



Web-based Reporting Form

User Access Instructions

Fiscal Year 08/09

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Accessing FY 08/09 Web-based Forms (First-time Users)

Log in instructions (first-time users)

This section displays the opening “Log In” or entry page and lists the steps to access the Annual Report, School Readiness and Power of Preschool reporting forms.

Note: The county Executive Director must grant access to the system by e-mailing confirmation to evaluation@ccfc.ca.gov.

The system issues first-time users a temporary password and users must create a permanent password the first time they log-in using the following instructions:

Step	Action
1	Log onto the Internet by selecting the icon representing your Internet browser. Examples: Microsoft Internet Explorer (IE), Firefox, etc.
2	Access the Annual Report Log-In page by typing www.first5eval.com in the address bar. Click ‘Go’ or hit the enter key
3	Select the “Data and Reporting Tools” tab
4	Select “Annual Report Web-based Reporting System Application”
5	If you reach a screen that reads “ There is a problem with this Web site's security certificate. ” Please continue by selecting “ Continue to this Web site (not recommended) ”
6	The “Log In” window (example located below) appears on the right side of the screen. In this window, enter your User Name and Temporary Password

FIRST 5 CALIFORNIA

Welcome to First 5 California's new Web-based Reporting System!

This online service allows First 5 county commissions to submit Annual Report, School Readiness and Power of Preschool data via the internet. In addition to these new Web-based forms, we reformatted our Annual Report and School Readiness Guidelines, and created a new Power of Preschool Reporting Handbook. Together, these tools fully support First 5 county commission Annual Report, School Readiness and Power of Preschool data reporting requirements. We hope you find the forms and guidelines instructive and easy to use.

If you have any questions on Annual Report or School Readiness reporting, please contact the Institute for Social Research at (800) 311-4905 or isr-02@csus.edu.

All other questions (including those on Power of Preschool reporting) may be submitted in writing to evaluation@ccfc.ca.gov.

Log In

User Name:

Password:

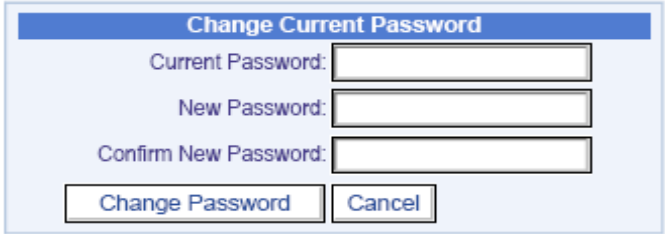
[Forgot Password](#)

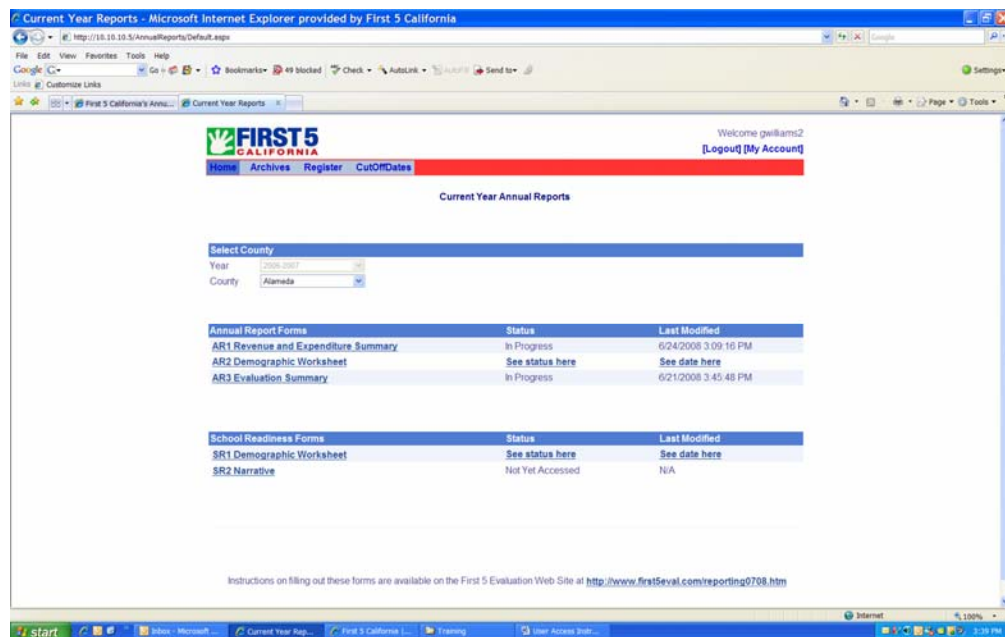
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Accessing FY 08/09 Web-based Forms (First-time Users) (First-time Users), Continued

