2500 | 91.78 \% | 92 | 86.90\% | 80.00\% | 97.33\% |
|  | 90.15\% | 90 |  | 2262 | 2500 | 90.15\% | 90 | 86.20\% | 100.00\% | 93.33\% |
|  | on ofor | 01 |  | 2181 | 2100 | anose\% | 01 | 8150\% | $10000 \%$ | 0732\% |

Figure 62 - Grade tabs

A column displays for each Category in the Term and Task selected. A percentage calculates for each student based on assignments aligned to each category.

Categories marked as Exclude still have a percentage calculated but are not included in the In Progress calculations. Excluded categories appear with an asterisk.

The percentage calculated for each Category is affected by the following settings:

- When a Multiplier is entered for a Scoring Alignment. This value will only affect the Category percentage if the Grade Calculation Option to Use score's \% value is not set.
- When the Grade Calculation Option to Use score's \% value is set. For example, two assignments are scored as $8 / 10$ and $100 / 100$. The point value calculated for these two assignments would be $108 / 110$, or $98 \%$. The percent value calculated would be $80 \%$ and $100 \%$, or $90 \%$ for the Category.

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## Traditional Grading, Continued

| In Progress | The In Progress grade also calculates from student scores, based on the <br> Grades <br> grading scale selected in the Grade Calculation Options. |
| :--- | :--- |
| The Grade Calculation Option to Calculate In Progress Grade must be |  |
| selected for these columns to appear. This section also includes the |  |
| aggregate points earned by the student and the total points possible across |  |
| assignments. |  |
| The In Progress Percent calculated will be affected by the following settings: |  |
| - When a Multiplier is entered for a Scoring Alignment. This value will only |  |
| affect the percentage if the Grade Calculation Option to Use score's \% |  |
| value is not set. |  |
| - When the Grade Calculation Option to Use score's \% value is set. For |  |
| example, two assignments are scored as 8/10 and $100 / 100$. The point value |  |
| calculated for these two assignments would be $108 / 10$, or $98 \%$. The |  |
| percent value calculated would be $80 \%$ and $100 \%$, or $90 \%$ for the two. |  |
| - When a Weight is entered for a Category AND whether the Category is |  |
| marked to be Excluded from calculation. |  |

In Progress Grades

The In Progress grade also calculates from student scores, based on the grading scale selected in the Grade Calculation Options.

The Grade Calculation Option to Calculate In Progress Grade must be selected for these columns to appear. This section also includes the aggregate points earned by the student and the total points possible across assignments.

The In Progress Percent calculated will be affected by the following settings:

- When a Multiplier is entered for a Scoring Alignment. This value will only affect the percentage if the Grade Calculation Option to Use score's \% value is not set.

When the Grade Caiculation Option to Use score's \% value is set. For calculated for these two assignments would be 108/110, or 98\%. The percent value calculated would be $80 \%$ and $100 \%$, or $90 \%$ for the two marked to be Excluded from calculation.

## Reports and Campus Instruction

## Reports

There are reports available in many of the tools in Campus Instruction.

| Course Requests <br> Student Course <br> Recommendations |  | Message Center |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Planner | - 三 | Print | Settin | 58051 | 1000 AP Calculus (A) |
| Reports (Attendance) |  | Grade Book |  | Cur | ulu | P Assign | ments |
| Reports (Grade Book) |  | Attendance |  | Today |  | View as <br> Categor | ignment list |
| Reports (Planner) |  | Roster |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { n } 4 / 28 \\ 213 / 2! \end{gathered}$ | Add ne Copy a | assignment <br> ignments to this section |
| Reports (Roster) |  | Seating Charts |  | $\begin{aligned} & 580511 \\ & \text { Period } 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 000 \mathrm{AP} \\ & \text { Students } \end{aligned}$ |  | ignments from this section |
| Account Settings | 三 | Student Groups |  | 1100-1 | e-Alget |  |  |

Figure 63-Report Options

Use reports to view the following data about your sections:

- Print forms for future use, including blank spreadsheets, and roster labels.
- Generate lists of standards linked to assignments and standards aligned to sections.
- View Portal Use by Students and Parents
- View attendance events for a specific date range, for an entire term, or as term totals for a calendar. If recording attendance using Positive Attendance, view student hour totals by term.
- List missing assignments in a format suitable for sending home with students.
- List flagged assignments for students across sections.
- Export your Grade Book for use in another program.
- View score summaries for the section or individual students.
- Analyze Online Assessment performance by item or by student.


