

# PowerSchool Version 20.4

## Admin

### **PowerSchool Admin - Admit Slip**

School admin users can now print an Admit Slip for students leaving or returning to school. The Admit Slip serves as a "hall pass" that lists the classes the student has missed and includes a parent and teacher signature lines. An Admit Slip can only be printed for the current date. This feature is available using the Attendance Data Grid page (Start Page > Attendance) or from the student's Attendance page (Student > Attendance).

### **PowerSchool Admin - Staff List Report**

Using the new Staff List report (System Reports > Staff List), you can now quickly and easily view a printout of staff members based on selected criteria.

### **PowerSchool Admin - Student Birthday Listing**

Using the new Student Birthday Listing report (System Reports > Student Birthday Listing), you can now quickly and easily view a printout of students' birthdays based on selected criteria.

### **PowerTeacher Pro - Section Readiness Report moved to System Reports**

The Section Readiness Report now appears in the PowerSchool SIS System Reports in order to be more readily available. It is no longer under the school menu.

### **PowerSchool Admin - Attendance Tracks to Support Blended Learning (COVID-19)**

Students can now be grouped based on whether they are attending school in-person, remotely, or in a hybrid model. Teachers and admins can easily toggle between methods if the situation changes. Additionally, teachers and admins can mass fill attendance codes by track in the PowerSchool SIS Teacher portal or within a teacher's schedule on the PowerSchool SIS Admin portal.

\*\*\*A number of plugins were also updated to work with the new PS 20.x version.

## Teachers

### **PowerTeacher Pro - Enhanced Assignment Creation**

Teachers now have a more user-friendly user interface when creating assignments, specifically when assigning standards to be graded.

### **PowerTeacher Pro - Student Contacts**

Teachers now have access to the new contacts information related to a student, including the notes for a student/contact relationship. Let us know if you want the contacts notes turned off for teachers – we will default with it on.

### **PowerTeacher Pro – Email**

Teachers can now send plain-text emails to students and contacts directly from the **Create** option in PowerTeacher Pro. An option to **Copy Emails** will copy all selected email addresses (separated by a semicolon and space) to the clipboard, allowing an email that requires rich text or attachments to be quickly drafted using another email service.