

**FOCUS ON YOUR
STUDENT ~~INFORMATION SYSTEM~~**



A Student Information System should free up your resources not take away from them.



**IMPLEMENTATION OF A
STUDENT INFORMATION SYSTEM
(SIS) REQUIRES A SIGNIFICANT
AMOUNT OF TIME, ATTENTION,
RISK, AND EXPENSE.**

CSMC observed that several of its clients did not have a positive experience during this difficult process.

For some, the lack of technology personnel was the problem.

For others, it was trying to make this district-level system work for a Charter School.

For still others, training was the biggest difficulty. CSMC offers invaluable help to Charter Schools on all of these counts.



CSMC's PowerSchool program gives you all the benefits of an SIS system without the enormous amounts of resources typically required to implement and manage such a system.

CSMC's staff of certified PowerSchool administrators does this by reducing your upfront costs, by bringing defined Charter School-specific practices that can be adapted to your school, by providing on-going training, and most important, by caring about your school as much as you do.

THE BENEFITS OF CSMC'S POWERSCHOOL PROGRAM:

NO TECH REQUIRED

- +** Monthly On-site Trainings are included: You will not get inundated with massive amounts of training. Initially we roll out only what you need to get started then gradually add additional modules as you require.
- +** Access to online training: You will receive access to Pearson's two online training programs -- "Mastery in Minutes" and "Distance Learning."

CHARTER-SCHOOL SPECIFIC

- +** Complete solutions designed specifically for Charter Schools: Implementation, Training, Support, and Maintenance, all without hiring a single person.
- +** State reporting is managed: Since CSMC is dedicated exclusively to helping Charter Schools, we know how to do all of the Charter School-specific reporting required by the state, including the new and very complicated CALPADS student identifier system.

SMOOTH IMPLEMENTATION

- +** Smooth Implementation: CSMC has its own experienced PowerSchool experts on staff, so you don't have to hire or train anyone to be your PowerSchool point person.

LOWER COST

- +** Lower implementation and operations cost: Utilizing our experience, a set of carefully defined practices, and an understanding of how to make PowerSchool work with your school, we help to lower your SIS costs.
- +** No up-front costs: With CSMC, you don't need to pay Pearson any one-time set up costs, a savings of thousands of dollars.
- +** Technology savings: We host your PowerSchool on our own dedicated and enterprise-class servers, so you don't need to buy any hardware or dedicate any of your limited and costly technology personnel toward setting up or maintaining PowerSchool.

YOU GET ALL THE BENEFITS OF A STUDENT INFORMATION SYSTEM WITHOUT THE STEEP LEARNING CURVE OR THE EXPENSIVE AND TIME-INTENSIVE TRAINING AND IMPLEMENTATION COSTS.

Since CSMC is dedicated to Charter Schools and knows PowerSchool so well, your implementation will be accomplished more quickly, more smoothly, and less expensively.

CSMC POWERSCHOOL PROGRAM DETAILS:

- ✦ Implementation of PowerSchool Premier for your Charter school with appropriate number of user licenses
- ✦ Initial Training for school administration and teachers
- ✦ Complete maintenance, updates, and back-ups of your system
- ✦ 2 Hours per month of on-site training to continually improve your understanding and use of PowerSchool modules
- ✦ CSMC management of critical reports such as attendance reporting and CALPADS
- ✦ Access to both Pearson's "Mastery in Minutes" and "Distance Learning"
- ✦ Phone support during business hours and an emergency hotline 24 hours a day
- ✦ Integration of PowerSchool into the "data dashboard" of CharterVision (for back-office customers of CSMC)
- ✦ Most important -- you get a reliable and Charter School-dedicated partner that you can count on

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