PeopleSoft Manual

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Introduction and General Information

This handbook was created for use by SDUSD site administrators such as school principals, directors, and other department heads. It contains information to help you complete your most common tasks in both the Human Resources (HCM) and Financial PeopleSoft applications.

The San Diego Unified School District uses a computer software program called "PeopleSoft" a.k.a. "Oracle PeopleSoft Enterprise" to handle the day-to-day business of running the district. This includes managing your budgets to help you provide your site and staff with the goods and services they need.

While you don't have to be a computer whiz to use the district's PeopleSoft software, you do need to be relatively comfortable using a PC computer with Windows, as well as using the Internet, in order to have the most success.

This handbook contains the following information:

- Chartfields
- Budget Reports
- How to Approve or Deny eProcurement Requisitions
- How to Approve or Send Back (for revision) Travel Expense Forms
- Key Payroll Elements for Managers
- How to Review and Approve Reports
- Human Capital Management
- Position Management
- How to Find Support

How to Log Into PeopleSoft

In order to use our district's PeopleSoft applications, you must have a computer (*PC or MAC*) that uses the latest version of Microsoft Internet Explorer, Firefox or Safari. You cannot use Netscape Navigator with PeopleSoft.

- 1. Launch Microsoft Internet Explorer, Firefox or Safari.
- 2. Go to: www.sandiegounified.org.
- 3. Click "Staff Portal" at the top of the page.
- 4. Click the "Resources" menu and then on the right click the "Applications" link.
- 5. On the Applications screen click **PeopleSoft Financial** or **HCM**.
- 6. Enter your User ID # (SDUSD Employee ID number. If you don't know it, ask your supervisor or look on your paycheck stub).
- 7. Enter your personal DWA password (*It is the same password as the one you use for your district email*).
- 8. Click "Sign in".

Important Advice



To experience the best (and often faster) use of PeopleSoft, please observe the following:

- Always single-click. Never double-click with your computer mouse. If you double-click anything in PeopleSoft it can slow the computer down substantially, and even freeze your screen or log you out of the system.
- Delete your Internet Explorer cache files (temporary internet files) on a regular basis. If you use PeopleSoft daily, you should delete your cache at least once a week. Less often if you don't use PeopleSoft that frequently.
- Never click the Back button on your Internet browser window. If you do (in order to return to the previous page), PeopleSoft software will very likely bump you out of the system (log you out). If that happens, you risk losing the work you were in the middle of completing. There will always be a hyperlink or button you can click in order to return to the previous page, usually located at the bottom of any PeopleSoft screen.

To safeguard your personal information, including your paycheck, Social Security number, salary, and benefit information, please remember the following:

Never, ever share your password with ANYONE. Period.

If you share your password with another person you place yourself at great personal risk; not to mention the fact that signing into PeopleSoft under someone else's employee ID and password constitutes fraudulent activity, and is definitely against SDUSD policy.

You are given a unique employee ID number and a personal password (for email, PeopleSoft, PowerSchool, etc.) for excellent reasons having to do with professional, financial, and personal security. Please do not compromise this by asking an employee to sign in to PeopleSoft under your identity.

Chapter 1 - Financials: Budgets

Chartfields

Chartfields are an integral part of how PeopleSoft works within our district. In order to fill your orders for goods and services through eProcurement, and to process your Travel & Expenses requests, it is essential that you and your staff understand the basics of Chartfields.

<u>Chartfield</u>: A PeopleSoft vocabulary term meaning a field (*that looks like a textbox*) into which budget code numbers are selected or entered (*typed*). Each Chartfield represents a different criterion that helps determine which budget is being named for use. Chartfields are meant to contain the Financial Accounting Codes used in transactions. Think of a single Chartfield as a single jigsaw puzzle piece. Each Chartfield contains its own unique piece of a numeric budget name. The example below shows a Department Chartfield.



Chartfield String: A numeric sentence comprised of several Chartfields (*seven for Travel Expenses or eight for eProcurement*). One entire Chartfield String represents a single budget. Think of a Chartfield String as a bunch of puzzle pieces fitting together to create a whole unit (*one whole budget*).

Example of a typical Travel Chartfield String:



The Chartfield String is a required element of eProcurement requisitions, and Travel & Expense forms. It determines which funds will pay the bill. Chartfield Strings must be manually entered by the Originator/Requester who is creating the online form. It is the responsibility of the Originator/Requester (the person who creates and submits these forms) to ensure that the correct Chartfield Strings are entered. It is the responsibility of the Approver (the site administrator/principal/department head) to examine the details of these submitted forms, and then to approve, send back for revision, or deny them.

The Chartfield String basically does two things:

- 1) It controls the workflow, i.e., it determines which Approver receives the form (*ePro requisition or Expenses form*).
- 2) It points to and connects with the budget whose funds will be pre-encumbered to pay for the requisition or the travel expenses.

IMPORTANT NOTE: It is extremely important that the correct Chartfield String is entered, and that the budget related to that String has sufficient funds at the time the form is created and

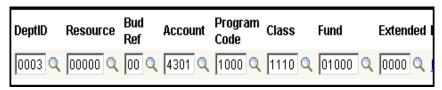
submitted. Forms submitted without correct, funded budget Chartfield Strings will not be processed.

IMPORTANT NOTE: It is the Approver's responsibility to ensure that the correct Chartfield String (*budget*) is used on every form. For example, if an Approver approves an eProcurement requisition that uses the wrong budget, it is the Approver's responsibility, not the Requester's.

Chartfield Definitions:

Chartfield	Description
1. Department	Leading digit indicates a school ('0'), small school ('3'), central/administration ('5'), or Food Services departments ('8' or Central).
2. Resource	The Resource Chartfield corresponds to the Local, State, or Federal Grant number.
3. Budget Reference	The Budget Reference corresponds to the year the funding ends for certain resources – most transactions accept default of '00'.
4. Account	SDUSD's Account number; the type of expense.
5. Program	State of Calif. mandated field that classifies transactions according to the purpose/reason for the transaction.
6. Class	Further categorization of the Program field mandated by the State of Calif. required only in particular circumstances.
7. Fund	Used to identify the source of funds for a transaction.
8. Extended	An extension of the Program field that will store District- specific information not required by the State.

Example of a Typical ePro Requisition Chartfield String:



Adams Elementary School might order textbooks using this Chartfield String (*NOTE*: The highlighted Chartfields below are the most important ones for site administrators to double-check before approving something):

- Department 0003 (Adams Elementary)
- Resource 00000 (Unrestricted Funds)

•	Budget Reference –	00 (Undefined)
•	Account –	4301 (Instructional Supplies)
•	Program –	1000 (Instruction)
•	Class –	1110 (Regular Education, K-12)
•	Fund –	01000 (General Fund)
•	Extended –	0000 (Undefined)

Budgets

Budget-Check Overview:

Budget-Check is a process that must be run on every eProcurement Requisition, Travel Authorization, and Expense Report. All these forms *must* pass the Budget-Check process successfully, or they *cannot be approved and processed*.

When Budget-Check is initiated on an item, the computer system immediately goes into the designated budget (determined by the Chartfield String that the Requester entered onto the form) and encumbers the money right away. This means that enough money must be available in that budget to cover the cost of the ePro Requisition, Travel Authorization, or Expense Report prior to the creation of the form.

The following people are responsible for running the Budget-Check procedures:

• **eProcurement Requisitions:** Originator / Requester (clerk, assistant, or other employee)

• Travel Authorizations: Department Approver (site administrator)

• **Expense Reports:** Department Approver (site administrator)

How a Department Approver runs a Budget-Check for travel forms is covered in greater detail later on in this handbook.

Budget Errors Overview:

Occasionally, when Budget-Checks are run, a Budget Error occurs. You would see an indication on your computer screen that tells you a Budget Error has happened.

If the form receives a Budget Error, you *cannot* approve it until the budget error is resolved. This means you must contact your Budget Analyst and ask him/her to assist you by transferring funds into the budget that generated the error. Then you must wait until the Budget Check process is run again on the item that had the error (either by you, if it is a Travel Authorization, or by the Requester for an ePro Requisition or Expense Report), and verify that the error is gone.

How to handle budget errors is discussed in greater detail later on in this handbook.

Budget Reports Overview:

These are report queries you can create and run yourself, anytime you wish. These reports can tell you what budget strings are available; how much money you currently have available in any given budget; how much has been encumbered; and how much has already been spent. You can customize the reports to provide you with information about all your budgets at once, or about only certain budgets you select to view.

This handbook shows how to create and run two different budget reports:

Budget Overview Report:

- Data on current, available balances, as well as data on pre-encumbrances, encumbrances, and expensed amounts.
- Interactive report results, with hyperlinks you can click on.

Budget Transactions Detail Report:

- Most comprehensive amount of data available in one report.
- Default display is non-interactive; cannot filter, edit, or manipulate report results. *However*, you can choose to display results in an Excel spreadsheet.
 Please see job aid entitled "How to Display BTD Report in Excel Spreadsheet".

Budget Overview Report – Example Exercise

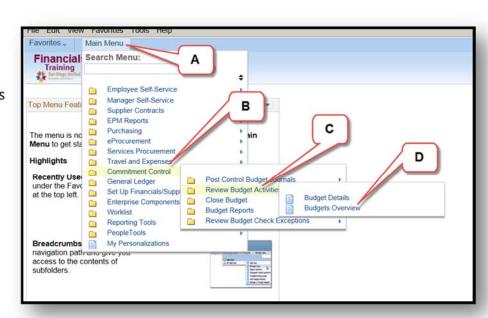
This report provides information about as many or as few budgets as you wish to see. It shows you available balances, expensed amounts, and encumbered amounts. It contains interactive hyperlinks you can click to view more details within the results of the report.



Create & Run a Budget Overview Report

Step 1 Click:

- A. Main Menu
- **B.** Commitment Control
- C. Review Budget Activities
- D. Budgets Overview.



Type a short name into the **Add a New Value** textbox (you might have to click the **Add a New Value** tab to bring it forward). Typically, people type their initials and the current date.

Then, click the Add button.



Step 3

Type a brief description for this report, as shown in this example. (One idea is to create multiple reports with different criteria in each one, and save them for future use).



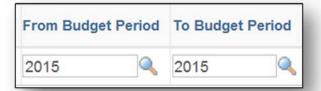
Step 4

Type **EXPENSE** into the Ledger Group field. Then click a checkmark into the **Display Chart** checkbox, if you would like to include a graphical representative chart in your report. To customize the results, use the Amount Criteria feature.



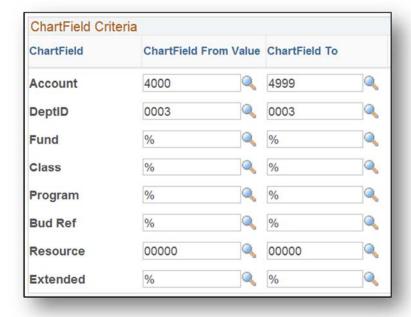
Step 5

In the center of the screen, ensure that the current fiscal year is displayed in both **the From Budget Period** field and in the **To Budget Period** field.

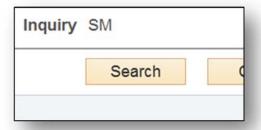


Below the budget period fields, enter the budget codes into the Chartfields as desired. The more fields you fill in, the narrower and more focused your report results will be. The fewer fields you use, the broader your results will be.

In this example, we are asking the report to display data on all budgets for Department 0003 (cost center) that includes Accounts 4000 thru 4999, with Resource 00000.

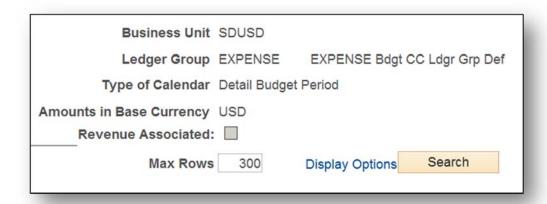


Step 7 Click **Search** to run the report.

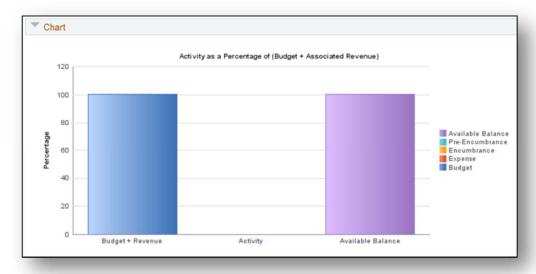


Step 8

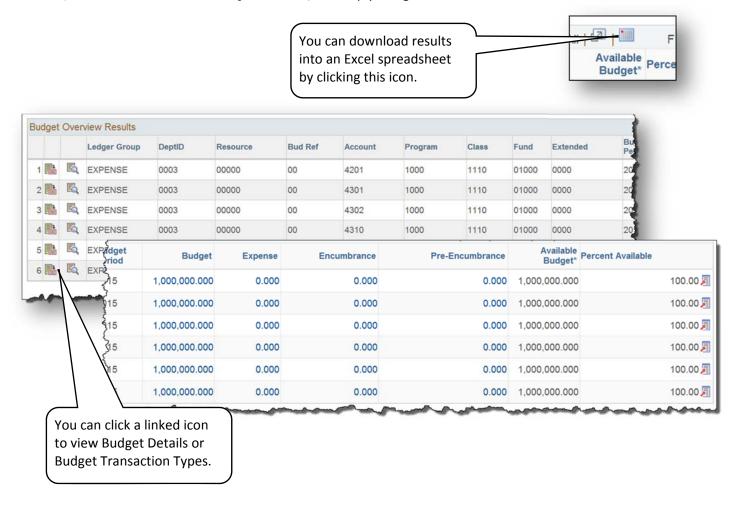
The results will display automatically. At first you will see only the top half of the results. Here, you should change the "Max Row" displayed from the default of 100 to a higher number, typically anything higher than 300.



Step 9Scroll to the middle of the page, and you can see the colorful, graphical representation of the report.



Step 10Scroll down further, and view the individual accounts. When you're finished viewing this report, you can save it (save button is at the bottom of the screen), or simply navigate elsewhere.



Budget Transactions Detail Report – Example Exercise

This next exercise walks you through the steps to create and run the Budget Transactions Detail Report. This is a large, comprehensive report, which is displayed in Adobe Acrobat Reader format. As we get further into the school year, by springtime the report can become lengthy, and will take longer to run.

In order to run this report, you will login to the SDUSD PeopleSoft Financials online system with your SDUSD employee ID number, and password. If you login but do not see the **EPM** links illustrated in these next steps, then you need to submit a DWA Security Request form. This form is submitted online. There is another job aid showing how to do this. To access the job aid, please go online to the SDUSD PeopleSoft Training web pages.

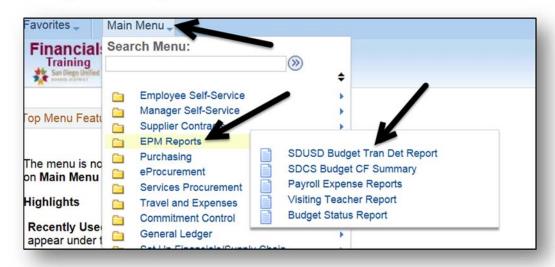


Create & Run a Budget Transactions Detail Report

Step 1

In this example, we have just logged into PeopleSoft Financial. We begin from the Main Menu area.

We click the **Main Menu** drop down icon located at the top left corner, then we click **EPM Reports,** after which we click **SDUSD Budget Tran Det Report**.



Step 2

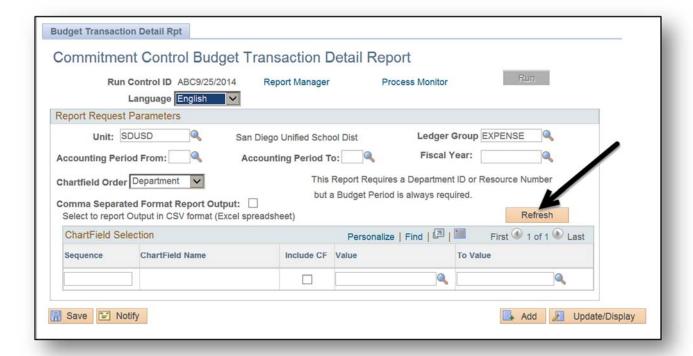
You should create a new **Run Control ID** (name or title) the first time you run a report. Use the **Add a New Value** tab. When done, click **Add**.

If you've already created a new Run Control ID to run this report, you can use the **Find an Existing Value** tab to search for it. Once you choose the Run Control ID, you can run it to view fresh, updated data.



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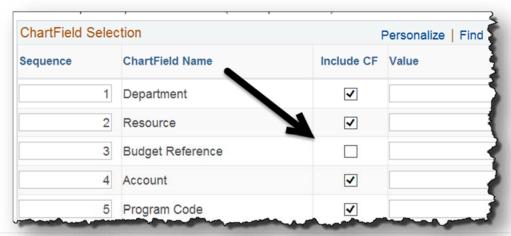
Before doing anything else on the next screen, click **Refresh**. This will display all the available Chartfields in a list.



