

1.23 Release notes

Welcome to the uEducateUs 1.23 release.

The release notes have been set up to allow the different user types to easily find the issues that are relevant to them. *For example, if you are a parent, you only need to look in the **Parents** category to find all issues that affect you.*

The focus of this release was usability improvements issue resolutions as requested by schools using the system. This is a very large release with 40 improvements to the system.

We encourage your feedback, as this feedback continues to help drive the direction and content of our release cycles.

Parents

Improvements

- [CR-1181] - Diary/Events; Improved the user interface in relation to setting the end date for repeat events as users found this confusing.
- [CR-1182] - Kiosk/Arrivals and Departures; Reason for a student's late arrival or early departure can now be entered by parents.
- [CR-1307] - Reader; the rating of books has been made more intuitive for students by the addition of the 5-star rating system.
- [CR-704] - Reader; entries made in the reader can now be edited by parents, teachers and admins after the entry has been made by the student.
- [CR-1175] - Did You Know messages displayed on the Home Page; these messages have been updated to be more useful.

Issues

- [CR-1159] – Mobile device Security; resolved an issue that was stopping the device from timing out when the user had logged in with a PIN rather than a username and password.

Teachers

New Features

- [CR-1196] - Curriculum; **Test** has been renamed **Standardised/School-based Test**.
- [CR-1257] - Data Lists; there is now a **Custom Student Report** available to make the retrieval of student information easier for admins and teachers.
- [CR-1274] - Evacuation Report; this report can now be generated on the Kiosk iPad externally to the uEducateUs system in the event of an evacuation and staff do not have access to a computer within the school. Any staff member's Kiosk PIN can generate the report.

Improvements

- [CR-700] – Reader; Added a new column - **Nights/Days Child has Read** to facilitate better recording of the students reading activity.

- [CR-580] – Data Lists; A modification to the Student Ages report.
- [CR-1141] - Permission Slips; There are now visual notifications when comments are added remotely by parents.
- [CR-1181] - Diary/Events; Improved the user interface in relation to setting the end date for repeat events as users found this confusing.
- [CR-1208] - Quick Links; TeamViewer shortcut added to help with Customer Support interaction.
- [CR-1235] - Attendance Records; the name of the **Edit Selected** field has been updated to **Update Selected Entries**.
- [CR-1236] - Reporting; **Subject Category scores** now appears under the custom Subject headings.
- [CR-1264] - Announcements; an **All Teachers** option has been added to enable the sending of announcements/notifications to teachers that are not currently assigned to a class.
- [CR-1275] - Gallery; the option is now available to allow other teachers to add images to albums that were not created by them. See your school admin to enable this function.
- [CR-1289] - Attendance Rolls marking; when the **Mark Attendance** button is clicked, the system now checks for attendance updates before updating the rolls (for example, if a parent or admin has submitted an absence note while a teacher has been marking the rolls, the roll will be updated correctly to take account of this and the teacher will be notified accordingly).
- [CR-1304] - Semester Reporting; For smaller schools where the Teacher and Principal can be the same person - their roles have been combined in the one entry on the front page of the reports.
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Administrators

New Features

- [CR-1191] - Data Lists; New report available - **Parent Kiosk Login Codes**.
- [CR-1196] - Curriculum; **Test** has been renamed **Standardised/School-based Test**.
- [CR-1257] - Data Lists; there is now a **Custom Student Report** available to make the retrieval of student information easier for admins and teachers.
- [CR-1274] - Evacuation Report; this report can now be generated on the Kiosk iPad externally to the uEducateUs system in the event of an evacuation and staff do not have access to a computer within the school. Any staff member's Kiosk PIN can generate the report.

Improvements

- [CR-24] - Add ability for Admins to delete medical conditions.
- [CR-90] - Ability to email welcome letters and paper logins.
- [CR-299] - Add Text to Permission slip.
- [CR-580] – Data Lists; A modification to the Student Ages report.
- [CR-700] – Reader; Added a new column - **Nights/Days Child has Read** to facilitate better recording of the students reading activity.
- [CR-1116] - Permission Slips; improvements to the way the **full or part** payments can be edited.
- [CR-1128] - Unexplained Absences; Access to the **Get Absence Explanations report** has been made much easier.
- [CR-1130] - Student Arrivals & Departures; Certain information is now pre-populated to save time for Administrators.
- [CR-1141] - Permission Slips; There are now visual notifications when comments are added remotely by parents.
- [CR-1181] - Diary/Events; Improved the user interface in relation to setting the end date for repeat events as users found this confusing.
- [CR-1182] - Kiosk/Arrivals and Departures; Reason for a student's late arrival or early departure can now be entered by parents.
- [CR-1208] - Quick Links; TeamViewer shortcut added to help with Customer Support interaction.
- [CR-1212] - Kiosk; Staff sign ins - the option to hide the **signature** field is now available.
- [CR-1228] - Parent Inactivity Letters; Filtering by Campus and Year Level is now available.
- [CR-1235] - Attendance Records; the name of the **Edit Selected** field has been updated to **Update Selected Entries**.
- [CR-1236] - Reporting; **Subject Category scores** now appears under the custom Subject headings.
- [CR-1249] - Unexplained Absence reporting; The wording and formatting of the **Get Absence Explanations** report has been improved.

- [CR-1251] – Teacher Overviews; teachers can now be filtered by **Permissions** to easily ascertain which teachers have been granted specific permissions in the system.
- [CR-1264] - Announcements; an **All Teachers** option has been added to enable the sending of announcements/notifications to teachers that are not currently assigned to a class.
- [CR-1265] - Permission Slips consent forms; the option to turn **on** or **off** the displaying of Emergency Contacts and Parent details is now available (as some schools want the information to be available and some do not).
- [CR-1275] - Gallery; the option is now available to allow other teachers to add images to albums that were not created by them.
- [CR-1283] - Arrivals and Departure reporting; Improvements have been made to this .csv report for more useful reporting.
- [CR-1289] - Attendance Rolls marking; when the Mark Attendance button is clicked, the system now checks for attendance updates before updating the rolls (for example, if a parent or admin has submitted an absence note while a teacher has been marking the rolls, the roll will be updated correctly to take account of this and the teacher will be notified accordingly).
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- [CR-704] - Reader; entries made in the reader can now be edited by parents, teachers and admins after the entry has been made by the student.
- [CR-1113] - **Private schools only**; When parents are created in the system they are now disabled by default. **This is not relevant to schools that use Cases21.**
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The School for Student Leadership

Improvements

- [CR-1184] - Dashboard filtering has been improved to include filtering on **Incidents**.
- [CR-1217] - Dashboard filtering has been improved to include filtering on **Students & Teachers**