Create a permanent password – first-time users

All first-time users must create a permanent password using the following process:


Step	Action
1	The system requires first time users to update their password upon entry to the system; the “Change Current Password” screen will display: 
2	Enter your current (temporary) password.
3	Create and enter your new (permanent) password. The password is case sensitive and must have at least 7 characters and include one symbol
4	Confirm (re-enter) your new password
5	Press the “Change Password” button
6	System will confirm your password has been updated
7	Upon successful log in, the system displays the “Home Page” titled “Current Year Annual Reports” (example located on following page)



Accessing FY 08/09 Web-based Forms (Subsequent Users)

Accessing the forms (subsequent users)

This following explains the steps subsequent users must use to access the Annual Report, School Readiness and Power of Preschool forms:


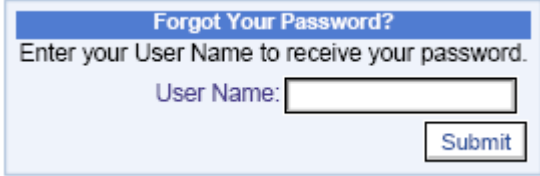
Step	Action
1	Log onto the Internet by selecting the icon representing your Internet browser. Examples: Microsoft Internet Explorer (IE), Firefox, etc.
2	Access the AR Log In page by typing www.first5eval.com in the address bar; click 'Go' or hit the enter key
3	Select the "Data and Reporting Tools" tab
4	Select "Annual Report Web-based Reporting System Application"
5	Enter User Name and Password into appropriate fields. 
6	Click Log In

How to Get a New Password

Getting a new password

After five unsuccessful attempts to log into the system, the system will lock the user out. The user must obtain a new password. This section describes how to obtain a new password. The following message appears if you have entered an incorrect password:


The following table provides instructions on how to create a new password:

Step	Action
1	Click on the “Forgot Password” link 
2	Enter your User Name in the field and press Submit 
3	The following message will appear: <p style="text-align: center;">Temporary password has been sent to your registered e-mail address.</p> <p>Note: System will notify User via e-mail that the password has been changed</p>
4	Retrieve the new temporary password from the registered e-mail account
5	Log in to the system again, using the temporary password. Users will be instructed to create a new (permanent) password upon log in following “Log In Instructions (First Time Users)”
6	Go to www.first5eval.com to log in with User ID and new temporary password

Updating User Information

Changing user information

Users who would like to change their contact information (e-mail address and/or phone number) may use the following process:

Step	Action
1	When logged-in to system and at the "Home" page, click on "My Account" link located on the upper-right side of the Web page
2	Click on "Edit Contact Info" link located on top of the current User information
3	Update contact information (i.e., Phone Number, E-Mail) in respective field 
4	Click Update
5	Information will be updated and stored in the system
6	Whether changes are made or discarded, User is redirected back to the "Home" page

Logging Out of Annual Report Site

Log out procedures

Users must use the following process to log out of the system:

Step	Action
1	Click the "Logout" link on any page, located in the upper-right side corner next to the "My Account" link
2	Upon system logout, the "Entry Page" is displayed
3	After 45 minutes of inactivity, system automatically invalidates session and user is logged out Note: Upon automatic logout due to inactivity, any information entered without saving will be lost; please be sure to save your data often

Annual Report Data Entry, Saving, and Submission

Submitting annual report data The following table lists the steps for entering, saving and submitting data:

Step	Action
1	Upon log in, "Home Page" lists Annual Report, School Readiness and Power of Preschool forms to complete for the report submission, along with a status of the form ("Not Yet Accessed", "In Progress" or "Submitted") and a Last Modified date
2	Click desired form; for AR-2 and SR-1 forms, select the form name, and proceed to the following screen to select a new result/service specific form, or existing form
3	Fill in information in respective fields Note: In the event invalid data is entered, the system will inform the User of what needs to be corrected and returns the User back to the form to correct mistakes
4	On forms which are only one page in length, to save entered data, click "Save" at the bottom of the screen On forms which are multiple pages in length, and to navigate between pages, click "Save & Next" (to navigate to the following page) or click "Save & Back" (to navigate to the previous page) at the bottom of the screen; for AR-1 result/service detail windows, click "Save" and then "Close" to return to the form; navigating forms using the "Back" arrow on your Internet browser will not save data to the system and will cause data entered to be lost
5	Navigate between forms using the "Home" link at the top left of each screen.; navigate between multiple pages of a single form using the "Save & Next" and "Save & Back" buttons at the bottom of the screen.
6	Data entered and saved is accessible via subsequent log ins, and for other county users

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Annual Report Data Entry, Saving, and Submission, Continued

Submitting annual report data (continued)

Step	Action
7	<p>When all changes have been made and data is in final form, data is submitted by agreeing to the following language and entering the submitting User's certification info (below):</p> <p>“I hereby certify the information submitted herein is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I further certify that I have the authority to submit this information. I make these certifications via my electronic signature, which is affixed hereto.”</p> <div data-bbox="727 743 976 919" style="text-align: center;"><p>Name <input type="text"/></p><p>Phone <input type="text"/></p><p>E-Mail <input type="text"/></p><p><input type="button" value="Submit"/></p></div> <p>When data entry is complete, click “Submit”</p>
8	<p>Upon successful form submission, system will notify user</p> <p>“Your (Form Name) has been successfully submitted. Thank you.”</p> <p>The “Home Page” will reflect the form's submitted status and date</p>

Viewing and Printing Forms

Viewing and printing submitted forms

The table below specifies the steps to view and print submitted forms:

Step	Action
1	Upon log in, "Home Page" lists Annual Report and School Readiness forms to complete for the report submission, along with a status of the form ("Not Yet Accessed", "In Progress" or "Submitted") and a Last Modified date.
2	Click desired form.
3	Inputted/submitted data is viewable by opening the form.
4	Click the "Print" button at the end of the form.
5	To print your complete (before or after submission) report, use the "Select a Format" drop-down menu to select your preferred format (Adobe PDF provides the highest quality) and click the "Export" button.
6	The output will then be displayed and can be printed from the selected application.
7	Upon successful printing of your form, please click the "Back" button to return to the "Home Page."

Report Re-Submission

Editing and resubmitting forms

After a user submits a form, they can edit and resubmit an updated form. All editing and resubmitting must occur prior to November 1, 2009. The following table specifies the process for resubmitting a form:

Step	Action
1	Open submitted report to be edited and resubmitted.
2	Click on "Resubmit" button in top right of form (For forms of multiple page length, "Resubmit" button is located on the first page)
3	Form will be unlocked, and data will again be editable for the User.
4	User may update/change data previously entered. As prior to submission, data must be saved using the "Save", "Save & Back", or "Save & Next" buttons. When editing is complete, users may resubmit the form using the procedure described in the "Annual Report Data Entry, Saving and Submitting Section"