Please Note: It is important to include the *Budget Period Chartfield* in all reports. You must also include either the Department Chartfield or the Resource Chartfield. These are the minimum criteria needed. Additional Chartfields can and should be included, as well. This is illustrated in the next step.

Step 4

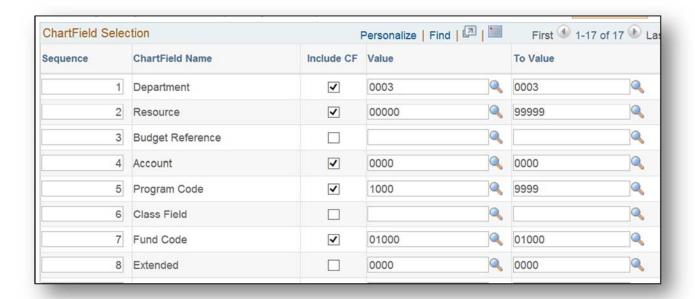
Click a checkmark into each "Include CF" checkbox for all the Chartfields you want to include in your report. Then click Save in the lower left corner. This moves all the selected Chartfields up to the top of the list, and sets up the report to be laid out the way you want it.



Chapter 1

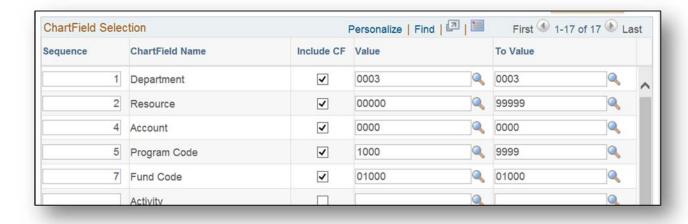
Carefully type the desired values into the Chartfields you selected. Type into the left "Value" column first, then press the Tab key. The "To Value" will automatically populate with what you just typed. You can edit the Chartfield values as desired. Click the Search icon next to each field to view a list of all possible values to choose from. The **Budget Period** one is required. It is also required to enter a value into either the **Department** or **Resource** Chartfields, and it is recommended that you include both. Any additional Chartfield entries will narrow your results into a more focused report.

Then click **Save** in the bottom left corner of the screen.



Step 6

The Chartfields you selected will move up to the top of the screen.



Determine the time frame for the report. Enter the **Accounting Period From** and **Accounting Period To** numbers. We go by a fiscal year sequence, which means that 1 = July, 2 = August, 3 = September, 4 = October, and so on, all the way through June which is 12. So, for example, if you want to see results that include the period from July through September, you would enter 1 in the From field, and 3 in the To field. Then, enter the current **Fiscal Year**.

Remember to click Save at the bottom left corner.



Important Note: Be sure to enter the Budget Period (fiscal year) at the bottom of the screen.



Step 9

Choose **PSNT** as the Server Name, and choose which **Format** you want (CSV will display the report as an Excel worksheet). The rest should automatically be filled in for you. Then, click OK in the low left corner.



Click the **Process Monitor** link, at the top right corner, to view the status of the report.

Process Monitor

Step 11

Click **Refresh** repeatedly until the **Run Status** shows **Success**, and the **Distribution Status** shows **Posted**. This could take anywhere from a few moments to several minutes, depending upon how busy the system is.



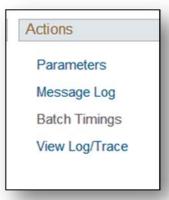
Step 12

Once it says Success and Posted, click Details.



Step 13

Click the **View Log/Trace** link in the lower right corner.



Click the **SDGL8005** link that ends with the letters "**PDF**". This will open the actual report.



Step 15

The Budget Transaction Detail Report opens. If you want to print the report, click the Print icon from the report window's menu, not from the Internet browser menu.

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Chapter 2 - eProcurement

Approve or Deny eProcurement Requisitions

Requisitions (a.k.a. "ePros") created within our eProcurement software are online forms we use to order goods and services. An employee within your department creates and submits the ePro. Upon submission, the ePro is sent automatically to your PeopleSoft Financials Worklist on your computer. As the principal, site administrator, or department head, it is your responsibility to examine each ePro requisition submitted to you, to ensure appropriate funds are used to purchase the items being ordered. You can either approve the requisition or deny it. You can also deny individual items on a single requisition and approve the rest of the items.

It is important to note that ONLY designated approvers are permitted to approve ePro requisitions. A designated approver must be a site administrator, such as a principal or department head. Approvers are required to approve or deny all items submitted to them.

It is against district policy and may constitute fraud for an approver to give his/her private password to anyone else to enable them to do that approver's approvals as proxy. Approvers must sign into the PeopleSoft system and do their own approvals. Giving your password to other people places you and them at risk! Someone with your password can gain access to your personal information, such as Social Security number and paycheck.

When you approve an ePro requisition it is removed from your Worklist, and automatically sent on to the Strategic Sourcing and/or Supply Center departments to have the order filled. When you deny an ePro requisition, it is removed from your Worklist. The person who originated (created and submitted) the requisition can keep track of it on his/her own computer. He/she can see that the requisition was denied, and can then edit it and re-submit it, if desired, or else cancel it.

<u>NOTE</u>: When the originator (*requester*) cancels an ePro requisition, and then runs the Budget Check process afterwards, the money that was pre-encumbered to that order is returned into the same budget from which it was taken. However, that money is not immediately available for use. It becomes available after the district Budget Department runs the reconciliation of the district's budgets. It could be one week or longer before the reconciliation occurs.

<u>NOTE</u>: It is the responsibility of the Approver to verify the pertinent Chartfields (*budget codes*) used in ePro requisitions. If you approve a requisition that uses wrong or inappropriate budgets, the Approver will be held responsible, not the requester/originator.

Approve or Deny an eProcurement Requisition – Example Exercise

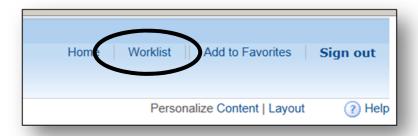
The following exercise walks you through the steps to approve or deny an ePro requisition.



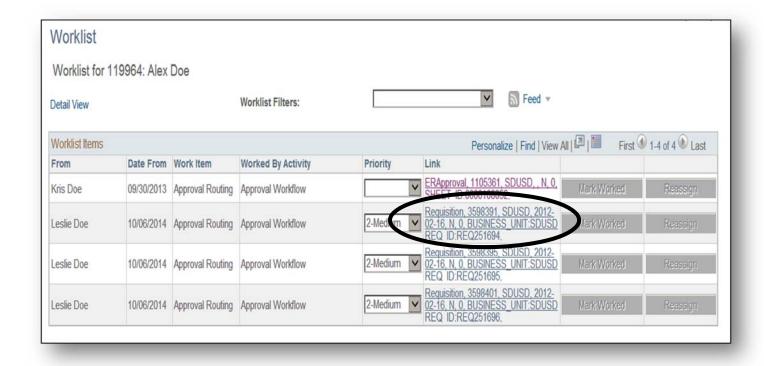
Approve or Deny an eProcurement Requisition

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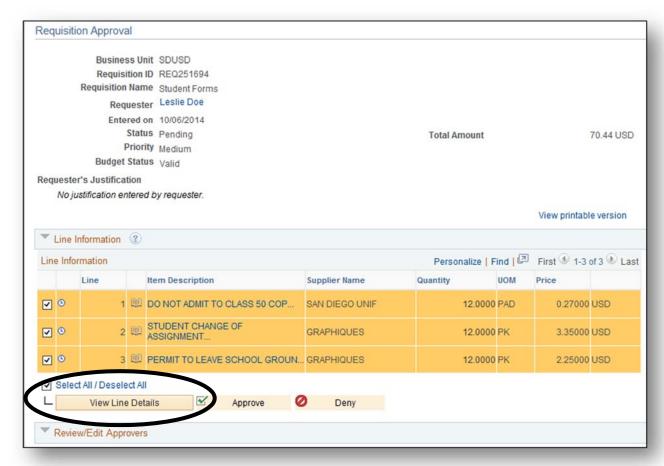
You can navigate to your eProcurement Worklist by clicking on the hyperlink **Worklist** from the header in the upper right corner.



To see the details of a requisition that's been submitted to your Worklist, click the blue hyperlink **Requisition ID** number to access the Requisition Approval page.



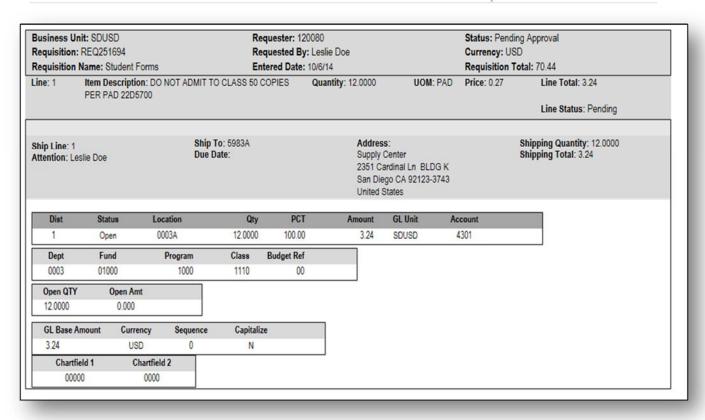
Select the line items you wish to view (you should select all of them) by clicking a checkmark into each line item's checkbox (to the left). Then click the **View Line Details** button.



Step 4

A new, separate window appears. It is extremely important that every Department Approver verifies that the correct Department, Resource, Account, and Fund code numbers are being used for each item on every requisition. An Approver should also review the Item Description, Quantity, and Price, before approving a requisition. When done viewing this, simply close the browser tab or window.

(See Illustration on Next Page)



NOTE: If a requisition is approved and the Chartfield account information is incorrect, then the Approver will have to explain why the incorrect information was not adjusted before approving the requisition. To have the information adjusted before approval, the Approver must deny the requisition so that the Requester can make the adjustments and re-submit the requisition.

Step 5

After verifying that all the information is correct, approve the requisition. If you have any doubts, then it's probably best to hold onto the requisition until all questions are

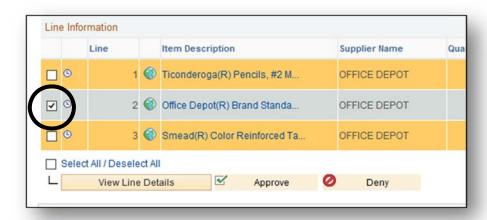


satisfied. Clicking the small blue **Return to Worklist** link at the bottom-left of the screen will keep the requisition fresh in your Worklist until you're ready to either approve or deny it.

The Worklist maintains all requisitions that require approval from the Worklist owner (the Approver). Once a requisition is approved it no longer appears on the Worklist.

If you want to deny a single item on a requisition, but approve the rest of the items, follow these steps after opening the requisition from your Worklist:

1) Checkmark only the item you want to deny:



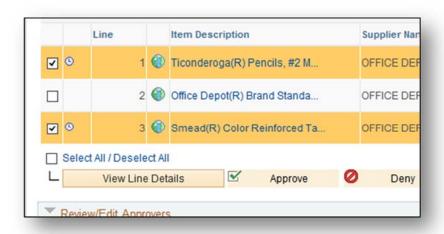
2) Scroll to the bottom left of the page, and in the **Enter Approver Comments** field, type in an explanation why you are denying the item:



3) Scroll back up and click the **Deny** button:



4) Ensure that the other items you do want to approve now have checkmarks next to them, and the item you denied is grayed out. Then, click the **Approve** button.



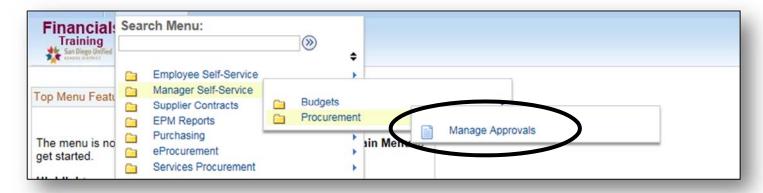
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If you want to deny an entire requisition, leave all the items checkmarked, and enter the reasons for denying the order in the **Enter Approver Comments** field. Then click the **Deny** button.

Be sure to check your Worklist on a regular basis (about twice a week). Verify all work before approving any requisitions.

Manage Your Approvals

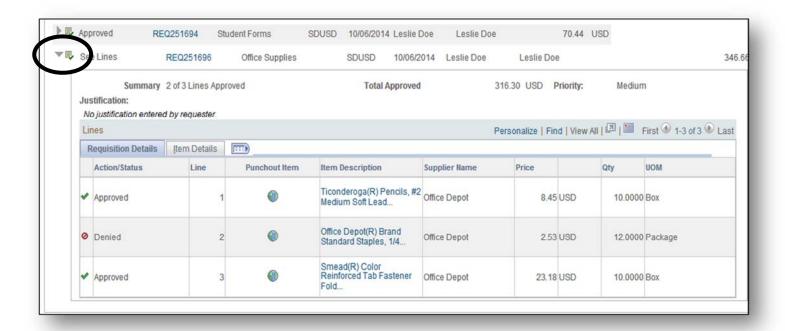
You can view all requisitions you've approved or denied in the **Manage Approvals** page. To get there, you must navigate by clicking *Manager Self-Service* → *Procurement* → *Manage Approvals*:



On the Manage Approvals page you have a variety of options as to what you wish to view and how you want to view it. You can filter the list by choosing the **Status** of the ePro orders you want to see, as well as adjusting the **date range**. You can also filter it by ID number, etc. Then, click the **Search** button:



To see the details of one order, click its small gray arrow button (the **Expand Section** button) to the left:



ePro Requisitions Report

To view all the details about your school's or department's eProcurement requisitions, you can run an easy query that generates a report. The report is called **List Sites ePros**. The query name that generates this report is **SD_SITES_EPRO_REQS**.

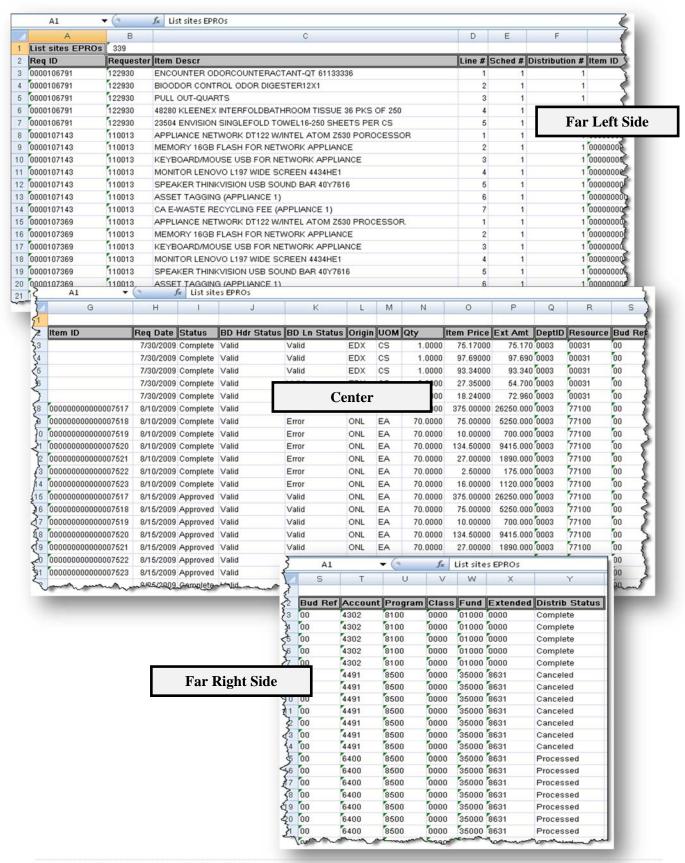
Its details include:

- Requisition ID number
- Requester employee ID number (who created the requisition)
- Item descriptions & ID numbers
- Requisition date
- Requisition status
- Budget(s) used and their status
- What was ordered, how many, costs

When you run this query, it returns data based on the following criteria you enter:

- Your Department code number
- Date frame (you enter the beginning and ending dates for the frame of time during which requisitions you want to know about were processed)

The next illustration is of an eProcurement Requisitions report. It's quite wide, and so is shown here in three pieces:



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Create and Run an ePro Requisitions Report – Example Exercise

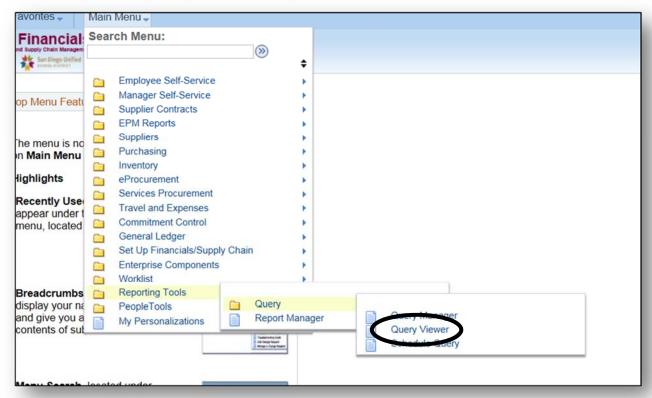
The following exercise walks you through the steps to create the eProcurement Report. Many people find this to be an easy to run, yet valuable report. It displays all the details about every eProcurement requisition order that has been created within your school or department.



