

Seminole County Public School District

AT A GLANCE



The Seminole County Public School District’s infrastructure supports multiple schools in Florida. The district’s IT and systems administrators wanted to provide school officials, teachers, students, and parents with up-to-date reporting for the school year. Deploying Skyward, powered by Progress® OpenEdge®, and Progress® OpenEdge® Pro2™, a data replication solution providing access to data from OpenEdge applications, the district has made access to educational resources easy.

COMPANY Seminole County Public School District	INDUSTRY Education
PRODUCT Progress OpenEdge	COUNTRY United States

Challenge

Faced with an extensive infrastructure where running multiple applications created problems, the Seminole County Public School District wanted to utilize a new educational database management system and replication solution.

“Replicating a SQL database (with Pro2), enabling that particular server to be the one the other applications tap into took the load off of our student production and worked flawlessly. Honestly, it kind of saved our bacon”

Tom Condo
Supervisor, I.S. Operations, Seminole County Public Schools

Solution



Implement new online enrollment application within Skyward, powered by Progress OpenEdge



Build a SQL database to stabilize the school district’s database and enable students and teachers to pull information directly from the school.



Utilize OpenEdge Pro2 for database replication to keep information up-to-date and easy to report on

Results



Saves 10-12 hours a week from management and troubleshooting, enabling IT to focus on more time-sensitive and strategic tasks



Students and parents can use the improved system to receive notifications and review assignments, grades, and attendance records



The entire user base has been positive about their experience using Skyward



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