2020-21 School Year
- CalSAAS – Assignment Monitoring
  o Weekly Office Hours – Monday’s 2:00 – 3:00
- Information Day/Census Day October 7, 2020
- Fall 1 Certification deadline is December 18, 2020
  o The CDE will use the Fall 1 data that LEAs approve by the December 18, 2020 certification deadline for the First Principal Apportionment (P-1) calculations
  o LEAs that approve their Fall 1 submission by the deadline will be able to view the preliminary Unduplicated Pupil Count (UPC) that will be used to calculate the supplemental and concentration grant funding under the Local Control Funding Formula for P-1
- Amendment deadline is January 29, 2021
  o The CDE will then use the data LEAs certify or re-certify by the close of the Amendment Window, January 29, 2021, for Second Principal Apportionment (P-2) calculations
- CDE’s recommendation is to have LEA’s first approval completed by November 20, 2020. SELPA will then give the second approval.
- LCFF Eligibility Dates are Different This Year Due to COVID-19
  o NSLP program start date may be on or before December 31, 2020
    ▪ LEAs cannot collect NSLP applications in 2020–21, they must collect Alternative Household Income Forms. LEAs are reminded that such forms are only needed for students who would not otherwise be identified as a student that qualifies to be counted in the UPC
    ▪ If you have collected NSLP applications from the beginning of the school year; you are allowed to use them. Moving forward it should only be the Alternative Household Income Form.
  o Direct Certification will include any student certified between July 2, 2020 to January 2, 2021
  o English Learner ELPAC testing up to December 31, 2020
- New Education Program Code 307 – LIP – Parent Opted Out of EL Program. This code is defined as “The local educational agency (LEA) is not providing any instructional services designed for English learners because the parent of this English learner has opted this student out of EL services. The LEA maintains a record of the action to demonstrate the parents have chosen to opt out of such services.”

Upcoming Trainings/User Group Meetings
- Aeries User Group Meeting
  o January 20th
  o 10:00 – 12:00
  o ZOOM
- SchoolWise User Group Meeting
  o January 20th
  o 1:00 – 3:00
  o ZOOM