Run an eProcurement Report Query

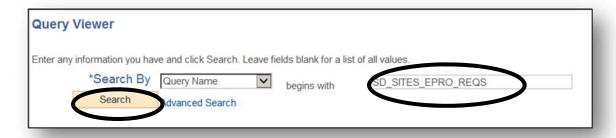
Step 1

Navigation: Reporting Tools → Query Viewer



Step 2

In the "begins with" textbox, type the title of the query and then click the Search button. The title is: SD_SITES_EPRO_REQS



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The query title will appear on the screen. You can choose between running the query to an **HTML** window or to an **Excel** spreadsheet. In this example, we'll run the query to an Excel spreadsheet.

Click the **Excel** hyperlink:



Step 4

When the query window appears, you need to enter your criteria and then click the **View Results** button to run the query. In this example, we entered criteria to view all ePro requisitions for Department 0003 from 7/1/14 thru 10/07/14:



Step 5

The results are displayed in an Excel spreadsheet we can edit, sort, and/or save:

1	List sites EPROs	84	
2	Req ID	Requester	Item Descr
3	REQ272104	122930	AJAX SOFT CLEANSER 21 OZ
4	REQ272104	122930	4410 CM 44GL HUSKEE BACKSAVERCAN GREY
5	REQ272314	122930	SANITIZER PURELL2LITER CR
6	REQ272831	123265	Words Their Way Word Study in Action - 978142843162
7	REQ272831	123265	Words Their Way: Word Study In Action - 9781428431379
8	REQ272831	123265	Words Their Way: Word Study In Action - 978142841386
9	REQ272831	123265	Words Their Way: Word Study In Action - 9781428431393
10.	RE0272824	123265	Words Their Way: Word Study In Action - 9781428431409

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Chapter 3 - Travel Expenses

Approve or Send Back (for revision) Travel Authorizations

The Travel & Expenses (sometimes simply called Expenses) part of PeopleSoft lets employees request approval for travel-related expenses they expect to incur while on a business trip. Travel & Expenses also lets employees submit their expense reports (which are required) after travel has been completed. Approvers use the same software to approve employees' requests for travel expenses, reserve funds for the estimated expenses from the correct budgets, and approve the final expense reports which sometimes are for employee reimbursement.

It is important to note that only designated approvers are permitted to approve Travel Authorizations and Expense Reports (the two online forms involved with travel expenses). A designated approver must be a site administrator, such as a principal or department head. Approvers are required to approve or send back all items submitted to them. It is not permissible for an approver to give his/her private password to anyone else to enable them to do that approver's approvals for him/her. Approvers must sign into the PeopleSoft system and do their own approvals themselves. Giving your password to others is against district policy and places both you and them at risk.

Once an employee completes and submits a Travel Authorization, the PeopleSoft software automatically routes it to the employee's Department Head/Principal for approval. The Department Head/Principal reviews the authorization and can perform one of the following actions:

- 1. Budget-Check and approve the entire Travel Authorization;
- 2. Deny one or more lines and then budget-check and approve the Travel Authorization;
- 3. Send Back the entire Travel Authorization for revision (without budget-checking it).

If the Department Head/Principal approves the travel authorization – in whole or in part – he/she must perform a budget-check (*prior to approval*) to verify that funds are available and to reserve those funds from the budget. For example, let's say that you, the approver, intend to approve \$1,000 in expenses for one Travel Authorization and your budget contains \$50,000 in available funds. Once you budget-check the Travel Authorization you will immediately have \$49,000 left in available funds in that budget. This is referred to as "encumbering funds". It allows you to reserve money within in your budget, thereby preventing overspending.

NOTE: If the Travel Authorization doesn't pass the Budget-Check process (and you receive a "budget error"), you **CANNOT** approve the Travel Authorization. The budget error **must be resolved** before you can approve the T.A.

After a department head approves a Travel Authorization, in whole or in part, it is automatically routed to the appropriate Branch Head for final approval.

<u>NOTE</u>: It is very important to understand the distinction between Sending Back a travel form or Denying it.

The **Send Back** button does exactly that...it sends the form back to the requester (*the person who created and submitted it*) so that person can revise the form and resubmit it.

The **Deny** button basically "kills" the form. This button renders the form permanently unavailable. No one can edit it or do anything else with it, ever.

Unless you have a very good reason to kill a travel form, you should always use the Send Back button, and never use the Deny button.

The next exercise walks you through the process of viewing, budget-checking, and approving a Travel Authorization. Following that are steps that walk you through how to approve only a part of a Travel Authorization while denying the rest of it; and finally, you are shown steps on how to Send Back a Travel Authorization for revision.

Approve a Whole Travel Authorization – Example Exercise



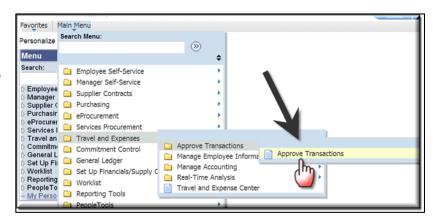
View, Budget-Check, and Approve an Entire Travel Authorization

Step 1

On the next page you see, click the following menu choices:

Travel and Expenses → Approve
Transactions → Approve

Transactions

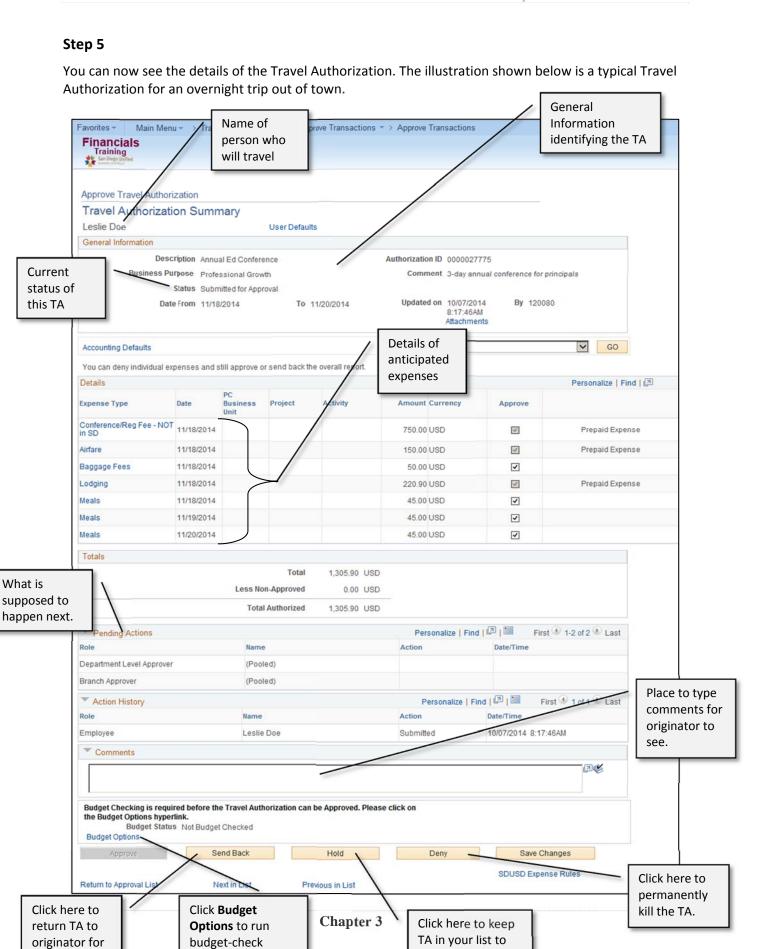


Step 2

In the list of transactions to approve, locate the Travel Authorization you want to work on.

Once you locate the Travel Authorization you want, click on its hyperlinked **Description** name or **ID number**, on the right side of the page. That will open the TA so you can check its details.





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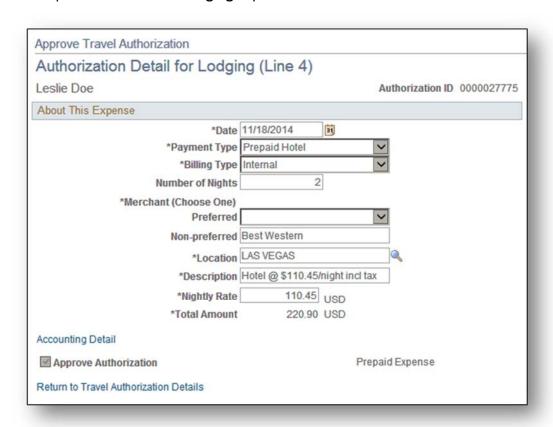
BEFORE approval

revision

To view the details of any expense item in the Travel Authorization, click on the expense hyperlinked name, on the left.



Step 7In this example we clicked on a **Lodging** expense to view its details.



To view another expense detail, or to do anything else, click the **Return to Travel Authorization Details** link in the lower left corner.

The next thing you should do is verify the Chartfield string for this Travel Authorization. This lets you see which budget was chosen to pay for the expenses, and you should make sure it was the correct one. You can accomplish this in two different ways.

- 1) You can check the overall Chartfield string used for the entire Travel Authorization (although it won't show you the individual Account number).
- 2) You can check the Chartfield strings used on each individual expense item (which does show you the individual Account number).

First we'll show you how to view the overall TA's Chartfield string, and then we'll show you how to view an individual expense's Chartfield string.

View Chartfield String for Whole Travel Authorization – Example Exercise

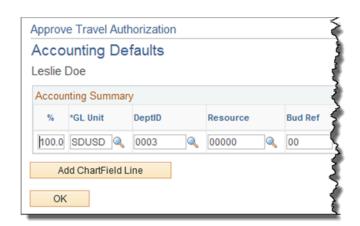
Step 8

At the end of Step 7 you clicked the **Return to Travel Authorization Details** link. Back on that page now, you need to click the **Accounting Defaults** link, shown here:



Step 9

You will see the overall Chartfield string (budget) used for the entire Travel Authorization. When done viewing it, click the **OK** button to return to the main TA Summary Page:



View Individual Expense Item's Chartfield String – Example Exercise

Step 8

From the Travel Authorization Summary page, click the linked name of the individual expense item you wish to view:



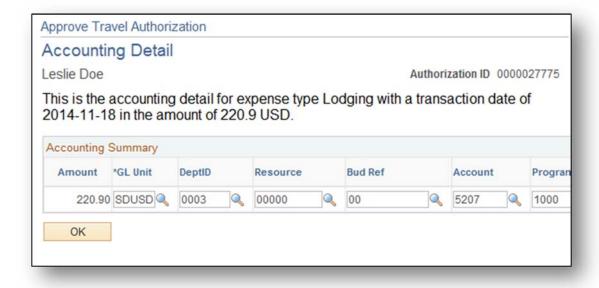
Step 9

At the bottom left corner, click the **Accounting Detail** link:



Step 10

Here you can see the whole Chartfield string for that one expense item, including the individual Account number. When you are done looking at it, click **OK** to return to the previous page:



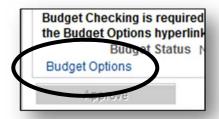
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Click the **Return to Travel Authorization Details** link to return to the TA Summary Page:



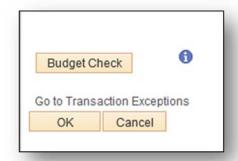
Step 12

Now that you've seen the details you wanted to see, you can budget-check and approve the Travel Authorization. In the lower left corner, click the **Budget Options** link:



Step 13

Click the **Budget Check** button. The system will initiate the budget-check procedure and encumber the funds for this Travel Authorization:

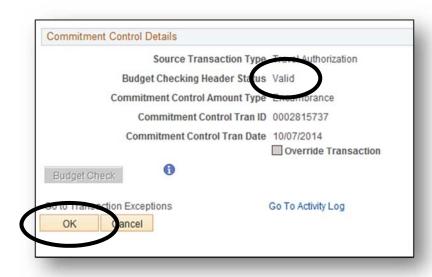


Step 14

IMPORTANT: You must verify that you received a Valid Budget Check status before you approve the Travel Authorization! If it says Budget Error, you cannot approve it. In that case, contact your Budget Analyst for assistance.

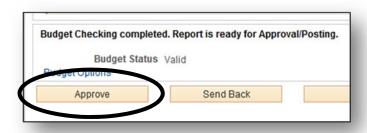
If it does say Valid, click OK.

Click OK:



Click the **Approve** button in the lower left corner:

After you click **Approve** the Travel Authorization is sent to the Area Superintendent for secondary approval. You



can view your Approve Transactions page again to approve more items in the list, or you can log out of the PeopleSoft Financials system by closing the window.

Deny Partial T.A. & Approve the Rest of it – Example Exercise

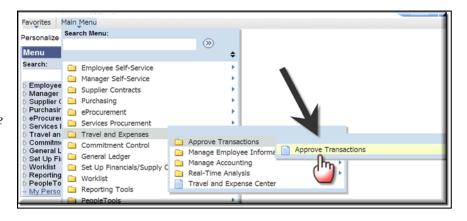
You may decide that you want to deny a portion of a Travel Authorization but approve the rest of it. This next exercise shows you how to do that.



How to Deny Part of a Travel Authorization and Approve the Rest of it

Step 1

After logging in, click the **Travel and Expenses** link in the main menu list. Click Approve Transactions (click both... there are two Approve Transactions links, as shown here).



Step 2

Locate the Travel Authorization you want to work on in the list. Once you locate the Travel Authorization you want, click on its hyperlinked **ID number**, on the right side of the page. That will open the TA so you can check its details:



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NOTE: It is important for you to view the details and Chartfield strings of each Travel Authorization submitted to you, before deciding whether to approve or deny it. Please refer to the pertinent steps if you need help in viewing details and Chartfields on a Travel Authorization.

Step 3

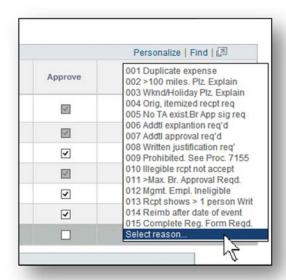
On the Travel Authorization Summary page you see a list of expenses anticipated for an employee's trip. In this example, it is decided to deny one of the meal days from the Travel Authorization before budget-checking and approving the rest of it.

To the right of the **Meal** day you want to eliminate, click to remove the checkmark in the checkbox under the **Approval** column to take away approval for that one expense line:



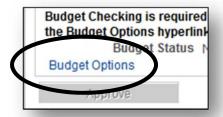
Step 6

You are required to choose a reason for the denial. Click the drop-down menu list under **Reason** and choose an appropriate reason from the list. If the exact reason is not listed, choose the closest applicable one. (To see a detailed list of reasons for denial, you can click the **SDCS Expense Rules** link at the very bottom of the page, and scroll down to the bottom of the Rules page).

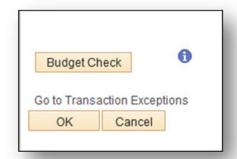


Step 7

Click **Budget Options** in the lower left corner, so you can budget-check the Travel Authorization.

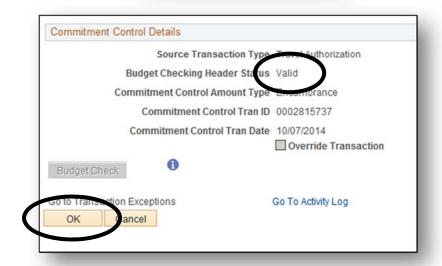


Click the **Budget Check** button to initialize the budget-checking process.



Step 9

Click **OK** if you receive a **Valid Budget**. (Click **Cancel** if you receive an **Error** in **Budget**).

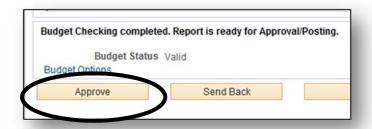


Notice that the **Totals** are adjusted on the Travel Authorization Summary page to show the denied expense line:



Step 10

Click the **Approve** button:



Now you can either click return to your Approve Transactions page (also called the Approval List) to view more items, or else log out of the PeopleSoft Financials system.

Deny an Entire Travel Authorization – Example Exercise

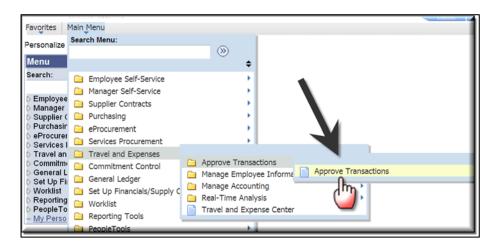
An approver can deny an entire Travel Authorization. This means the TA will be rendered permanently unavailable, thereby effectively ending ("killing") the Travel Authorization. The following exercise walks you through how to deny an entire Travel Authorization.



Deny (kill) an Entire Travel Authorization

Step 1

After logging in, click the **Travel and Expenses** link in the main menu list. Click Approve Transactions (click both... there are two Approve Transactions links, as shown below).



