

## S K Y W A R D° SCHOOL BUSINESS SUITE 2.0





I have never worked with a company so grounded on customer needs. Skyward's attentiveness and responsiveness to the customer is far beyond any other company out there.

Kyle Berger, executive director of technology Cedar Hill Independent School District, TX

During the RFP process, my thought of Skyward was "Wow!" Now, several years later after the RFP, I am only more enthusiastic and approving of Skyward.

John Larson, accounting, budgets and audits director Jordan School District, UT

Skyward's School Business Suite provides the most complete solution to manage your district's financial and human resources information. Administrators and staff appreciate the vast amount of information that is immediately available with great tools that dramatically simplify their daily work.

### What makes Skyward different?

Our **long term value** is proven with a solution that exceeds your needs now and in the future at a cost that fits within your budget, combined with our exceptional retention rate that provides confidence it is a solid long-term investment.

Powerful **data analysis and state reporting,** including robust, ad-hoc reporting how you want to see it, when you need it. Plus, we are unmatched in meeting all your state and federal reporting needs.

At its core, our solution is **communication driven**, which promotes interaction between employees and administration so you can be rest assured that all your data is up-to-date and accurate.

Lastly, our customers appreciate the **easy to learn**, powerful, intuitive solution that eliminates the anxiety of learning a new system and is backed by a company-direct support team that is the best in the industry.

Skyward is the only **complete solution** for all your needs from the classroom to the board room. Pick the K-12 administrative software that is always available and has the capability to manage all your needs in one solution.



### An investment you can depend on for great returns.

Managing your district's operations can be a complex and difficult task.

Investing in Skyward's School Business Suite offers a solution that eliminates the hassles with robust tools to handle everything from managing your budget, generating state reports, to tracking your personnel records all within a cost-effective solution.

Combined with our responsive customer service and continuous enhancements to meet your future needs,

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**Employee Administration** 

- Employee Management

Position Control Groups

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Position Control

Assignments

Custom Program

- Position Request

My New Hire Requests

New Hire Request History Custom Programming

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Skyward School Business Suite is an investment that you can count on for great returns.

Skyward districts appreciate being able to access their software using their laptop, tablet, or even phone.

See what else Skyward customers have to say at youtube.com/SkywardK12

Our district saved a lot of money just by switching to Skyward. Our prior software was expensive and very complex. Skyward is very user friendly and serves our needs better than the software we used previously.

Kay Feller, accountant Verona Area School District, WI

- Numerous paperless options to reduce costs and improve operational efficiency.
  - Completely integrated solution that eliminates redundant entry.
  - Powerful, user-defined reporting for all your needs.
  - Employee portal for 24/7 access to valuable information for employees.
  - Comprehensive position control tools for managing your staffing needs.
  - Extensive list of optional tools such as time and attendance, applicant processing, and benefit management to cover all your needs.





### Get the information you need when you need it - including ALL your required state reports.

Analysis and reporting must be simple, yet powerful. They must also be up-to-the-minute, otherwise your results are immediately obsolete.

Skyward's reporting and analysis tools are intuitive, powerful, and thorough, so that you can find all the information you need without having to sort through pages of extraneous data. Plus, you get the best state reporting system available to assure that all your mandated submissions will be error-free and on time.

Get answers to your questions and have confidence in the results with Skyward's School Business Suite.

All your state and federal reports are included with the press of a button. See the list of your state reports at www.skyward.com.

I can't say enough good things about Skyward and their state reporting group. I have never dealt with a software company that is so committed to making their customers' lives easier.

Jacque Deckard, system administrator Metropolitan School District of Martinsville, IN

- All required state and federal reports are included.
- Powerful data analysis option including graphs with drill down capabilities.
- Calculation options built-in for extensive analysis without needing to learn a complex report writer.
- Fully customizable data mining reports that can be shared or exported to Excel, Word, or OpenOffice.
- Auto email reports for electronic delivery as needed.

# COMMUNICATION DRIVEN

### Manage your internal processes and communication to employees better than ever before.

To be effective, clear communication is crucial. Replace those cumbersome paper-based processes and share-only employee portals with a tool that clears away the clutter and puts a powerful workflow-based tool in the hands of your employees.

Our workflow tools manage the processes and provide instant access to the status of all your activities. Administrators can even evaluate processes to identify bottlenecks.

Open the lines of communication and improve your daily operations while your employees enjoy the wealth of information at their fingertips.

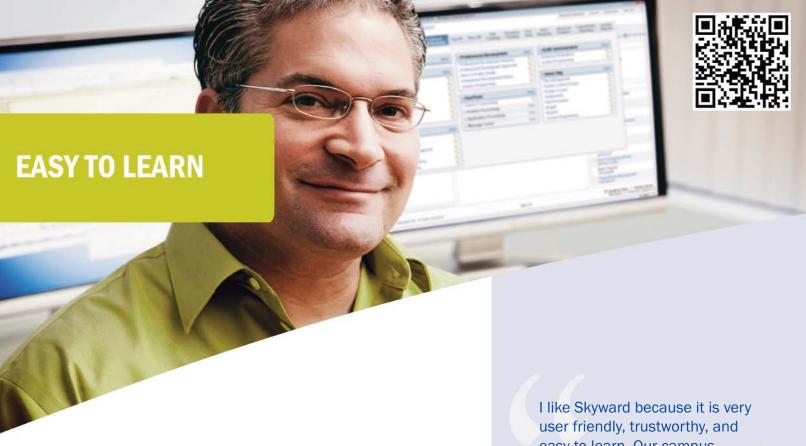
Your employees can see and print copies of their W2 history, paychecks, flex benefits, and more.

