Skyward has been helping school districts and municipalities improve outcomes, reduce costs, and achieve success since 1980. Skyward’s SIS and ERP solutions are used by more than 1,900 public sector organizations worldwide, from small entities to statewide implementations supporting millions of stakeholders. Through a unique approach that blends thought leadership, best practices, and advanced technology, Skyward is redefining what it means to be a strategic partner in the world of enterprise solutions. To learn more, visit www.skyward.com.

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This unique six-step process ensures your entire project is a success. You’ll meet your deadlines, get your data transferred, and have all your staff trained so they are ready to work on your new Skyward system from day one.

Get ready for a transition that is smooth.

No migration you’ve done in the past measures up.

The move to new technology doesn’t have to be painful. We’ve got a large and experienced team of project managers to make sure you are set up for success. Your data will be ready. Your staff will too.

I am still amazed at what was accomplished in such a short period of time. It was a very positive process and a great move to Skyward.

– Roxie Schafer, Director of Technology at Garden City USD, KS
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You’re not exactly starting from scratch. It’s important for you to be able to take the information you’ve been entering for years and get it into Skyward.

- We’ve done this thousands of times, and we’ve moved new customers off of more than 200 different systems. We got this.
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STEP THREE: OPEN COMMUNICATION

It’s far and away the most important ingredient for implementation success. Here’s what you can expect.

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Skyward’s PROFESSIONALISM AND COMMITMENT to their customers has been consistent and impressive. From sales to project management, we have established relationships that have led to a SUCCESSFUL TRANSITION.

- Kenneth Hanson, Assistant Superintendent at Peru CSD, IN

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STEP FOUR: OVERSIGHT

That project manager we’ve been talking about? That person will be doing more than just staying in touch.

- Your project manager will be a direct line to everyone working on your project - from the programmers to the trainers. Meet your deadlines and maintain your momentum.

STEP FIVE: TRAINING

A comfortable, confident staff is far more important to your success than any technological advancement.

- Your new Professional Development Center will serve as the go-to for training and development. Your staff can learn on its own time and in its own way.

During our conversion our project manager started us on our PLAN FOR SUCCESS.

His game plan of onsite and online training along with an implementation schedule made the conversion easy for us.

—Cory Kaisler, IT Support at Hortonville School District, WI
The last thing you want is to feel like you’ve been left to sink or swim on your own.

• Along with our extensive training, documentation, and community, we’ve got a whole bunch of friendly staff waiting to help you out via the phone, the web, and even live chat.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CENTER is the ultimate resource for training, refreshing and referring staff in your district.

SUPPORT OPTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS

WHAT’S BEST FOR YOU?

Gold Package
39 hours for student suite (0 to 10,000 students)
45 hours for business suite (0 to 5,000 students)
Preliminary data review via the web
Complete database set up document

Platinum Package
81 hours and 3 onsite days for student suite (10,000 to 30,000 students)
97 hours and 3 onsite days for business suite (5,000 to 30,000 students)
Systems overview meetings
Demonstration of module areas
Data migration action plan
On-site consulting

Diamond Package
122 hours and 9 onsite days for student suite (30,000+ students)
137 hours and 9 onsite days for business suite (30,000+ students)
In-depth system review
Customized training agenda
Development of quick-start guides

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