Step 2

Locate the Travel Authorization you want to access in the list. Once you locate the Travel Authorization you want, click on its hyperlinked name, or ID number:

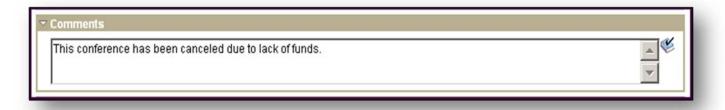
NOTE: Do NOT Budget-Check a Travel Authorization if you plan to deny the whole thing.



NOTE: If you want the originator to edit and resubmit the Travel Authorization, do NOT Budget-Check, and be sure to do Step 6a, on the next page:

Step 3

FIRST, type a message into the **Comment** textbox, explaining what you want the originator to do. This is required or the system will not allow you to deny the TA. The Comment textbox is located towards the bottom of the Travel Authorization:



Step 4

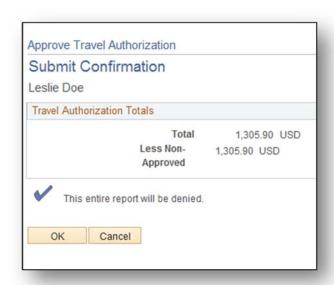
To deny the entire Travel Authorization (which will kill it and make it permanently and irreversibly unavailable to everyone) click the **Deny** button at the bottom of the form:



Step 5

Click the **OK** button on the **Submit Confirmation** page (*if you click the Cancel button instead, you will be let out of denying this form*):

After you click the OK button you are finished with this form, and you are brought back to your Approve Transactions page. There you can work on another travel form, or you can navigate elsewhere, or log out.



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Approve, Send Back for Revision, or Deny Expense Reports

After returning from any travel, an Expense Report must be completed by the person who traveled (or their proxy) and then submitted to the correct Department Head/Principal. **This is required even if there will be no reimbursements or payments after the trip**.

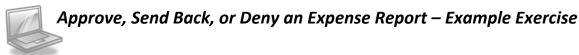
Once an employee completes and submits an Expense Report, PeopleSoft routes this request to the employee's Department Head/Principal for approval. The Department Head/Principal needs to review the expenses and can perform one of the following actions:

- 1. Approve the entire Expense Report;
- 2. Deny one or more expense lines and approve the rest of the Expense Report;
- 3. Send Back the Expense Report for revision and resubmission.
- Deny the entire Expense Report which renders it permanently unavailable.

Upon approving an Expense Report, in whole or in part, it is routed to an Auditor in the Accounts Payable department for a final review and processing. In some instances, an approval by an Assistant Superintendent or Branch Head may exist between the Department Head/Principal and the Auditor. The Assistant Superintendent or Branch Head, as well as the Auditor, also have the ability to perform any of the aforementioned actions listed above.

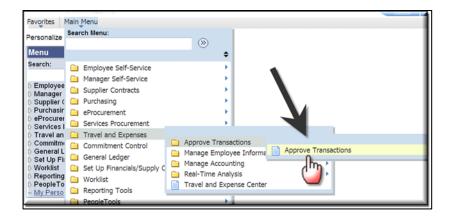
Should the Department Head/Principal, Assistant Superintendent/Branch Head, or the Auditor choose to Send Back the Expense Report for revision, the originator can edit the report and resubmit it. However, if the report is denied, it cannot be edited or resubmitted. It becomes permanently unavailable.

The following steps walk you through both approving and denying an Expense Report.



Step 1

After logging in, click the **Travel and Expenses** link in the main menu list. Click Approve Transactions (*click both... there are two, as shown below*).

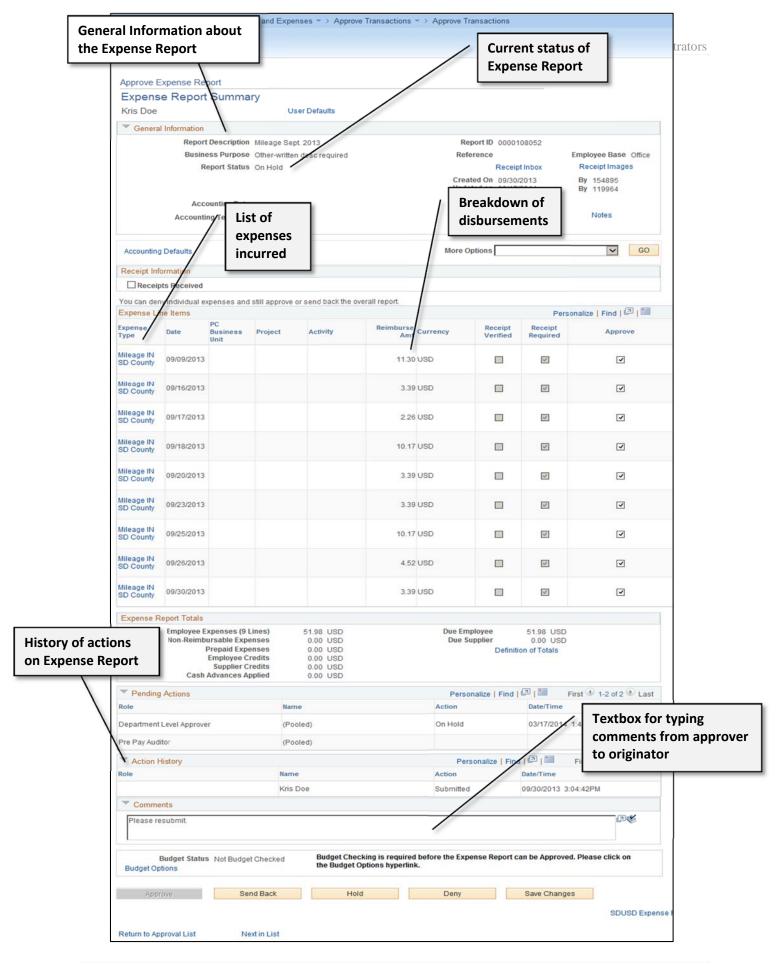


On your Approve Transactions page you'll see a list of travel forms that have been submitted to you. Find the Expense Report you want to access and click its **Transaction ID** number hyperlink:



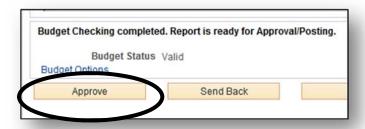
You will see the **Expense Report Summary** page. Here you can view details about individual expenses. To do so, just click on the hyperlinked **Expense Type** name you wish to view.

See the illustration of a typical Expense Report Summary page on the next page.



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If you wish to approve the entire Expense Report, you must first Budget-Check the report and receive a Valid budget status. The steps for doing a Budget-Check on an Expense Report are exactly the same as for doing a Budget-Check on a Travel Authorization (see previous exercises in this book). Once you have a Valid budget status, you can approve the report by clicking the **Approve** button:



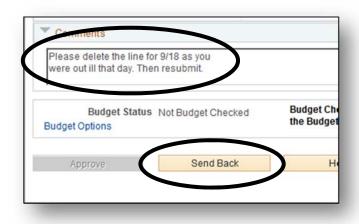
Send Back an Expense Report for Revision – Example Exercise

If you want the person who originated the Expense Report to make a change to it and resubmit it, (or resubmit because of a previous budget error), you can make that happen by clicking the **Send Back** button. Only by clicking the Send Back button can you allow the originator to gain access to the report again. The following steps walk you through this procedure; they pick up at the point in which you have opened a submitted report from your Approve Transactions page:

Step 1

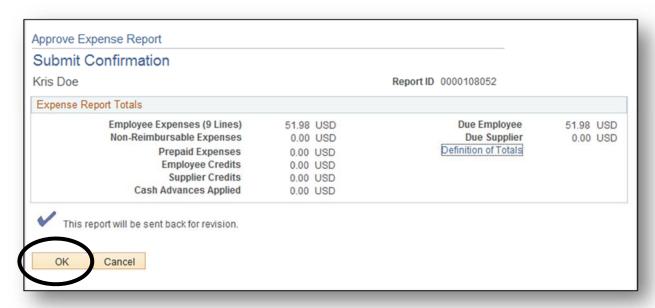
Do not run a Budget-Check on any Expense Report you plan to Send Back. You will do that after it has been resubmitted to you.

First, you must type an explanation into the **Comment** textbox at the bottom of the report. The purpose of this is to inform the originator why you are sending the form back, and how you want him/her to edit the form before they resubmit it to you. *The system will not allow you to send back the report without typing an explanation.*



When you are finished typing the explanation, click the **Send Back** button:

To complete sending the form back, click the **OK** button on the **Submit Confirmation** page:



Deny One or More Expenses and Approve the Rest of it – Example Exercise

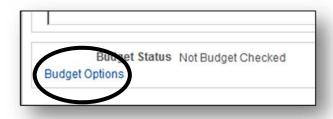
It is possible to deny one or more expenses but approve the rest of an Expense Report. This allows the approver to be selective concerning which expenses he/she chooses to pay.

Step 1

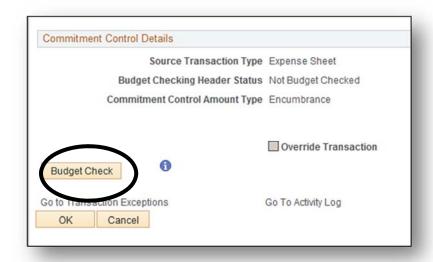
Click to remove the checkmark from the **Approve Expense** checkbox next to the expense line you wish to deny. Then choose a reason from the drop-down list next to it (circled below).



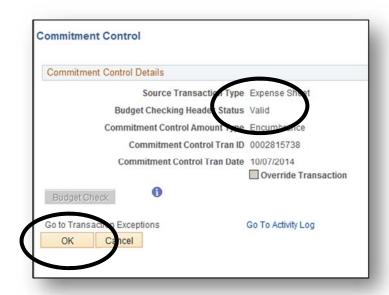
Step 2Click the **Budget Options** link to initiate the Budget-Check process:



Step 3
Click the Budget Check button:



Upon receiving a Valid budget status, click the **OK** button:



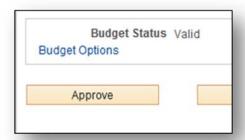
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Notice on the Expense Report form that the totals have adjusted themselves to show the **Non-Approved Expenses**:

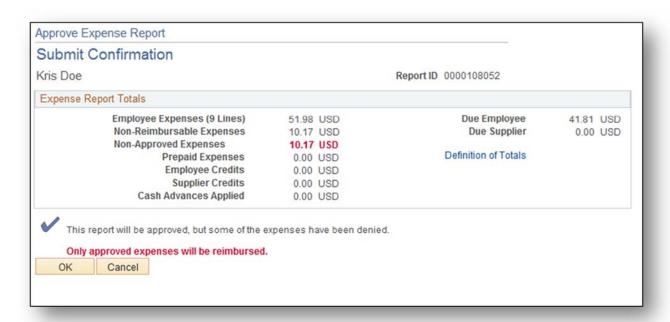


Step 5

Click the **Approve** button:



Step 6Click the **OK** button to complete the partial approval:



How to Find Support

<u>Do not contact the Help Desk</u> for support with PeopleSoft applications. They are not equipped or trained for PeopleSoft support.

Online Resources

Go online to our SDUSD PeopleSoft training web site:

www.sandieogunified.org --> Staff Portal --> (sign in if necessary) --> Click Quick Links if necessary to see all menu links on left side of screen --> Scroll down to lower left, and under Shortcuts click Technical Support/Help Desk --> Under "Software Applications" click "PeopleSoft" --> On left side, click the tiny plus sign next to "Training Materials & Resources" --> Click Site Administrators Training Materials

There, you can find:

- Custom-designed animated, narrated, interactive video tutorials showing how to do these tasks.
- Names, emails, and telephone numbers for SMEs (Subject Matter Experts) all around the district
 who can help you. These are people in our Accounts Payable, Strategic Sourcing, and Finance
 Departments.
- The most up-to-date handbooks and job aids created just for you.

Open Lab Sessions

Occasionally we hold Open Labs, as we are able. An Open Lab is a computer lab classroom at our training center in San Diego, where you can drop in and receive one-on-one assistance with any of your PeopleSoft tasks. Open Lab is not a place to receive training. It is a place for already-trained individuals to receive assistance with questions or any difficulties they experience with using PeopleSoft applications. No appointments or registrations are required for Open Lab. It is a first-come, first-served, informal session. If an IT trainer is working with you, and another person is waiting for a turn with the trainer, we must limit our one-on-one session with you to 15 minutes. Open Labs are posted on our training calendar web page, in our training website:

Training Calendar (From www.sandiegounified.org, click Staff Portal and login if necessary, click Technical Support/Help Desk, click PeopleSoft, click Training Opportunities, and click Training Class Calendar).

Chapter 4 - Payroll for Managers

Key Payroll Elements for Managers

- Timekeepers and Payroll Procedures
- Reconciling your Local Payroll
- Audit Reports
- Late Reporting and Financial Accountability
- Employee Verification/Actions
- SAMS Reporting-Verifying/Reconciling Attendance
- Payroll Deadlines

Timekeepers and Payroll Procedures

- Develop a good relationship with your timekeeper and procedures for payroll reporting.
- Open communication is key in assuring accurate and accountable payrolls. Set expectations for accountable payroll activity with your entire staff.
- Integrity of data input and back-up documentation. All absences and hourly pay must have signed time cards authorizing hours/leave. Make sure it's accurate the first time.
- Develop an effective sign in process.
- Record Retention-Payroll records must remain onsite for 3 years plus current. Make sure you check grant requirements as they may require longer retention of these kinds of records.
- Assure timely notification of employee status changes and PAR processing. Pay
 special attention to resignations, leaves of absence, and employees who do not report
 back after winter, spring and summer breaks. Make sure PARs are being submitted
 immediately when you become aware of status changes such as those mentioned
 here.
- Make sure payroll reporting is accurate and on time to assure paying our employees
 on time and accurately. Report all earnings in the earnings period they are earned.

- Review collective bargaining agreements, and district procedure.
- Employee leave policies must be followed and applied consistently to staff (ask your payroll specialist when in doubt).

Reconciling your Payroll

- Check your rosters for employees you do not recognize or for employees working but not on your roster. Make sure your timekeeper notifies Payroll immediately of discrepancies.
- Review the time summary reports for unusual entries, excessive overtime, etc.
- Validate back-up documentation has been provided for all absences and time reported.
 Make sure your timekeeper has payroll records for your employees organized and up to date.
- Validate absences have been reported for employees reporting to SAMS and that sub assignments have been reviewed and verified in Time and Labor.
- Make sure time is being reported in a timely manner and accurately the first time.
- Take steps to avoid overpayments/underpayments. Overpayments occur as a result of things like: late notification of employee resignations, terminations and leaves of absence and inaccurate time reporting. Underpayments occur as a result of things like: late reporting of hours worked, late notification of increases in FTE and late PAR submission for employee actions.

Audit Reports

- Audit Paid to Reported Time Report (official payroll audit report)
 - ➤ Have your timekeeper run this twice a month. Tenth of the month for the monthly payroll and twentieth of the month for the hourly payroll. Validate and sign as authorizing manager.
- Cross-Site Account Code Charges Report
 - ➤ Have your timekeeper run this just prior to timekeeper deadlines for monthly and hourly payrolls. Validate and sign as authorizing manager.
- Site Account Charges report
 - ➤ Have your timekeeper run this just prior to timekeeper deadlines for monthly and hourly payrolls. Validate and sign as authorizing manager.
- Time Summary Reports
 - ➤ Have your timekeeper run this periodically to review hours being reported for a range of dates and for either one employee or entire department.

- Leave and Vacation Balance Reports
 - > Review leave balance and vacation balance reports.
 - > Run the last day of each month.

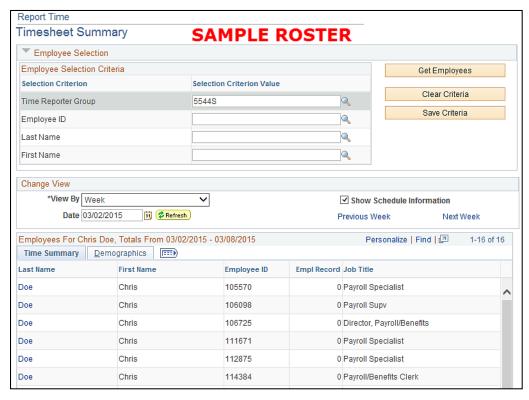
NOTE: A description of these reports is included in the Time and Labor Manual. Each Timekeeper should have one available. If they don't, you can download one from the Payroll web site.

