

Technology Report

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Infinite Campus: The Infinite Campus Implementation Kickoff meeting was held on Tuesday, October 19th and the ball is now rolling. The secretaries at each school have begun the process of cleaning up our legacy data in MMS and I have started creating the scripts and databases required to pull our data from MMS and assemble it into something Infinite Campus will find palatable. This conversion process will consume most of my working hours from now until the new system goes live on February 7th.

We will be submitting our data to Custom Computer Specialists three times. Each time, the data will go through a rigorous validation process before being converted into an Infinite Campus server we will evaluate. Once the server is up and running, school personnel will review the data on the server and determine what corrections we need to make in our MMS data before resubmitting it to Custom Computer Specialists. The first iteration of the data is due on November 12th.

On December 7th, the Core Team will be meeting for a *Policy and Procedures* meeting where a lot of decisions have to be made about we want to change our day-to-day SIS procedures. We will be discussing issues such as user security, scheduling terms, registration, when attendance should be taken, etc...

Mid- December we begin intensive training for our Building Coaches who will end up with the deepest knowledge of Campus and act as support for their building's office staff and faculty. Then after the holidays, we will begin training our Teacher Coaches who will be the first line of support for faculty users of Infinite Campus.

It has been a multi-year project to get this ball rolling, so it is very exciting to see it become reality.

Sincerely,

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