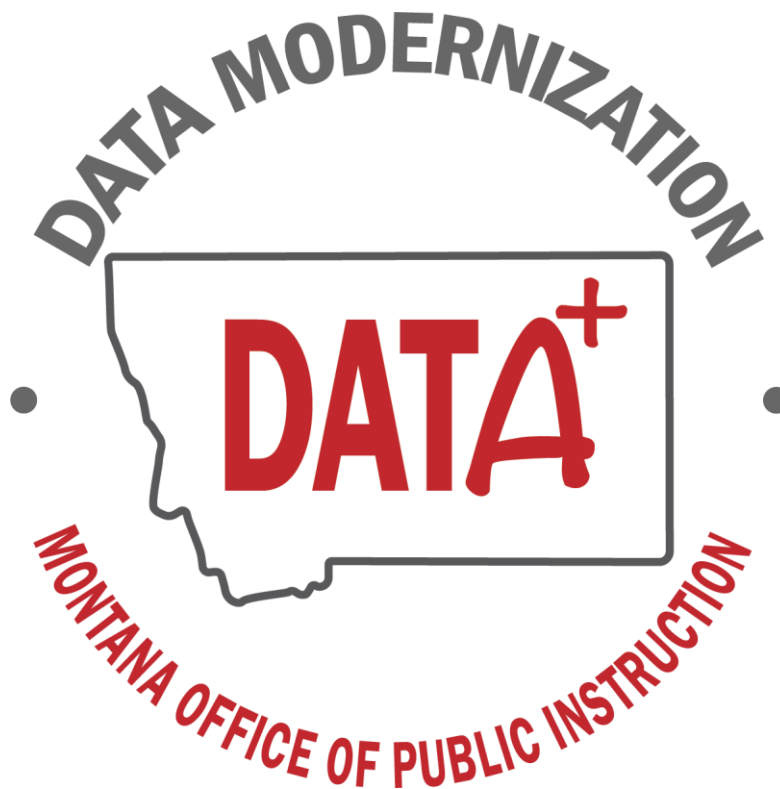


# Educational Data Integration Weekly Meeting

## MT Office of Public Instruction and PowerSchool



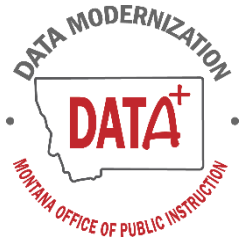
**Meeting Date: August 29, 2024**

**Materials:**

**Meeting Attendance**

**Meeting Agenda**

**Meeting Summary**



# OPI Data Modernization Project

## Weekly Meeting with PowerSchool Summary

Date: August 29, 2024

Attendees:			
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Edward Dedic, PS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sarah Singer, PS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rob Stutz, OPI	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chad Sears, PS

<b>Agenda Items:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. General Updates</li> <li>2. Connected Intelligence Update</li> <li>3. Unified Insights Update</li> <li>4. Other project information</li> </ol>
<b>Topic:</b>	<b>Discussion:</b>
Unified Insights: Essentials	<p>Risks: Need to finalize statewide security solution. Timeline note: Great progress has been made on the security solution which is on the critical path for Unified Insights to go live in November 2024. To stay on track the full solution needed to be finalized and set up by the end of July. PowerSchool and OPI will collaboratively re-evaluate timelines once key resources are back to update us on target dates.</p> <p>PowerSchool is continuing to make progress on configuring the connector to load data for one district. Both teams are collaborating on data questions. OPI will review security file updates and provide a new file. OPI is continuing to have internal discussions around the communications, training, and rollout plan. PowerSchool will continue working on the data load to UI and will communicate information to OPI for ongoing replication of the security file. PowerSchool will schedule a meeting to discuss data questions. The first training session for Analytics and Insights for OPI staff is scheduled for Friday, September 9<sup>th</sup>, 9am-12pm MST.</p>
Connected Intelligence	<p>Waiting on information from OPI on additional sources to replicate. PowerSchool is reviewing the GEMS files. OPI is reaching out to the remaining districts on VPN setup. OPI will work internally to determine additional data sources to replicate to being additional replication work. PowerSchool is working on replicating GEMS data to CI.</p> <p>We are on hold with replicating data from PS SIS to CI for districts with PS SIS due to the requirement that we only replicate the same data elements that OPI collects from iC districts. To do this we will need to move forward with building a custom connector instead of using the standard connection for the PS SIS replication. This work is lower priority than the UI work. After completing UI we will scope out development work, cost, and timeline for this customization.</p>

Unified Insights: Other Modules	<p>Risk Analysis and Student Readiness: on hold; projects will begin once UI is completed.</p> <p>Community Engagement: Risk: delayed due to source not being replicated yet. Waiting for GEMS replication to be completed (noted above in CI section). Once GEMS is replicated, a separate project plan will be built for Community Engagement. We will be able to determine a target date for completion at that time.</p>																																																																																					
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