TREx Enhancement Release v 4.0 Changes and New Features Revised : April 18, 2013

TEA plans to release version 4.0 of TREx, on Sunday, July 14, 2013. This version contains new functionality, maintenance, and changes to support new reporting requirements and provides enhancements requested from the user community.

PLEASE NOTE: TREx version 4.0 is backwardly compatible with v3. 9. Any XML file that can be uploaded today will still upload correctly under the new release.

However, in order to take advantage of some new features, including new data elements, codes or edits, the extract program that generates the XML files will need to new TREx schema, version 1. 8.

Item	TREx v 4.0 Enhancements	Requires Schema 1.8	Requires Updates to Local Extract Program	Requires Updates to the Local SIS
1	A new Data Element, TX-UNIQUE-STUDENT-ID has been added to the StudentIdentification XML Complex Type. Note: While this data element is not required to be included in the XML file, it should be included if the Unique-ID is entered in the local Student Information System.	Yes	Yes	Yes
2	Remove codes 51-54 from Disciplinary Action Reason code table TC07 Documentation. Note: Codes 51-54 were removed from the PEIMS code table C165 for the 2012-2013 school year. This change is syncing TREx with PEIMS. The codes are still valid in the XSD should a student record from a prior year be uploaded.	No	No	No
3	A new feature has been added to allow a district to forward a request from their inbound requests queue to another organization.	No	No	No
4	Remove the limitation on how many Advanced Measures can be included on the Transcript.	Yes	No	No

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