## Reports and Campus Instruction, Continued

| Report Name | Use to report |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Attendance Change Tracking | Attendance events that have been added and changed for a <br> date range. |  |  |
| Attendance Register | Attendance for a term in a student-by-day grid |  |  |
| Attendance Summary | Attendance totals for a term by event type (excused, tardy, etc) |  |  |
| Positive Attendance Section <br> Summary | Total time spent in class for each student in a term (positive <br> attendance) |  |  |
| Reports (Grade Book) | Assignments flagged as missing, exempt, late, or incomplete for <br> students |  |  |
| Flagged Assignments | An export of your Grade Book in another format |  |  |
| Grade Book Export | Assignments flagged as missing per student |  |  |
| Missing Assignments | Scores for assignments and grades for tasks and standards |  |  |
| Section Summary | Assignment scores by student |  |  |
| Student Summary | Student performance on specific items across an assessment |  |  |
| Online Assessment Item Analysis | Responses to items, by student |  |  |
| Online Assessment Student <br> Response |  |  |  |
| Reports (Planner) | Standards associated with assignments for a section |  |  |
| Assignment Standards | A blank spreadsheet of selected students |  |  |
| Blank Spreadsheet | A list of standards aligned to the section's course |  |  |
| Section Standards | A blank spreadsheet of selected students |  |  |
| Reports (Roster) | Students and parents with Portal accounts and login activity |  |  |
| Blank Spreadsheet | Roster labels for mailing or classroom use |  |  |
| Portal Usage |  |  |  |
| Roster Labels |  |  |  |

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## Creating and Using Student Groups

## Creating <br> Student Groups

Student Groups can be used to sort students into smaller learning groups within a section. You can then assign assignments to only the students in a specific group.

Follow the steps below to create a Student Group.

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1 | From the Student Groups tool, select the Section you want to create a <br> group for in the Section drop-down list. |
| 2 | Click New to open a new group. |
| 3 | Enter a Name for the group, which appears in assignments and the <br> Grade Book. Groups are marked as Active by default. Unmark this <br> checkbox to exclude the group from appearing in assignments and the <br> Grade Book. Inactive groups display in red text in the groups list. |
| 4 | From the Student Roster list, click Add next to any student name who <br> should be in the group. <br> NOTE: Those names will move to the Student Group Members list at <br> the right. Other groups each student is assigned to are listed below <br> the student's name. Click the student's name to view basic <br> demographic data and contact information for the student. |
| 5 | To move students out of the Student Group Members list, click <br> Remove next to the name. |
| 6 | Click Save to create the group. |



Figure 64 - Student Groups screen

## Creating and Using Student Groups, Continued

## Using Student Groups

Use groups to control which students have which assignments, or simply as a record to refer to for classroom activities.

For example, a teacher could create an accelerated group for students who need additional or more difficult assignments. You can use student groups to give assignments to only a subset of students in a section.


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## Creating and Using Student Groups, Continued

Filtering Grade Book by Student Group

Reviewing and Modifying Groups

You can also filter the Grade Book to only show students in a specific group. Only groups that have assignments appear in the filter dropdown list.

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Click Grade Book. |
| 2 | Click on Settings. |
| 3 | Under the Filter area, choose the Student Group. <br> Figure 66 - Filtering by Student Group in the Grade Book |

Follow the steps below to review or modify a student group.

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1 | Click on Student Groups. |
| 2 | Select the name of the Student Group in the drop down at the top of <br> the screen. |
| 3 | Click Remove beside the student's name to take them off the list. |
| 4 | You can click Delete to remove the group or Back to return to the <br> student list. |



Figure 67 - Student Groups List

## Creating Seating Charts

Using Seating Charts

Seating charts provide a visual representation of where students sit in a classroom. Each section can have multiple seating charts if desired.


Figure 68 - Seating Charts

In addition to being a record of where students sit, use seating charts to take attendance.


Figure 69 - Seating Charts Attendance Display Option

## Creating Seating Charts, Continued

Using Seating Charts

Follow the steps below to create a seating chart.

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1 | Click Seating Charts from the left panel of the screen. |
| 2 | Click New in the top corner of the seating chart list. |
| 3 | Select the Section you're creating a chart for. |
| 4 | Enter a Name for the chart. |
| 5 | Select the number of Columns and Rows to indicate how many desks <br> to include in the chart. <br> NOTE: The number of students in the section appears below the <br> Name. |
| 6 | Indicate the default Space Between Desks. |
| 7 | If you want to automatically fill the chart with students, select the <br> Place option you'd like to use, Alphabetically A to Z, Alphabetically Z to <br> A, or Random. |
| 8 | If you would rather fill desks manually, select Do Not Place. Student's <br> names will display in a list from which you can place them in desks. |
| 9 | Click Create Chart to create a chart based on the parameters you <br> selected and view the chart. The seating chart fills based on the <br> parameters you selected, but you can click and drag desks into any <br> configuration you'd like. |

## Creating Seating Charts, Continued

Using Seating Charts, continued

| Step | Action |
| :---: | :---: |
| 10 | Click Save once you've finished the chart to add it to your chart list. |



Figure 70 - Seating Chart Details

## Creating Seating Charts, Continued

## Arranging and Configuring Seating

Follow the logic below to manually place students in the chart.

