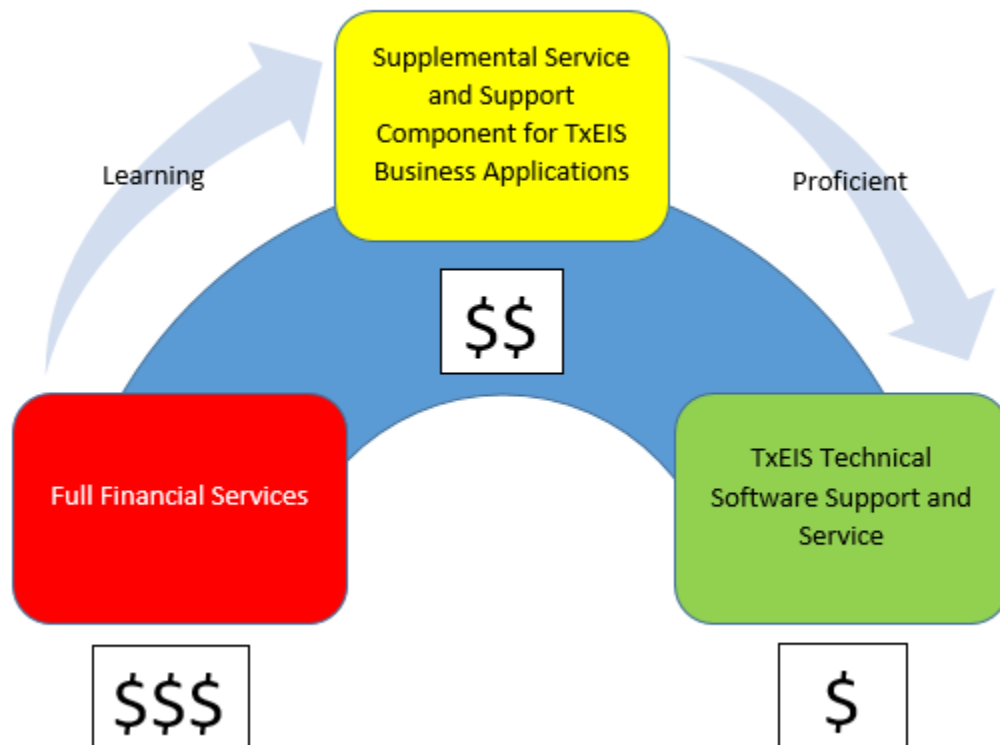


TxEIS and Texas Student Data System (TSDS) – Value Added in 2019-2020

1. ESC Region 15 will now pay for all Sybase licenses and license upgrades (saving districts @ \$6000 plus time and effort for billing and payment)
2. ESC Region 15 now invites all members of your LEA TxEIS teams to our training sessions – bring all of your TxEIS team members (Registrars, Attendance Clerks, Counselors, Principals, Assistant Principals, Teacher Gradebook Coordinator, Payroll Specialist, HR Specialist, Accounts Payable/Receivable, Business Manager, etc...) as needed depending on the topics to be covered. You no longer have to gather documents, make copies, and repeat a training that you have attended in a train-the-trainer model.
3. ESC Region 15 now officially offers a full spectrum of Business office services. See diagram below.
4. ESC 15 absorbed a 20% price increase 2018-2019. All LEAs paid the same price in 2018-2019 as they paid in 2017-2018. (saving districts @ \$46,000)
5. ESC 15 will absorb most of a 10% price increase for 2019-2020 (saving districts @ \$15,000)
6. ESC Region 15 will be adding a TxEIS Business consultant (pending new Supplemental Services clients)
7. ESC Region 15 will be adding a new TSDS consultant to help with the new TSDS data submissions in 2019-2020.
8. ESC Region 15 discontinued the TxEIS fees for Co-ops (saving districts @ \$17,000)

Supplemental Service and Support component for TxEIS Business Applications



The **Supplemental Service and Support component for TxEIS Business Applications** add-on will allow clients to have access to in-depth, specific, and comprehensive service, support, and consulting services related to business information system management, payroll, bank reconciliation, and school finance processing.

- **A new service** for the 2019-2020 school year.

- When full business office services for payroll processing, bank reconciliations, and finance accounting are not quite necessary, **Supplemental Business Service and Support for TxEIS Business Applications** can help bridge the learning gap for new or inexperienced business office employees as well as share the workload of a school business office with ESC Region 15 TxEIS Business consultants in a cooperative effort of learning and efficiency.

Perfect for an LEA with a payroll or accounts payable employee who is still growing into the position.

Ideal for those LEAs who are not able to allow school business office personnel to attend face to face training at ESC Region 15 because they must have someone in the business office at all times.

This component serves as the middle phase of support by:

1. Transitioning LEA business office personnel from full reliance on the **ESC Region 15 Finance Services team**, to
2. Sharing responsibilities with ESC Region 15 Data Services TxEIS Business consultants in a hands-on learning process with **Supplemental Service and Support**, and then to
3. Full self-reliance on **LEA knowledge and responsibility** for business office processing with appropriate technical software service and support from Region 15 Data Services ESC TxEIS Business consultants.

Included with Supplemental Service and Support for TxEIS Business Applications component:

- 6 onsite visits and 6 workdays at ESC Region 15 (one face-to-face meeting each month)
- Additional training, retraining of new/additional school personnel at no additional charge
- Assistance with processes and procedures associated with information management and data processing as part of the overall organizational structure
- In-depth, specific, and comprehensive service and support of business office topics not related to the use of TxEIS software
- In-depth analysis, explanation, interpretation, and support for non-software publications and processes such as Texas Education Code, Texas Administrative Code, To the Administrator Addressed letters, FASRG/FAR Guide, TRS TEAM, IRS reporting, structuring business processes and procedures
- Examples of topics covered by this component include training, assistance, and consulting service with:
 - o payroll processing,
 - o accounts payable maintenance,
 - o bank reconciliations,
 - o business office and records management strategies,
 - o journal entries,
 - o TRS reconciliation,
 - o ACA reporting,
 - o Audit preparation, and
 - o Audit reconciliation