

MANSFIELD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT - TX

MANSFIELD ISD IMPROVES PAYMENT COLLECTION & PROCESSING



Mansfield Independent School District in the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex serves more than 35,000 students across 49 campuses.

THE CHALLENGES



The district did not have a credit card processor for student fees, fundraisers, etc.

TIME-CONSUMING DATA ENTRY

The district was manually entering budget codes and receiving deposits from each campus.

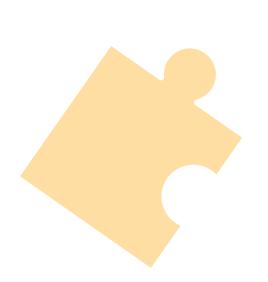
ADDITIONAL REPORTING & TRACKING NEEDED

Individual event sponsors kept their own spreadsheets to track student sign-ups and payment collection status, creating manual processes and opportunities for error. "

First off, it was easy to run reports out of PayK12 to see all transactions and that's been fantastic. Auditing wise and accounting wise, all of that was great. And second, a lot of cash was coming from our campuses and passing through people's hands.

Chelcie Howley, Accountant Mansfield ISD









HOW PAYK12 HELPED



ACCEPT CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS & MANAGE FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS

PayK12 was chosen as a payment processing solution because it integrates well with Mansfield ISD's existing software, especially Skyward (their Student Information System), marking a significant evolution in the district's ability to accept payments and manage financial transactions. PayK12 is extensively used for various transactions, including student fees and fundraisers.



AUTOMATED DATA ENTRY

The integration of PayK12 significantly streamlined these processes. automating data entry and reducing manual labor. PayK12's Skyward integration allows schools to seamlessly connect student records with balances that require payment to PayK12's platform. Teachers, departments and accounting staff create a processing list to auto-assign Skyward fees, and parents can quickly pay balances. Payments processed in PayK12 are reflected in Skyward in real-time. By moving to a centralized system and utilizing PayK12 for a wide array of transactions, Mansfield ISD experienced not only time savings but also improved accuracy and efficiency in managing fines/fees.



FINANCIAL TRANSPARENCY & EFFICIENCY

PayK12 has enabled greater financial transparency and efficiency, reducing the need for manual tracking and handling of cash, thereby enhancing both security and operational efficiency.





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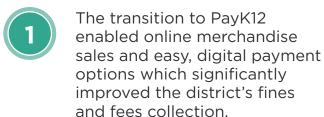
Having to key in all the budget codes was a chore. Now that we're integrated with PayK12, that's changed drastically.



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THE RESULTS



The reduction in time spent reconciling transactions showcased the substantial efficiency gains from implementing PayK12 and streamlining their financial transaction processes.

This enhanced efficiency is particularly evident in the workload reduction for individual campuses and their staff.



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Without having to manage the deposits, the responsibility of the deposit bag, etc. our staff has been able to focus on other things.

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- The integration with PayK12 and Skyward streamlined financial operations, allowing teachers, departments, or accounting staff to create processing lists to auto-assign Skyward fees.
- By seamlessly connecting student records with balances that require payment to PayK12's platform, transactions are updated in Skyward's Family Access portal in real-time.



- UNABLE TO ACCEPT CREDIT CARDS
- ✓ TIME-CONSUMING DATA ENTRY
- ADDITIONAL REPORTING & TRACKING NEEDED



- ACCEPT CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS &
 MANAGE FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS
- ✓ AUTOMATED DATA ENTRY
- FINANCIAL TRANSPARENCY & EFFICIENCY

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