- Desks can be arranged in any configuration but cannot overlap.
- Click and drag the New Desk icon to add an empty desk to the chart.
- Click and drag unseated students from the list at the top into empty spaces.
- Click the X on a student to move them to the unseated list. Click the X on a desk to remove that desk from the chart.
- Moving a student to a space without a desk also moves the student's desk.
- Moving a student to another desk leaves an empty desk behind.
- Moving a student to a space where there isn't a desk adds another desk to the chart.
- Moving an unseated student (A) to a desk that already has another student (B) moves student $B$ to the unseated list. If students $A$ and $B$ are both seated, they'll trade desks.


Figure 71 - Manual Seating Chart

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## Creating Seating Charts, Continued

| Additional | The following table describes the additional options at the top of the seating |
| :--- | :--- |
| Options | chart. |


| Option | Action |
| :--- | :--- |
| Copy <br> Layout | Copies this desk layout to a new chart. |
| Report <br> Options | Opens the printing options for the chart. |
| Clear <br> Students | Moves all students to the unseated student list. |
| Place <br> Students | Places all unseated students into empty desks based on the option selected, <br> Alphabetically $A$ to $Z$, Alphabetically $Z$ to $A$, or Random. |
| Make <br> Default | Makes this desk layout the default organization. You could use this option if you teach in <br> the same room for multiple sections and want to reuse the physical layout of the room. |
| Expand <br> Workspace | Expands the scrollable area of the chart, useful for larger classrooms. |
| Contract <br> Workspace | Contracts the scrollable area of the chart. |

Figure 72 - Additional Seating options

## Where Do I...

Old Version
(Campus Tools)
vs. the new Campus Instruction

The table below compares tasks completed in the old Instruction module (Campus Tools) versus the new Campus Instruction.


NOTE: This table doesn't include all tools available in Campus Instruction, it includes tools that may be in a different location from the original Instruction module.

| I want to... | Instruction Module | Campus Instruction |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Setup |  |  |
| Set teacher preferences such as show/hide dropped students or show student pictures | Instruction > Assignments > Edit Teacher Preferences | Account Settings |
| Establish settings for In Progress Grades and Proficiency Estimates | Instruction > Assignments > Edit Grade Calc Options | Grade Book > Settings > Grade Calculation Options |
| Use Canned Comments | Instruction > Assignments > Edit Teacher Preferences | Grade Book > Settings > Use Canned Comments |
| Assignments |  |  |
| Create Categories | Instruction > Assignments > Edit Categories | Grade Book > Settings > Categories |
| Copy Categories | Instruction > Assignments > Edit Categories > Copy Categories | Grade Book > Settings > Copy Categories |
| Create Assignments | Instruction > Assignments > Create Assignment | ```Grade Book > +Add or ALT N Grade Book > Settings > Assignment List >Add Assignment Planner > Curriculum > +Add Planner \(>\) Curriculum \(>\) Section Name > Add New Assignment``` |
| Copy Assignments | Instruction > Assignments > Copy Assignments | Multiple Assignments: Planner > Curriculum > Section Name > Copy assignments to this section or Copy assignments from this section Individual Assignments: Any Assignment > Copy |
| View a list of assignments | Instruction > Assignments | Assignment Overview <br> Grade Book > Settings > Assignment List <br> Planner > Curriculum > Section <br> Name > View assignment list |
| View assignment submissions or online assessment responses | Instruction > Assignments > <br> Assignment > Save and Score | Grade Book > Assignments > Student Submission <br> Assignment or Assignment List > <br> Score > Student Submission <br> (Assignments or Assessments) |

## Where Do I..., Continued

| I want to... | Instruction Module | Campus Instruction |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Attendance/Daily | Instruction > Attendance | Attendance (Roster or Seating Chart) |
| Record attendance by <br> Present/Absent | Instruction > Daily Planner | Planner |
| View my schedule | Instruction > Positive Attendance | Positive Attendance |
| Record attendance by Present <br> Minutes | Posting Grades <br> Posting grades by grading task or <br> standard <br> Grading By Task |  |

## Where Do I Find Reports?

Reports are divided into four report folders, as displayed below.

| Report Name | Use to report |
| :--- | :--- |
| Reports (Attendance) | Attendance events that have been added and changed for a date range |
| Attendance Change Tracking | Attendance for a term in a student-by-day grid |
| Attendance Register | Attendance totals for a term by event type (excused, tardy, etc) |
| Attendance Summary | Total time spent in class for each student in a term (positive attendance) |
| Positive Attendance Section <br> Summary |   <br> Reports (Grade Book) Assignments flagged as missing, exempt, late, or incomplete for students <br> Grade Book Export An export of your Grade Book to another format <br> Missing Assignments Assignments flagged as missing per student <br> Reports (Planner) Standards associated with assignments for a section <br> Assignment Standards A blank spreadsheet of selected students <br> Blank Spreadsheet A list of standards aligned to the section's course <br> Section Standards  <br> Report (Roster)  <br> Blank Spreadsheet A blank spreadsheet of selected students <br> Portal Usage Students and parents with Portal accounts and login activity <br> Roster Labels Roster labels for mailing or classroom use |