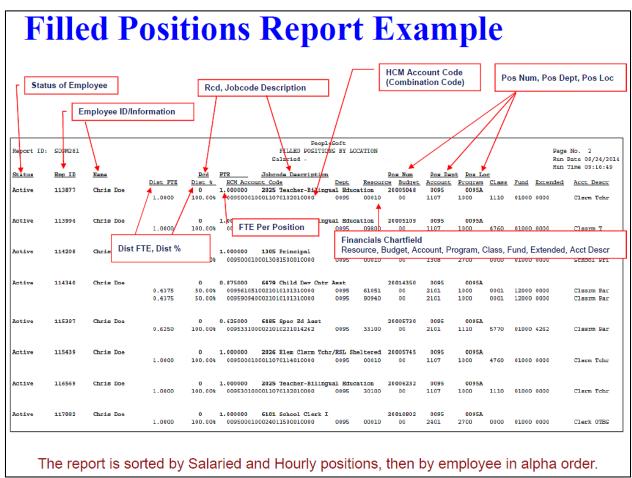
Late Reporting and Financial Accountability

- Hours and absences should be reported in the earnings period in which they are earned. That means time reporting should be done at least weekly for hours and absences that occur that week. Planned vacation can be entered prior to the week in which it will occur and will be taken during the monthly payroll cycle that it is reported in. Projected sick leave for employees on extended absence should be entered for the duration of the extended illness and will be taken in each month that it has been reported for.
- Between July 1, 2014 and June 30, 2015, 5.1 million hours of positive time and absences were processed for employees.
- Between July 1, 2014 and June 30, 2015 more than 38,000 hours were processed for employees more than 75 days after the report date (date worked or date of absence). Of the 38,000 about 17,500 were absences.
- This district is considered a monthly remitter by the IRS and is expected to report as much of our employee earnings as possible on the monthly payroll for the current pay period.
- At no time should positive hours be withheld until subsequent payrolls or the end of the fiscal year then paid in one lump sum. This practice distorts the payroll expense in your financial reports and does not provide a true picture of budgeted vs. actual expenses.
- Accurate and timely reporting and accounting of expenses is critical in managing district resources. District financial reporting requires diligent accounting in all areas.
- Payroll accounts for more than 90% of the district budget. Everyone responsible for managing these expenses must adhere to required timelines for reporting earnings and auditing our records.

Employee Verification-Active/Terminated/FTE Placement

- Review your rosters and Filled Position reports. (See sample roster and filled position report example on the following page).
- Too many employees are erroneously reported as active.
- Too many employees are reported with incorrect FTE placement
- Make sure when you submit Personnel Action Requests (PARs) that you review what has
 been entered for accuracy. Make sure the FTE is correct and the Time and Labor calendar
 is correct. If you have questions about what the proper placement is contact Human
 Resources before you submit.
- Make sure a termination or change of assignment PAR is completed immediately upon notification of an employee resigning or going on a leave of absence. Contact your payroll specialist so they may intervene on the payroll if necessary to avoid overpayment.





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SAMS Reporting/Verification and Reconciling Employee Attendance

- Make sure you have a sign in system for all substitutes at your schools.
- Validate that substitutes have signed in and out for the entire time reported for the assignment.
- SAMS certificated assignments are scheduled for 8 hours and default to 8 hours of time to Time and Labor. When verifying assignments in SAMS you MUST reconcile whether assignments are for a full day. If they are not, you must make the appropriate adjustment to Time and Labor.
- SAMS classified assignments are scheduled for the actual time to be worked. These assignments should also be validated for actual time worked.
- SAMS verification can be done by individual job/employee or with a feature called "Set All to Verify". When using the Set All to Verify feature you must be sure that all substitutes worked the amount of time reported. In addition, this feature only verifies all assignments one page at a time. If using this feature you must verify all pages individually when there is more than one.

Payroll Deadlines

Make sure you are aware of and meet payroll deadlines!

EXAMPLE: August 2015 Monthly Payroll

August 17-25 On-C	ycle Payro	Il Processing
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August 17 th	5 p.m.
August 6 th -16 th	6 p.m.
August 18 th	6 p.m.
August 19 th	3:30 a.m.
August 20 th	3:30 a.m.
August 21st	3:30 a.m.
August 24 th	3:30 a.m.
August 25 th	3 p.m.
-	4:30 p.m.
	5 p.m.
August 26 th	2 p.m.
August 27 th	
August 29 th	
August 31st	
September 1 st	
	August 17 August 6 th -16 th August 18 th August 19 th August 20 August 21 st August 24 th August 25 th August 25 th August 26 th August 27 th August 29 th August 31 st

Records Retention

The following retention procedure is recommended from the District Auditor's Office. Please retain your payroll records for auditing purposes in the following manner:

• Payroll records should be retained in a binder designated as "Site Name" and "Payroll Records" with fiscal year (e.g., Adams Elementary, Payroll Records, July 2015 - June 2016). A separate binder should be used for each fiscal year. Payroll records are required to be kept for four years. Beginning the fifth year, only the year-one payroll records for the completed proceeding four years can be destroyed. Grants and other programs may require a longer retention period. Contact the program office or read the grant requirements to determine length of record retention.

• Organization of records:

- > Principal/Administrator signed copies of the Audit Paid to Reported Time Report along with the Filled Position Report, Monthly Payroll Checklist for Managers, in a binder chronologically.
- > The **Timecards** separated by employee, in alphabetical order, in a binder, located in the same file cabinet or file box with reports. Timecards and leave forms must be retained at the site for four years.
- > Principal/Administrator signed copies of the Cross Site Account Charges and Site Account Charges reports in separate binders, organized chronologically.

The updated timecards/forms identified as site-retained documentation are available on the sandi.net website. Use paper copies $(8 \ 1/2 \ x \ 11)$ for processing and retention in the binder or file.

Chapter 5 - Review and Approve Reports

Reports for Administrators

Time Approval Reports

- Audit Paid to Reported Time (validate against Filled Positions report)
 - Monthly Report
 - ➤ Hourly Report
- Cross-Site Account Charges report
 - Department Report
- Site Account Charges report
 - Salaried Report
 - ➤ Hourly Report

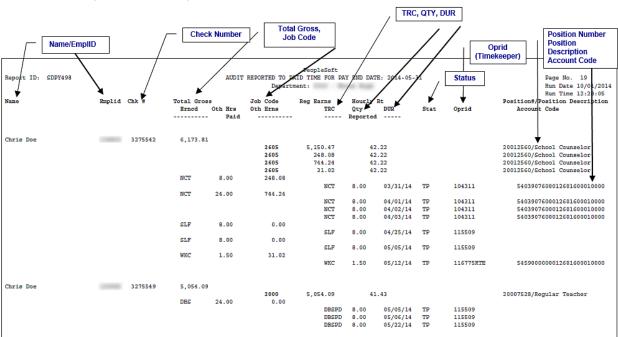
Reports

Audit Paid to Reported Time Report

This report is an official audit record. The administrator must review, approve and sign this document to validate the payroll.

This report shows you the earnings/leave reported and paid for each employee at your site. The report must be run for each payroll each month after the payroll processes. Run the report approximately 10 days after the payroll processes. The timekeeper receives an email notification via the Time & Labor listserv when they can run the report. The principal/department manager is responsible for certifying each payroll. The Audit Paid to Reported Time report is required for validating payroll. The Audit Paid to Reported Time report shows the data that actually processed.

For each payroll, the site must run the Audit Paid to Reported Time report. The principal/department manager must review, approve and sign the report. Retain the reports in the binder with the corresponding time data. **Run one report for monthly, one for hourly.**



Audit Paid to Reported Time Report

Audit Paid to Reported Time Report Validation Fields Explanation

The Job Code and Position# fields are central to understanding the reported total wages for the employee. Reporting sites are validating earnings and paid time represented by the Job Code that is in bold type.

The report shows reported hours and paid earnings. The column, Hourly Rt/Qty Reported and DUR (date of the earning) will, for each fund or Position#, have repeat line entries and have the same date when earnings are split funded or are based on the employee having multiple positions. The earnings are grouped by Position# or fund and will show the same date for the same earnings code for each respective group. However, the time shown under the column Oth Hrs and the amount shown under Oth Erns shows the actual proportional time and earnings for that date shown under the DUR column for the specific Position# or fund. In the below example, the employee has two positions (shown under the Position#/Position Description) and therefore, Hourly Rt/ Qty Reported column repeats with the same dates for the full quantity reflecting the two positions. This part of the report is unable to reflect the proration based on the percentage for either split funding or having multiple positions. The Erncd, Oth Hrs and Oth Erns columns show the actual charge after the percentage was applied to the multiple occurrences showing under the Qty Reported and DUR columns. Under column RegEarns/TRC, the earnings applicable to the specific position are shown.

Also, this example shows a common exception in the reports. The department is 0352, but the budget string is showing department 5445 as the paying department. This happens when the position number is joined to a department other than the paying department. This employee will also show on 5445's Audit Reported to Paid Time Report since that is the paying department.

Report ID: SDPY498	Sample Report			REPORTED TO PA	PeopleSoft ID TIME FOR PA ent: 0352 - Mo	Page No. 13 Run Date 09/30/201 Run Time 07:37:56					
Name	Emplid	Chk #	Total Gros	Oth Hrs Paid	Job Code Oth Erns	Reg Earns TRC	Hourly R Qty Reported	DUR	Stat	Oprid	Position#/Position Description Account Code
			CRW	4.00	122.28	CRW CRW	2.00	01/06/08 01/07/08	TP TP	-	5445403510011700102010000 5445403510011700102010000
Chris Doe	-	1813682	4,363.52		2000	872.70	29.				100000000000000000000000000000000000000
					2000	3,490.82	29.				10006288/Regular Teacher 10006289/Regular Teacher
			JUR	1.60	0.00						100 000 000 000 000 000 000 000 000 000
			Page 1	100000	27/207	JUR	8.00	11/06/07	TP	100000	
			JUR	6.40	0.00	JUR	8.00	11/06/07	TP	100000	
			SLF	1.60	0.00						
			SLF	6.40	0.00	SLF	8.00	01/10/08	TP		
						SLF	8.00	01/10/08	TP		

Job Code

Job Code (In bold type) is associated with Position# and shows the amount earned by the staff member in this position at this site. The amount earned is listed under the column Reg Earns. Sites validate the wages paid for the earnings reported that are for the Job Code shown in bold type.

Position#

The specific position in the number of positions allocated for the particular Job Code. For example, if the site was authorized 10 teachers for Job Code 2000, then positions numbers could range from 20000001 thru 20000010. An employee may have multiple positions for the same Job Code.

Reg Earns

The earnings for that position in the preceded Job Code. This/these amount(s) may not equal the Total Gross if the staff member had earnings at another location.

Total Gross

This is the employee's paycheck and in most cases equals the amount(s) associated with the Job Code. If an employee has earnings from multiple locations, the location running the report sees their portion following the Job Code, but their portion will not equal the Total Gross.

Erned

The code the total earnings are charged to for the report period.

Oth Hrs

The total hours being paid for the Erncd for the report period.

Oth Erns

The total being paid for the report period for the Erncd.

TRC

Shows the Time Reporting Code for the hours entered by the Time Keeper identified under Oprid. If multiple funding sources fund this Time Reporting Code, then the line will repeat and not equal the total listed in the Erncd and Oth Hrs reported. The assignment funding percentage is not included on the report for the associated TRC therefore the Qty appears overstated.

Qty/Reported

Number of hours (daily) being reported for the TRC.

Dur

The date for which the TRC is reported.

Stat Processing status of the entry, TP = Taken by payroll.

Oprid The employee's PeopleSoft ID number who entered the time into the

system.

Account Code Budget string charged for the TRC.

Account Code Charges Reports

With PeopleSoft Time and Labor, it is possible to charge dollar amounts associated with reported hours to a combination code (budget number) other than the one on the employee's position. The Combination Code search prompt does not have any security to limit access, meaning that a timekeeper can select any other department/site's combination codes (budget numbers), and thus charge time to any other budget. Since there is no notification to that department/site when their budget is being charged, it is the responsibility of both the site administrator where the charge is originating and the site whose budget is being charged to monitor these combination code (budget number) charges.

Cross-Site Account Code Charges Report

This report is an official audit record. This report must be reviewed, approved and signed by an administrator and kept on file for auditing purposes.

This report works in combination with the Site Account Code Charge Monitor Report. While the Site Account Code Charge Monitor Report shows if you are hitting other Department's Budgets, the Cross Site Account Code Charges Report shows you if other Departments are hitting yours. This report includes all employees whose time reported in Time and Labor is being charged to a combination code (budget number) containing the department value of your site (first 4 digits of an account string). As is the case with the Site Account Code Charge Report this report needs to be run weekly. That way if there is time being charged by another department to your site account, you can contact the timekeeper at the other site to make the correction before payroll is run.

The report should then be run prior to your deadline for submitting time on both the salaried payroll and the hourly payroll for review and signature by the site administrator.

IMPORTANT: This report is <u>not</u> meant to be used for budgeting purposes. If you find charges after the payroll has processed that do not belong to your department, you should contact your financial planning and development analyst in the Financial Planning, Monitoring and Accountability to assist you with an expense transfer.

Do not try to reverse these charges in Time and Labor. Run one report for your department.

PeopleSoft CROSS-SITE ACCOUNT CODE CHARGES Deptid: 0355 From 05/01/2009 thru 05/31/2009 eport ID: SDTL273 Account Cd Type Emplid Nam **Budget Employee Charged** ity High School 1192 1000 **Date and Hours** 5998-Una Employee Information hr Day-To-Day Time SVT 0355A- Reporting 2940-Subst Tchr Day-To-Day ACCOUNT DEFAULTED Emplid Teac Code -University City n School 111 0355714010011920102010000 Prof VT 00 1192 1000 01000 111873 Chris Doe 5998-Unassigned Labor Pool 05/28/2009 8.00 SVT 0355A-University City High 2940-Subst Tchr Day-To-Day ACCOUNT DEFAULTED Emplid Teach e 0 5998-Unassigned Labor Pool ACCOUNT DEPAULTED Emplid Teach 2940-Subst Tchr Day-To-Day 05/28/2009 8.00 SVT 0355A-University City High 137815 Chris Doe 0 5995 ACCOUNT DEFAULTED Emplid Teach 5998-Unassigned Labor Pool 2940-Subst Tchr Day-To-Day 05/28/2009 8.00 SVT 0355A-University City High 0355722000011920102010000 VisTchr/RT 0355-University City High School 00 1192 1000 1110 01000 0000 0 5998-Unassigned Labor Pool ACCOUNT DEFAULTED Emplid Teach 2940-Subst Tchr Day-To-Day 05/19/2009 8.00 SVT 0355A-University City High 5998-Unassigned Labor Pool 2940-Subst Tchr Day-To-Day 05/21/2009 8.00 SVT 0355A-University City High e 0 5998 ACCOUNT DEFAULTED Emplid Teach 5998-Unassigned Labor Pool 2940-Subst Tchr Day-To-Day 05/22/2009 8.00 SVT 0355A-University City High ACCOUNT DEFAULTED Emplid Teach 112930 Chris Doe 0 5990 ACCOUNT DEFAULTED Emplid Teach 05/21/2009 8.00 SVT 0355A-University City High 2940-Subst Tchr Day-To-Day

Timekeeper at **another** site charging **your** sites budget for an employee

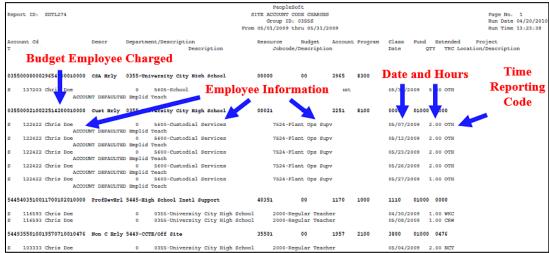
Site Account Code Charges Report

This report is an official audit record. This report must be reviewed, approved and signed by an administrator and kept on file for auditing purposes.

This report is provided for sites to monitor whether time that is supposed to be charged to your site is being charged to another site (combination code (budget number) contains a department value that is not your own). Unlike the Audit Paid to Reported Time Report, this report includes time that has been reported in Time and Labor but has not yet been paid. To use this report effectively, it must be run and validated weekly. This way if there is time being charged to a department other than your own, you can make the changes before the timekeeping deadline.

The report should then be run prior to your deadline for submitting time on both the salaried payroll and the hourly payroll for review and signature by the site administrator. Run one report for salary, one report for hourly.





Time Summary Reports

This report is <u>not</u> an official audit record and does not need to be signed by an administrator.

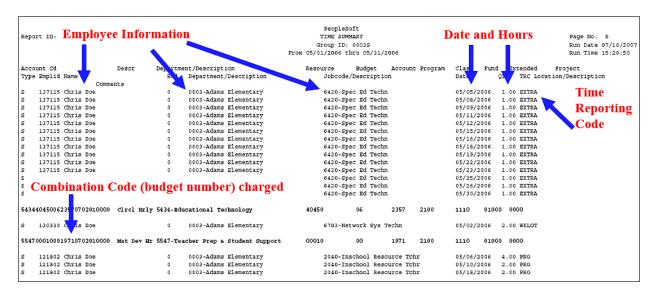
You can run **three** (3) Time Summary reports before each payroll deadline. It is recommended you run these reports weekly.

- one for Salaried Group (xxxxS)
- one for Hourly Group (xxxxH)
- one for Substitutes (5998H)

Note: A Time Summary report can be run for Early Childhood Education (ECE) visiting teachers and Children's Center Attendants/substitutes using the **5830H** group.