I have immediate access to my personal paycheck information allowing me to utilize my time more efficiently in that I do not have to wait on another department to create a report.

Karen Heath, secretary Berrien RESA, MI

- Extensive workflow management options to manage all your internal processes online.
- Employees have instant access to personal information with options to update data, select benefit enrollment, or submit expense reports.
- Decreases disruptions and confusion by tracking all your operational activities in one system.
- Survey and bulletin board options allow for sharing and collecting information online.
- Automated email notifications alert employees to new workflow tasks or status changes.
- SkyPort dashboard provides an employee customizable portal that displays important tasks and information.





### A powerful, intuitive solution that eliminates the anxiety of learning a new system.

Your district needs a solution to be natural for your staff to master and responsive so all your needs are met now and in the future.

From the intuitive design to the powerful reporting tools, Skyward is the solution for easy data entry, access, and analysis.

Plus, your staff will feel at ease with our professionally managed implementation and expert training that ensures everyone is comfortable with the solution's capabilities, all of which are backed up by the best customer service in the industry.

Empower your staff with the most powerful solution available.

I like Skyward because it is very user friendly, trustworthy, and easy to learn. Our campus personnel caught on to Skyward quickly. Even our school board members have heard from campus personnel how much they like Skyward.

Derick Sibley, finance manager Hughes Springs Independent School District, TX

- Intuitive interface that is easy to learn and gives you instant access to all your needs.
- Online support center for 24/7 assistance.
- SmartStart service ensures a smooth implementation.
- Certified customer service support directly from Skyward so your questions are answered quickly and correctly the first time by qualified representatives.
- Patented framework that provides a consistent design throughout the entire application.
- Ongoing enhancements for new state requirements and product evolution based on your needs.



I have been in the school business for over 20 years and have used several types of software. But, by far, Skyward is the absolute best!

Pam Bishop, payroll supervisor Grand Prairie Independent School District, TX Skyward's School Management System 2.0 is the only solution that provides an integrated student, finance, and human resources in one database and is comprised of our award winning Student Management Suite and School Business Suite.

#### **School Business Suite**

Accounts Pavable Accounts Receivable Bid Management **Budget Management Employee Access Employee Evaluation** FastTrack **Fixed Assets** General Ledger Insurance Tracking Inventory Payroll Position Control Purchasing Salary Negotiations School-Based Activity Accounting Substitute Tracking Time & Attendance

#### **Student Management Suite**

Attendance Census/Demographics Curriculum Management Discipline **Educator Access** Extra-Curricular Activities Family & Student Access Fee Management Food Service Gradebook **Graduation Requirements** Health Records Lesson Plans Report Cards & Transcripts Response to Intervention Scheduling Skylert Notification System **Special Education** State Access **Textbook Tracking** 

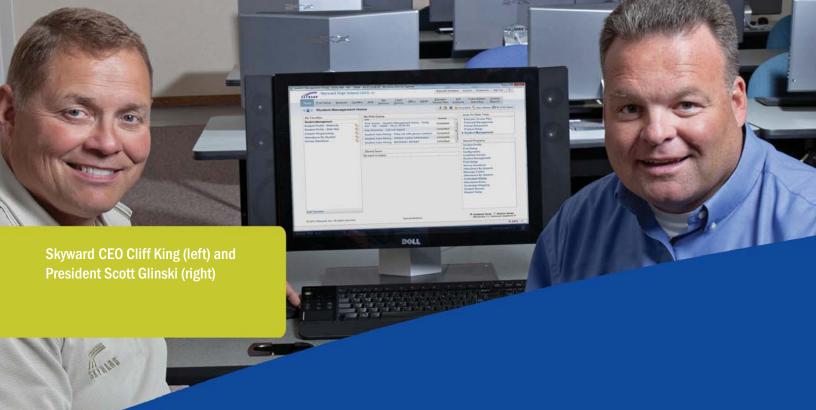
#### **System-wide options**

Data Warehouse SkyPort Dashboard Workflow Processing Data Mining Document Imaging

#### **Additional products & services**

Online refresher training
State user conferences
International user conference
Cloud hosting
Database backup & recovery
Skyward network solutions
Network design & support







Skyward is a leading provider of K-12 school administrative software that surpasses districts' needs in state reporting, improves operational capabilities, and opens communication between schools and families. Today, you can find Skyward's School Management System<sup>TM</sup> in more than 1,500 school districts worldwide ranging from districts with as few as 50 students to state configurations supporting more than 900,000 students. Founded in 1980, Skyward serves school districts with its integrated student, finance, and human resources suite of products and is proudly made and supported in the U.S.A.

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