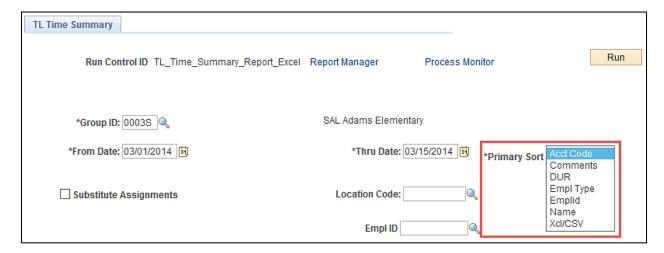
The Time Summary Report shows all the time reported for your location. The only combination codes (budget numbers) shown on the report will be those that were added into the Combination Code field or what was filled in from SAMS, other than the defaulted budget that is attached to the Time Reporting codes. A combination code (budget number) from another funding source in your department or from another department that will be funding that employee will show on the report.

The **Salaried Group** report will indicate the exception time entered for an employee along with the date, hours and time reporting code. The **Hourly Group** report will indicate positive time entered for an employee along with the date, hours and time reporting code.



Carefully review the report and correct any errors that you find before payroll actually processes. *This report does not need to be signed*.

Note: The Time Summary Report has been enhanced to include a *Primary Sort Option*. This will allow for the report to be sorted in a preferred manner.



- If you select Sort Option of *Acct Code* (which is the default selected item), the report output will be sorted in the same manner it was prior to this enhancement.
- If you select Sort Option of *Comments*, *DUR* (Date under Report), *Empl Type* (Employee Type), *Emplid* (Employee ID), or *Name* the report output will be sorted by the selected field.
- The last sort option of Xcl/CSV has been provided in order to improve download capability to a
 .csv format. The Xcl/CSV output does not include TL Comments and the header lines have been
 removed.
 - a. To use this option first select **Xcl/CSV** as the Sort Option.

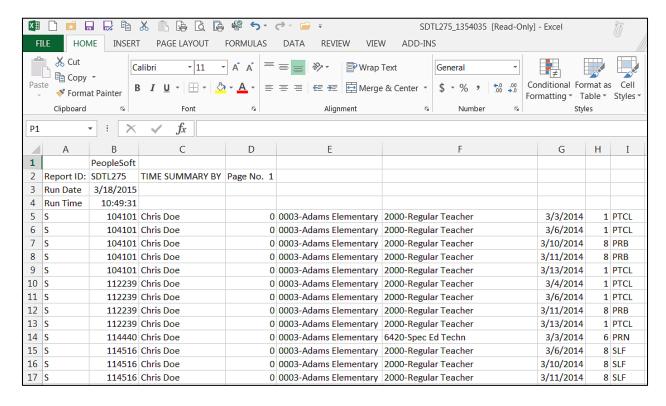


b. Then modify the format on the Process Scheduler Request to **CSV**. Report Output will be delivered as a .csv file.



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Example of the CSV option output file. You can now save this as an Excel file.



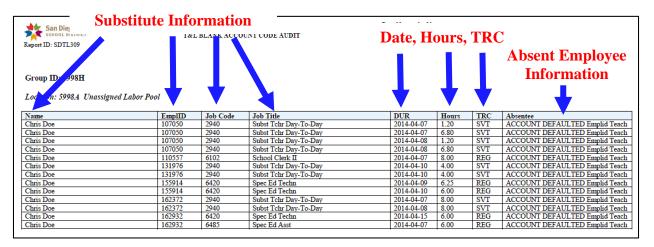
Blank Account Codes Report

This report is not an official audit record. However, this is a critical report to run on a regular basis to assure combination codes are being reported accurately.

The T&L Blank Account Codes Report displays substitutes whose time was pulled in from SAMS to Time and Labor via an interface. This data is pulled into Time and Labor using default combination codes (budget numbers) for district related absences (i.e. professional development for teachers). Timekeepers must change the default combination codes (budget numbers) for each of these records. This report is your tool for identifying the records that need to be changed.

This report should be run no less than weekly throughout the month. Changes to combination codes (budget numbers) must be done at the time you run the report and should not be held until just prior to the timekeeping deadline.

Only Timekeepers that use SmartFind*Express* (SAMS) run this report. This report does not need to be signed.



Summary:

- Time (and dollars) may be charged:
 - By my department to my department
 - > By my department to another department
 - > By another department to my department
- Reports are available to review these charges
 - Cross Site Account Charges Report
 - ➤ Site Account Chargers Report

Chapter 6 - Human Capital Management (HCM)

Human Capital Management (HCM)

Administer Workforce (Human Resources)

Employees are hired and essential information about them and the jobs they perform are tracked. A detailed and ongoing history of personal, employment, compensation and benefit-related data of an employee is maintained here. This enables SDUSD to drive the system in two ways: by position or by employee.

Develop Workforce (Human Resources) Information about employees' licenses and certifications, and for certificated employees, their credentials and education, are maintained in this section of PeopleSoft. In addition, information about when employees' performance evaluations are due and when they were completed and the overall outcome is also stored here.

Position Management

SDUSD can use data that is specific to a position as the basis for planning, recruitment, and budgeting. Position Management and HR work together to track position attributes and vacancies. SDUSD can track specific information for a position, such as FTE (full-time equivalent), regardless of whether an employee actually fills that position.

In the following chapter we will focus on the sections of HCM relevant to Site Administrators:

- Position Management Overview
- Understanding Budgeting by Position
- Position Reports
- The Personnel Action Request (PAR)
- Approving PARs
- Searching for a PAR
- How to Check on a PAR
- Running Performance Evaluation Reports to see when they are due
- Entering Performance Evaluation Outcomes

Running the Certificated Evaluations Report

The Certificated Evaluations Report shows the certificated staff at your site who are due for a performance evaluation this school year. The steps below show you how to run the Certificated Evaluations Report.

Step 1

Navigate to: Main Menu > Workforce Administration > Workforce Reports > Certificated Evaluations

Step 2

Click the Add a New Value Tab.

Step 3

Enter a **Run Control ID**. Name the report something unique that you will remember. You only need one **Run Control ID** for this report. There should be no spaces in the **Run Control ID**. Use (_) as a separator. (See screenshot example)

Step 4

Click the **Add** button.

NOTE: You only need to click the **Add a New Value** tab the first time you run a report.
The next time you run a report, just click the search button. It will bring up all the Run Control IDs you have created. Click the appropriate link.

Step 5

Enter the **Run Date**. Enter September 1 of the current school year. (ex: 09/01/2015)

Step 6

Enter your **Department**, or click the to view a list of departments from which to choose.

Step 7

Click Run.

Step 8

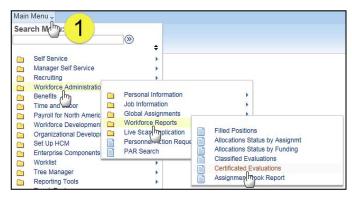
Click Save.

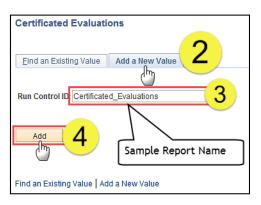
Step 9

Select **PSNT** from the **Server Name** dropdown menu. You only need to do this the first time you are setting up your report.

Step 10

Click OK.









After you click **OK**, you will be given a **Process Instance Number** and returned to the Report Page. Click the **Process Monitor** link to view the status of the report.

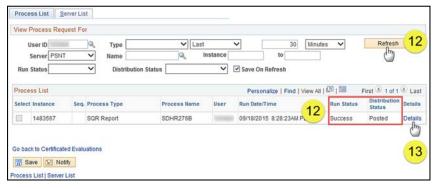
Step 12

Your report is done processing when the **Run Status** reads "Success" and **Distribution Status** reads "Posted" (If not, hit the **Refresh** button until they change to the correct status.)

Step 13

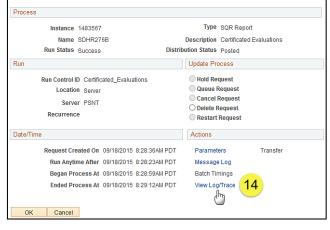
Click the **Details** link.





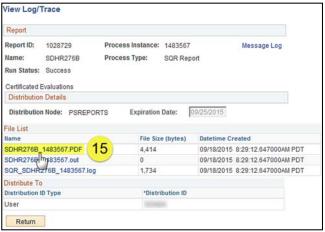
Step 14

Click the **View Log/Trace** link. This will bring you to a page that shows you three files.



Step 15

Of the three files, choose the one with the **.PDF** extension. The name of the report will also contain the **Process Instance Number** that was assigned to it in step 11.



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rocess Detail

The report opens in Adobe Acrobat Reader. (See sample report below) You can now view, print or save your report.

Report 1	ID: SDHR276B	SAN	IPLE REPORT	PeopleSoft EMPLOYEE EVALUATIONS							Page No. 1 Run Date09/18/2015 Run Time10:37:20	
Run As (Df09/01/15											
Emp ID	Name		Job Code/Title	Previous Location	Class/Cer	t Union	EE Class	Eval Type	Last Eval Dt	Eval Form	Special Eval	Skip Year
Departme	ent 0261	Silver Gate Elem	mentary									
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual	06/23/2014	Class	Tchr	х
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual	06/23/2014	Class	Tchr	X
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual	06/23/2014	Class	Tchr	X
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual	06/23/2014	Class	Tchr	
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual	06/23/2014	Class	Tchr	
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual				
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual	06/23/2014	Class	Tchr	X
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	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual	06/23/2014	Class	Tchr	X
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual	06/23/2014			X
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual	06/23/2014	Class	Tchr	
	Chris Doe		2226 Teacher-Moderate/Severe		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual				
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 T	01	PER	Bi-Annual	06/23/2014	Class	Tchr	
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	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual	06/13/2013	Class	Tchr	
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	LVR	Annual				
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	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	LVR	Annual				
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual	06/23/2014	Class	Tchr	
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	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	LVR	Annual				
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	PER	Bi-Annual	06/23/2014	Class	Tchr	
	Chris Doe		2000 Regular Teacher		C 10 Y	01	LVR	Annual				

Report Field Definitions:

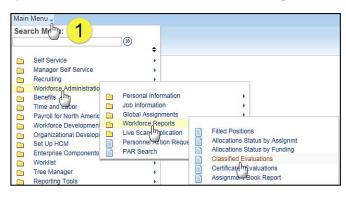
- **EmplID** Employee ID Number
- Name Employee Name
- **Job Code/Title** Employee's Job Code and Job Title
- **Previous Location** Employee's location at end of previous school year if different from current location
- Class/Cert Employee's Job Classification, C for Certificated, Months Worked, T for Traditional or Y for Year-Round, JS for Job Share (if applicable)
- Union Employee's union affiliation
- **EE Class** PER Permanent, PR1 Probationary 1st year, PR2 Probationary 2nd year, LVR Leave Replacement
- Eval Type Annual or Bi-Annual
- Last Eval Dt Employee's last evaluation date, provided that information was entered into
 the Performance Eval Tracking page in PeopleSoft. If the evaluation was not entered into
 PeopleSoft, the last evaluation date will not show on the report. The Performance Eval
 Tracking page is available from the HR Manager Dashboard or can be accessed at
 Workforce Development > Performance Management > Performance Eval Tracking
 See the Entering a Performance Evaluation Summary in PeopleSoft job aid.
- Eval Form Evaluation form used for the employee's last evaluation will show
 provided the evaluation was entered into the PeopleSoft Performance Eval
 Tracking page as described above.
- **Special Eval -** If the employee's last evaluation was a special evaluation, it will show provided the evaluation was entered into the **PeopleSoft Performance Eval Tracking** page as described above.
- **Skip Year** If employee's last evaluation was a skip year (the evaluation was due but skipped), it will show provided the evaluation was entered into the **PeopleSoft Performance Eval Tracking** page as described above.

Running the Classified Evaluations Report

The Classified Evaluations Report shows the classified staff at your site who are due for a performance evaluation this school year. The steps below show you how to run the Classified Evaluations Report.

Step 1

Navigate to: Main Menu > Workforce Administration > Workforce Reports > Classified Evaluations



Step 2

Click the **Search** button.

Step 3

This will bring up the report screen.

Step 4

Enter the **Run Date**. Evals are produced for the month following the run month. (ex: 02/01/2015)

Step 5

Enter your **Location Code**, or click the to view a list of locations from which to choose.

Step 6

Enter L for Classified, F for Food Services or leave blank for all combined.

Step 7

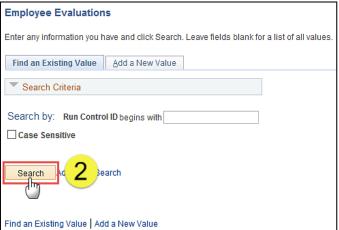
Click Run.

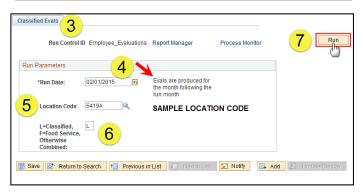
Step 8

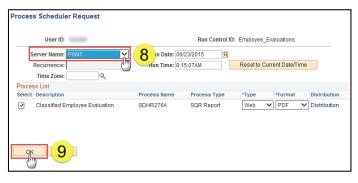
Select **PSNT** from the **Server Name** drop-down menu.

Step 9

Click **OK**.







After you click **OK**, you will be given a **Process Instance Number** and returned to the Report Page. Click the **Process Monitor** link to view the status of the report.

Step 11

Your report is done processing when the **Run Status** reads "Success" and **Distribution Status** reads "Posted" (If not, hit the **Refresh** button until they change to the correct status.)

Step 12

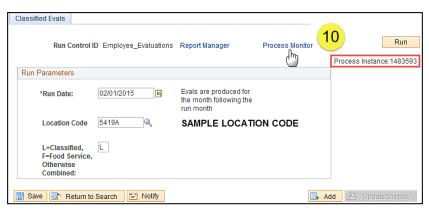
Click the **Details** link.

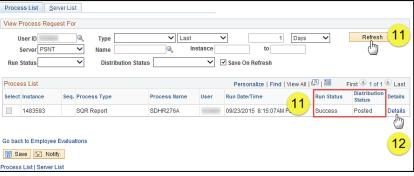
Step 13

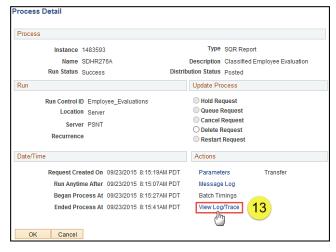
Click the **View Log/Trace** link. This will bring you to a page that shows you three files.

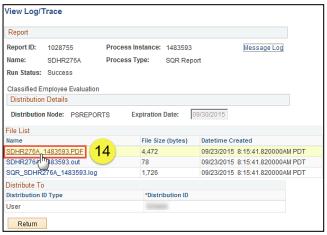
Step 14

Of the three files, choose the one with the **.PDF** extension. The name of the report will also contain the **Process Instance Number** that was assigned to it in step 10.









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The report opens in Adobe Acrobat Reader. (See sample report below) You can now view, print or save your report.

Report ID	: SDHR276A	S	AMPLE REPO	RT		PeopleS EMPLOYEE EVA						Run 1	No. 1 Date09/23/2019 Time08:15:28
Run As Of	02/01/15												
Emp ID	Name		Due Date	Job C	Code/Title		Previous Location	class/cert	Months Worked	Union	EE Class	Eval Type	Last Eval Dt
Location	5419A	Mental Hlth	Resource Ctr										
	Chris Doe Chris Doe		04-17-2015 04-24-2015		Rehabilitation Rehabilitation		TRACE	L 12 MODIF L 12 MODIF	12 12	05 05	PER	Bi-Annual Bi-Annual	04/17/2015 07/01/2015
Evaluation	n Forms can	be downloade	ed from https:/	/www.s	andi.net/staff/h	numan-resources	/human-res	ources-forms					

Report Field Definitions:

- **EmplID** Employee ID Number
- Name Employee Name
- **Due Date** Date evaluation is due
- **Job Code/Title** Employee's Job Code and Job Title
- **Previous Location** Employee's location at end of previous school year if different from current location
- Class/Cert Employee's Job Classification, L for Classified, Months Worked, T for Traditional, Y for Year-Round or MODIF for Modified Work Year
- **Months Worked** 10, 11 or 12
- Union 02 = OSS
 - 03 = OTBS
 - 04 = POA
 - 05 = PARA
 - **06** = SPVR (non-represented supervisors)
 - **L6** = SPVR (represented classified supervisors)
 - 08 = CONFID
- **EE Class DCH** = District Charter
 - **PER** = Permanent
 - **PPB** = Perm/Prob (Class)
 - **PR1** = Probationary 1 (first yr Prob)
 - **PR2** = Probationary 2 (2nd yr Prob)
 - **PRO** = Probationary Classified
- Eval Type Annual or Bi-Annual
- Last Eval Dt Employee's last evaluation date, provided that information was entered into the Performance Eval Tracking page in PeopleSoft. If the evaluation was not entered into PeopleSoft, the last evaluation date will not show on the report. The Performance Eval Tracking page is available from the HR Manager Dashboard or can be accessed at Workforce Development > Performance Management > Performance Eval Tracking See the Entering a Performance Evaluation Summary in PeopleSoft job aid.

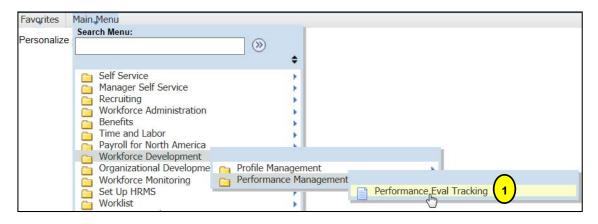
Entering Performance Evaluation Outcomes

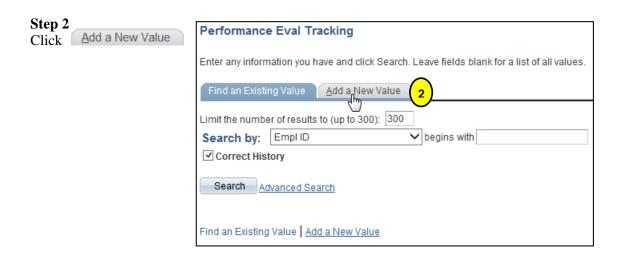
This system is a medium that allows the district to record and maintain record of staff evaluations. It will house the evaluation results of all of our employees, both classified as well as certificated. There are many advantages:

- Monitors the evaluation timeline for each employee.
- Keeps a record of all evaluation results for employees that can be accessed by supervisors.
- Ensures that all employees are evaluated when scheduled.
- Enables the district to generate data for reporting purposes.
- Helps ensure that all employees are evaluated when scheduled.

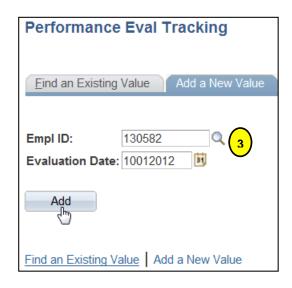
Once a performance evaluation is completed for any salaried employee, classified or certificated, the manager or evaluator enters the outcome of the evaluation into PeopleSoft as shown below.

Step 1Navigation: Workforce Development > Performance Management > Performance Eval Tracking



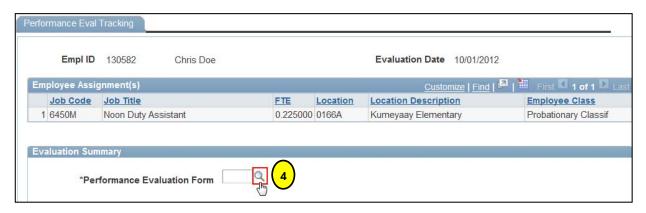


Enter the **Empl ID** of the employee who was evaluated, and the **Evaluation Date** on which the performance evaluation was conducted. Click **Add**.



Step 4

The Performance Evaluation Tracking page displays the salaried assignment(s) of the employee at the time the evaluation was conducted. Click the magnifying glass beside the **Performance Evaluation Form** field to select the evaluation form that was used to evaluate the employee.

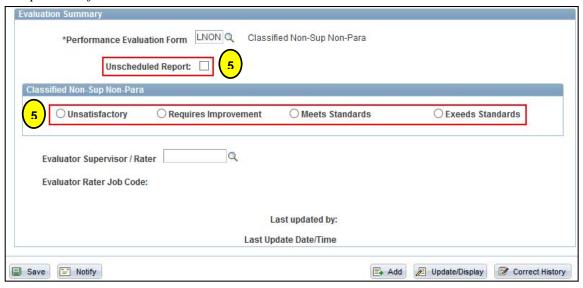


Select one of the choices shown below:

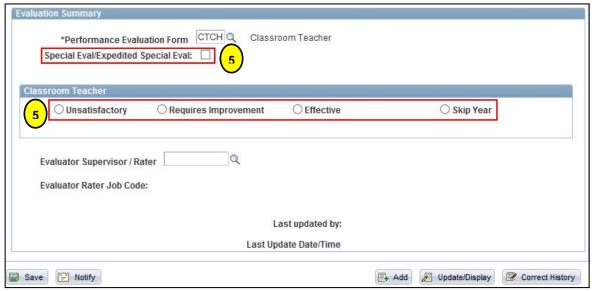


If the evaluation was unscheduled (classified) or a special evaluation (certificated), select the checkbox. (If not, leave it blank.) Then select the overall performance rating. These fields will change depending on which performance evaluation form was selected in *Step 4* above.

Sample Classified Evaluation Form:



Sample Certificated Evaluation Form:

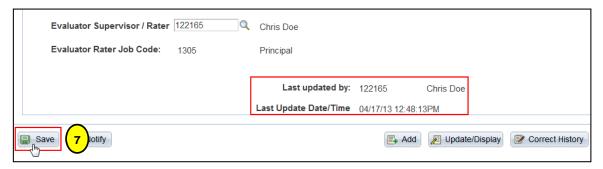


In the **Evaluator Supervisor/Rater** field, enter the employee ID of the person who evaluated or rated the employee. To search for the employee ID by name, click the magnifying glass beside the **Evaluator Supervisor/Rater** field, then click **Advanced Lookup** and type the last name of the evaluator. The evaluator's name, job code, and job title as of the Evaluation Date appears.

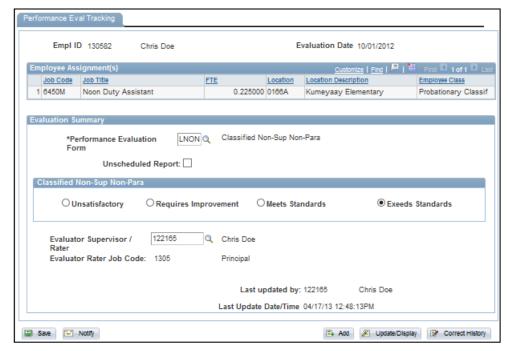


Step 7

Click **Save**. The employee ID and name of the last person to save the record appears at the bottom right, with the date and time the record was last saved.



The entry of the Performance Evaluation Summary is now complete



HR Manager Dashboard

The HR Manager Dashboard will streamline and simplify management's use of PeopleSoft HR by allowing easy access to view their direct team's information, view alerts, run reports and queries, access commonly used PeopleSoft HR pages, and view manuals and job aids, all from one convenient page in PeopleSoft. The instructions below show how to first set up and personalize the HR Manager Dashboard (one-time only), and then how to use it.

Setting up your HR Manager Dashboard:

Step 1

To set up the Manager Dashboard to appear on your PeopleSoft HCM Home page, click the **Content** link.



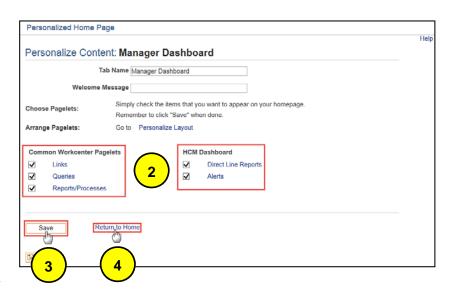


Step 2 Select all the Common Workcenter Pagelets and the HCM Dashboard checkboxes.

Step 3
Click Save . This will return you to the Manager Dashboard home page.

OR Step 4

Click **Return to Home** if you are viewing this screen and not making any changes.



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Click the **Layout** link at the top of the Manager Dashboard page.

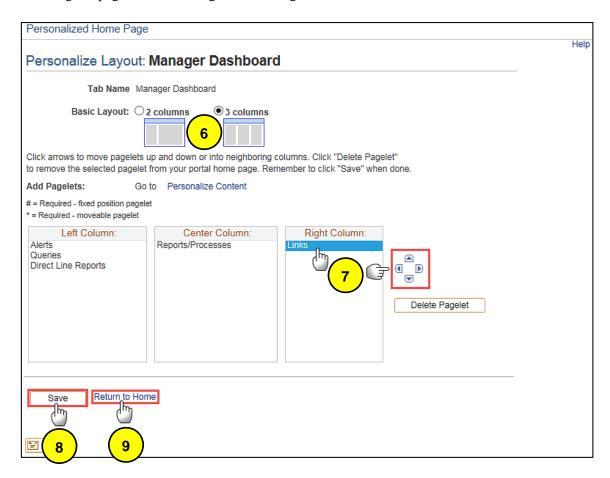
Step 6

Define layout by selecting either a 2 or 3 column layout style you wish to display on your Dashboard.

Step 7

Identify the pagelets that should appear in each column. Move these pagelets from one column to the next by selecting the pagelet and clicking the left or right arrows.





Step 8

Click Save . This will return you to the **Manager Dashboard** home page.

OR

Step 9

Click **Return to Home** if you are viewing this screen and not making any changes.

NOTE: The purpose of the above steps is to define the content and layout of your HR Manager Dashboard. Steps 1 thru 9 need only be executed once, unless you later want to remove a pagelet or change the layout.

Using the Manager Dashboard:

Step 1

The **Alerts** pagelet displays Birthday Alerts and Anniversary Alerts (based on employee Hire Date) for your direct reports.



Step 2

The **Reports/Processes** pagelet displays selected reports and processes on the Dashboard.

Step 2a

Click the **Report** name to access the report run control page and execute the report. *Report will open in a new browser tab.* (Directions for running reports and processes are in the job aids on the **Links** pagelet)

Step 2b

Click the **PeopleSoft Page** name to access the page. *Page will open in a new browser tab.*

Step 3

The **Queries** pagelet displays selected queries on the Dashboard.

Step 3a

Click the **Query** name to access the page to execute the query. **Query will open in** the current browser tab, replacing the **Dashboard**.

Step 3b

When finished viewing query results, Click the **Back Button** to Return to the **Manager Dashboard** home page.







The **Links** pagelet displays frequently used **Manuals and Job Aids** at the District.

Step 4a

Click the **Manuals and Job Aids** name to access the document. The document will open in a new browser tab.



Step 5

The **Direct Line Reports** pagelet displays information about a manager's direct reports, including: job details, contact information, licenses and certifications, education and career history. Direct reports are determined by the "Reports To" position on the employee's Job Data record. "Direct reports" refers to employees for whom you are responsible for signing their timecards. If the direct reports shown in this pagelet are not correct (either missing employees who report to you or showing employees or vacant positions who do not report to you), you can correct it on the "Maintain Reports To Info" page in PeopleSoft. See the "**How to Maintain Reports to Information**" job aid for assistance.

Step 5aClick the **Summary tab** to view employee's name and job title.



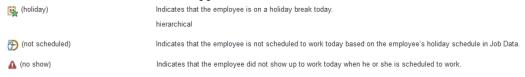
Step 5b

Click the **Job Details tab** to view a high level overview of employee's job data.



Step 5c

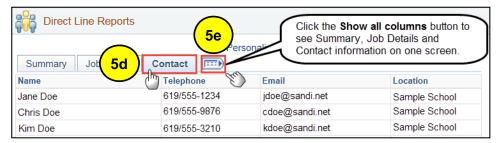
The last column of the **Job Details tab** displays a schedule icon, if applicable. This indicates where an employee is today. The column displays only one icon to indicate the employee schedule for the day, even if more than one schedule applies.



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Step 5d

Click the **Contact tab** to view employee's contact information.



Step 5e

Click the **Show all columns button** to view all columns on one screen.



Step 5f

Click the **Show all columns button** to go back to the **Show Tabs** screen.

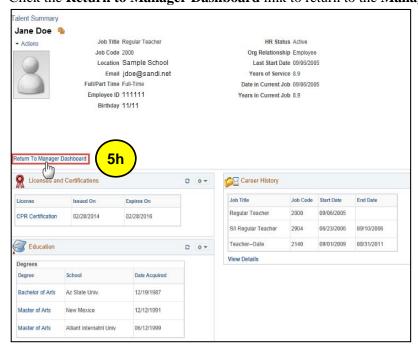
Step 5g

Click the employee's name on any tab in the **Direct Line Reports** pagelet to acces the **Talent Summary** page and view employee's job data, licenses and certifications, education and career history.



Step 5h

Click the **Return to Manager Dashboard** link to return to the **Manager Dashboard** home page.



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Chapter 7 - Position Management

Position Management Overview

Position Management allows you to staff budgeted positions, each of which has a Job Code, Job Title, Dept, Location, and Combination Code(s), In February 2010, the district moved to "One-to-one Position Management", meaning there is a unique position number for each salaried employee. (This is in contrast to the previous model of "Many-to-one Position Management", in which many salaried employees shared the same position number.) Hourly positions still allow more than one employee per position number. With the Position Management reports discussed starting on page 68, you can determine how many FTE (full time equivalent) you have filled and how many you have available.

This gives SDUSD the flexibility to:

- Budget for positions and departments.
- Create and track position data and history.
- Process employee appointments by position.
- Maintain incumbent data.
- View position and budget histories.

When you structure your system by position, you attach data to the positions and move employees in and out of those positions. By focusing on the position, you can track information related to it, such as bargaining unit or standard hours, regardless of whether an employee holds the position. When the position is vacant, you will not lose the common thread that binds the data together. Use data specific to each position as the basis for planning, recruitment, and budgeting.

Details

A position exists for each salaried employee. The position information includes Job Code, Job Title, Department, Location, Combination Code(s), Standard Hours and the maximum FTE allowed for the position. For example, if you have 25 teachers at your site, they will each have a unique position number, even if the job code, department and funding on their positions is the same.

If a position is split-funded, all funding sources are attached to the position according to the distribution percentage of each funding source (combination code). For example, a split-funded position may have 75% of the position's funding going to one combination code and 25% of the position's funding going to another combination code. The distribution percentage must always total 100% (in our example, 75% + 25% = 100%), so that each position is fully funded, regardless of position's FTE. The FTE allotted to each combination code is shown on the Allocation Status Report and is calculated by multiplying the FTE of the position (for example, (0.8 FTE) by the distribution percentage divided by 100. (In this example, .8 total FTE x 75/100 = .6 FTE for the first combination code, and $.8 \times 25/100 = .2 \text{ FTE}$ for the second combination code).

Hourly positions are created for each unique combination of Job Code, Department, Location, and Combination Code. Multiple hourly employees can be assigned to the same hourly position number.

Position Management and Creating a New Position

In SDUSD's system, the positions are created based on allocation formulas. If a site wants to use discretionary funds to create or change a position because they need extra help besides what has been awarded, the Administrator will fill out the online **Request New Position PAR** form that provides:

- Duties statement
- Combination Code (funding source)
- Position start/end dates
- FTE (full time equivalent)
- Traditional or Year-round designation
- Calendar (10 month, 11 month, 12 month etc.)

This form is system-delivered to the HR department where its information is verified. HR also determines the job code and union characteristics for the particular position. HR creates the position in "inactive" status and the PAR is sent to the Finance department (Budget Analyst) for approval and also to Position Control. If there is adequate and appropriate funding for the requested position, Finance approves the PAR and "activates" the new position and assigns funding to it.

Position Management and Changing an Existing Position

Unless additional allocations have been approved, any changes to existing positions must result in a "net zero" effect on the FTE at a site. Sites submit the online **Change Position Attributes PAR** to request changes to existing positions. These PARs must be approved by Position Control and Finance before the changes can be made. If FTE changes to one position will be balanced by changes to another position at the site, the PAR submitter should note in the Comments field all the positions affected by the change to show the "net zero" effect.

Understanding Budgeting by Position

The Finance department sets up Position Funding and Payroll Expense distribution in the HCM system so expenses are charged to the correct Combination Code.

Position Reports

There are three custom reports for you to review and analyze position information. Each report can be run against a set of selection criteria defined by the user.

- Allocations Status by Assignment Report
- Allocations Status by Funding Report
- Filled Positions Report

Allocations Status by Assignment Report

The Allocation Status by Assignment report will show only those position numbers (and incumbents) where the department on the run control matches the department on the employee's assignment (Job Data). For each position the report will show all funding sources (100%).

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		D: SDPM28 e Date: 09		014						TUS BY AS						ge No. n Date		2014
Orde	г Ву	: Resource	e, Dep	artment,	JobCode			SAM	PLE	REP	ORT	_			Ru	n Time	10:23:	46
_								TE/Head Cnt										
Type		Pos Num ID	Red		e Description Status	Name	Used	Allocated _		DistFTE lass Indc	Dist%	HCM Account Code	Resrc Bud	Acct	Proq	Class	Fund	Ext
		117082	0	1.0000	Active	Chris	Doe		L	10 Y								
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Slry	A				Noon Duty Assista		0.2125	0.2125			100.00%	0095000100029054500010000	00010 00	2905	8300	0000	01000	0000
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		ID 127127	Rcd 0	0.2125	Status Active	Name Chris	Doe			lass Indc 10 Y								
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		129760		0.2125	Active	Chris	Doe			10 Y								
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		ID 123020	Rcd 0	FTE 1.0000	Status Active	Name Chris	Doe			lass Indc 10 Y								
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Report example shown above is the **Allocations Status by Assignment**, sorted by **Resource**, **Department**, **Job Code**. A **Salaried Position Summary by Resource** appears at the end of all salaried positions and before hourly positions are shown.

	SAMPLE		SALARIED I	POSITION SUMMARY BY RESOURCE
Resource	Job Code Description	FTE Used A	llocated	Balance
00010	1305 Principal	1.0000	1.0000	0.0000
	1350 Vice Principal	0.0000	1.0000	0 1.0000
	2000 Regular Teacher	8.0000	12.0000	0 4.0000
	2025 Teacher-Bilingual Education	7.0000	8.0000	0 1.0000
	2026 Elem Clsrm Tchr/ESL Sheltered	2.0000	2.0000	0.0000
	6101 School Clerk I	1.0000	1.0000	0.0000
	6419 Attendance Asst	0.0000	0.5000	0.5000
	6450M Noon Duty Assistant	1.0625	1.0629	5 0.0000
	6535 Elementary School Asst	1.0000	1.0000	0.0000
	00010 Resource Totals:	21.0625	27.5625	5 6.5000

Allocations Status by Funding Report

The Allocation Status by Funding report will show only those position numbers (and incumbents) where the department on the run control matches the department of some or all funding sources on the position, regardless of the department on the employee's assignment (Job Data). For each position, only the funding sources that have the same department as the run control department will be shown.

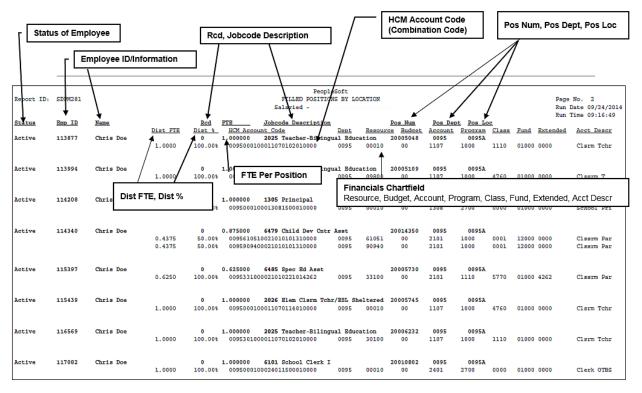
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Report example shown above is the **Allocations Status by Funding**, sorted by **Job Code**. A **Salaried Position Summary by Resource** appears at the end of all salaried positions and before hourly positions are shown.

	SAMPLE	S	ALARIED PO	SITION SUMMARY	BY RESOURCE
Resource	Job Code Description	FTE Used Al	located	Balance	
00010	1305 Principal	1.0000	1.0000	0.0000	
	1350 Vice Principal	0.0000	1.0000	1.0000	
	2000 Regular Teacher	8.0000	12.0000	4.0000	
	2025 Teacher-Bilingual Education	7.0000	8.0000	1.0000	
	2026 Elem Clsrm Tchr/ESL Sheltered	2.0000	2.0000	0.0000	
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	6450M Noon Duty Assistant	1.0625	1.0625	0.0000	
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	00010 Resource Totals:	21.0625	27.5625	6.5000	

Filled Positions Report

The Filled Position report shows how many of your allocated positions are filled and which employees are occupying the positions.



The report is sorted by Salaried and Hourly positions, then by employee in alpha order.

The Personnel Action Request (PAR)

Nine different electronic Personnel Action Request or PAR forms are used for different types of position and employee actions.

Each PAR can be routed individually depending on who needs to approve it and who needs to take additional action on it. You can track where a PAR is at any time. (See the **PAR Search** job aid.)

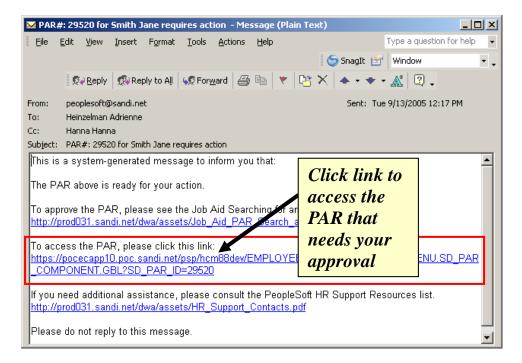
There are six PAR forms dealing with Employee Actions and three PAR forms dealing with Position Action, as shown below:

Employee Action PARs	Position Action PARs					
Hire/Rehire	Change Attributes					
 Add Concurrent Job 	 Fill Vacancy 					
 Assignment Change 	 Request New 					
 Salary Change 	_					
• LOA						
 Termination 						

Approving PARS

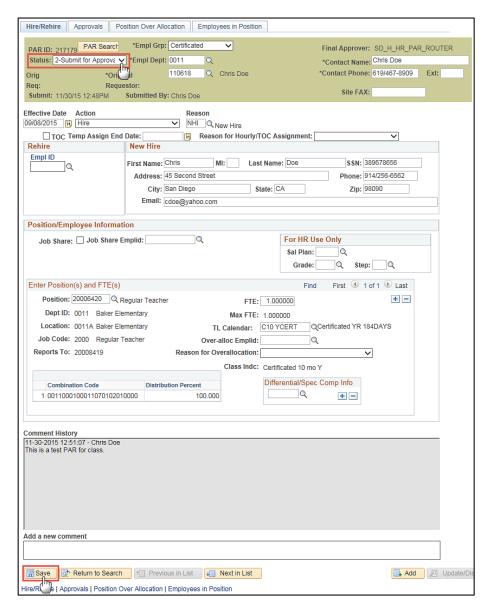
Once an initial request for a PAR has been saved, the Site Administrator must review and submit the PAR to HR for Routing, Approval, and Processing. The system will send an automatic email notification about the PAR when it needs an approval. The email contains a link that can take you directly to the PAR.

To site admin upon save of PAR:



The following page shows the step-by-step instructions on how to approve a PAR.

Step 1 Click the link in the email message to open the PAR, the PAR page is displayed.



Verify that all pertinent information has been entered and is accurate, (such as Differential, Special Comp, or temporary as appropriate) then click the **Status** drop down box and select **Submit for Approval** from the list, click save.

The following page will be displayed. The **Orig Req** field is populated with the date and time of approval. The PAR will now show up in the Router or Budget Analyst Search Results.



Chapter 7

Searching for a PAR

There are two ways to search for a PAR:

- Personnel Action Request
- PAR Search

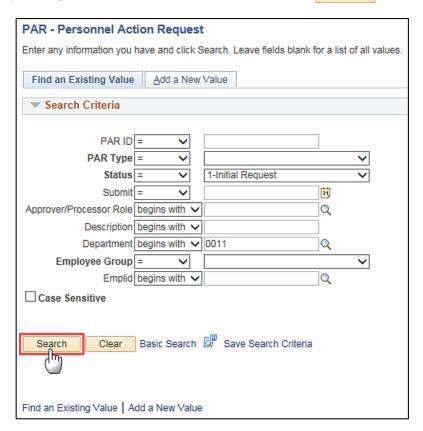
Personnel Action Request

Step 1

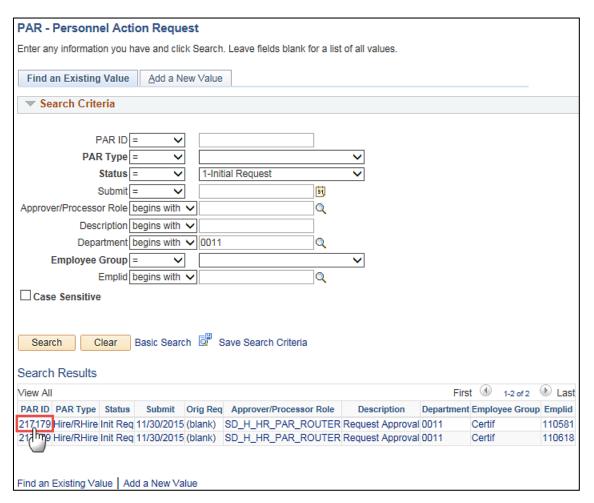
Navigation: Workforce Administration \rightarrow Personnel Action Request \rightarrow Find an Existing Value

Step 2

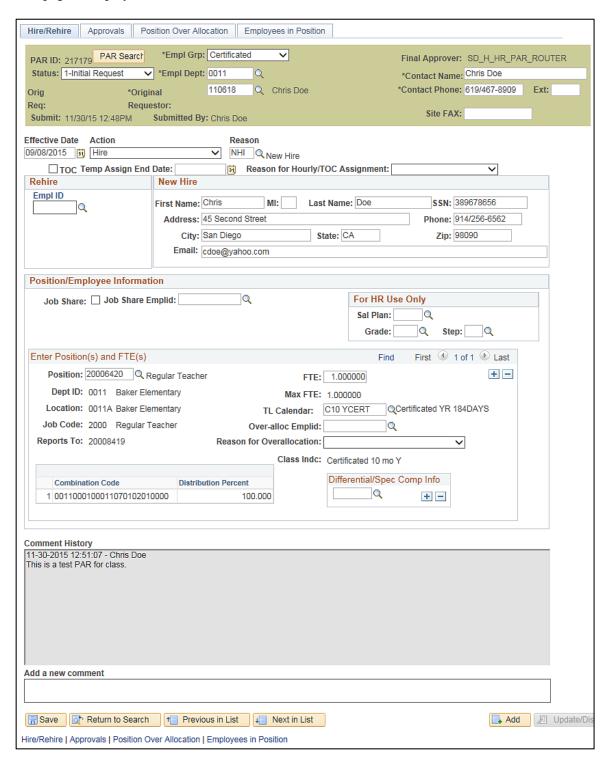
To search by **PAR ID**, **PAR Type** or **Status** click the drop-down menu for that field to make your selection. To reduce the number of rows returned in your search, be specific with the search fields. Enter your DeptID in the **Department** search field. Click search to view a list of results.



Step 3 Choose the PAR you want to view by clicking the PAR ID link.



PAR page is displayed.



PAR Search

The PAR Search page is a powerful search tool that allows you to search on more criteria than the Personnel Action Request screen. With the PAR Search, you can perform searches on any combination of the following fields:

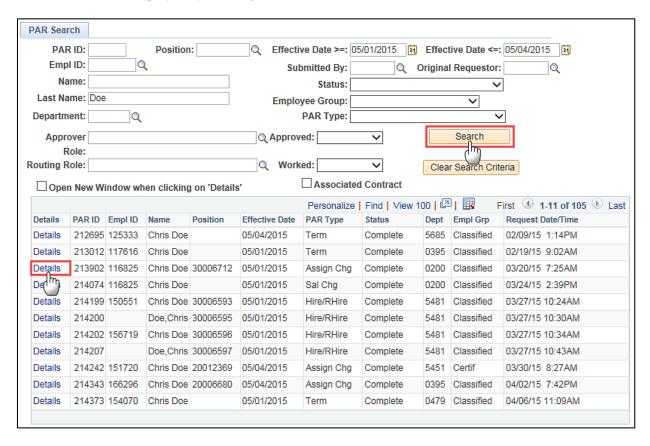
- Submitter Name
- Originator Name (Site Admin or Dept. Head)
- PARs with contracts (certificated only)
- Last Name
- Position Number
- PAR Effective Date range

Step 1

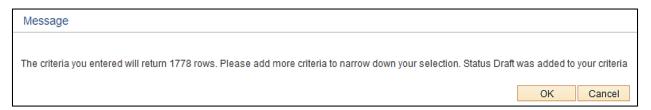
Navigation: Workforce Administration \rightarrow *PAR Search*

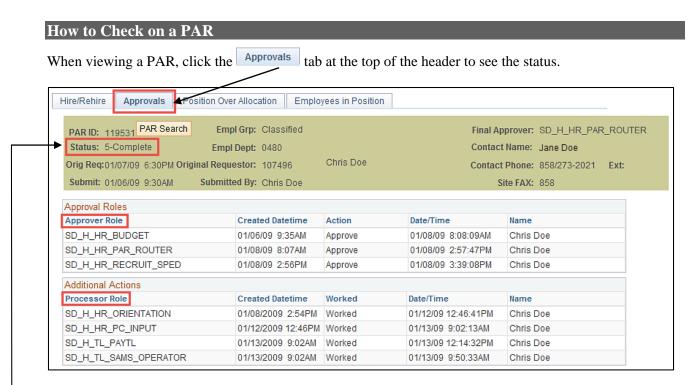
Step 2

As an example, enter a last name in **Last Name** field and/or type in **Employee ID** number. Enter an **Effective Date for the PAR(s) you are searching for**. Click Search to view a list of results. Depending on the criteria you enter, several employees with the same last name and effective date might be displayed. Choose the correct employee by clicking the Details link to view the detailed PAR information.



NOTE: If your search criteria is too broad, it could return more rows than the system can display. If an error message such as the one shown below appears, enter additional criteria to narrow you search.





You can view who has or has not approved or worked the PAR.

PAR Status Definitions:

- **Draft** When an incomplete PAR is saved. Populate remaining required fields and save to move to *Initial Request*.
- Initial Request When PAR is created by Submitter.
- **Submit for Approval** PAR has been reviewed by Site Admin/Dept Head and is ready to be routed by HR.
- **Route for Approval** PAR routed to one or more approver roles for review.
- Route for Processing PAR routed to one or more processor roles to perform an action.
- Complete All approvers have approved the PAR and all processors have marked the PAR "Worked".
- Cancel PAR is no longer active.

Chapter 8 - Resources & Support

Tips & Tricks

Don't Get Logged Out Unexpectedly! If you think it might take you longer than 15 minutes to complete your work in PeopleSoft, do the following to ensure the system won't log you out unexpectedly. After you log into PeopleSoft and after you click the **Financials Supply Chain** link, go back to the portal page (where you signed in) and close that window by its X button in the upper right corner. **SDCS Expense Rules** – At the bottom of any Travel Authorization Summary and Expense Report Details page, you will find a link called **SDCS Expense Rules**. When you click this link it brings you to a page with all the district's rules and policies on eligible expenses. At the bottom of this page you can click **Return** to go back to where you left off.

SDCS Expense Rules

<u>never</u> click the <u>Back Button</u> – A general rule to follow when using any PeopleSoft applications is to never click the <u>Back</u> button on your browser window. Doing so can make you lose your work, and even kick you completely out of the software program. You will always be able to find a menu choice or other link to click on within the page, to bring you back to the previous page or to other pages.

Help Your Computer Work Better For You - Clearing Your Cache Files

It is important for you to maintain your PeopleSoft application connection so that it remains in optimum working condition at all times.

To do this, you must complete a quick, simple, routine task every day. The task is called "Clearing Your Cache Files".

Cache files are files that are deposited onto your computer's hard drive every time you click to a new web page while you're on the Internet. They are also referred to as Cookies or Temporary Internet Files. They are generally harmless. But if you ignore them, they pile up every time you use the Internet. They can pile up so much that it can cause your computer to perform sluggishly, or even start to get weird error messages that make no sense. So, it's important for you to clear out all the cache files every day, to make room for the new ones that will come in.

To clear your cache files in Internet Explorer:

- 1. Click the **TOOLS** menu.
- 2. At the bottom of the drop-down menu, click **INTERNET OPTIONS**.
- 3. In the Internet Options window, click the **DELETE** button (about in the middle).
- 4. Be sure there is a checkmark in every checkbox, *except* leave the checkmark *out* of the **Preserve Favorites website data** checkbox.
- 5. Click **DELETE** at the bottom, and wait until it is finished (you'll know when the indicator goes off screen).
- 6. Click **OK** at the bottom.
- 7. Close your browser window and reopen it. This refreshes it completely.

Support - How to Find Assistance

<u>Do not contact the Help Desk</u> for support with PeopleSoft applications. They are not equipped or trained for PeopleSoft support.

You can get assistance in a number of ways:

Online Resources

Go online to our SDUSD PeopleSoft training web site: http://www.sandi.net/staff/peoplesoft/peoplesoft-support-resources

There, you can find:

- Custom-designed animated, narrated, interactive video tutorials showing how to do these tasks.
- An FAQ page.
- Names, emails, and telephone numbers for SMEs (Subject Matter Experts) all around the district who can help you. These are people in our Accounts Payable, Strategic Sourcing, and Finance Departments.
- The most up-to-date handbooks and job aids created just for you.

Open Lab Sessions

Occasionally we hold Open Labs, as we are able. An Open Lab is a computer lab classroom at our training center in San Diego, where you can drop in and receive one-on-one assistance with any of your PeopleSoft tasks. Open Lab is not a place to receive training. It is a place for already-trained individuals to receive assistance with questions or any difficulties they experience with using PeopleSoft applications. No appointments or registrations are required for Open Lab. It is a first-come, first-served, informal session. If an IT trainer is working with you, and another person is waiting for a turn with the trainer, we must limit our one-on-one session with you to 15 minutes. Open Labs are posted on our training calendar web page, in our training website:

Training Calendar (From www.sandiegounified.org, click Staff Portal, sign in with your Employee ID and password, click Technical Support & Resources, click PeopleSoft, click Training Opportunities, click Training Class Calendar).