



## **IHaveaPlanIowa.org Release Notes**

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## ***RELEASE NOTES SUMMARY***

These release notes detail the product improvements and new features included in the December 17th release.

### **Resolved Issues** (formerly improvement report)

- Pages within the Professional Center which require a professional administrator account to access could be accessed by changing the URL. The pages now verify that the account trying to access the page has the appropriate permissions and license.
- Some postsecondary school profiles were displaying the total number of students incorrectly (the number was correct but was breaking across two lines). The formatting has been fixed.

### **Enhanced & New Features**

- Five assessments and the Career Plan Builder activity are now available as annually trackable activities.
- The data for over 4,000 undergraduate school has been updated with the most recent information from Wintergreen Orchard House.

## 1. RESOLVED ISSUES

This table summarizes the product improvements included in the December 17th release.

	Problem	Improvement
1	<b>District and Local Professional Center:</b> Pages within the Professional Center which require a professional administrator account to access could be accessed by changing the URL. (78857)	The code was fixed so the pages now verify that the account trying to access the page has the appropriate permissions and license.
2	<b>Student Center:</b> Within the college profiles, the total number of students attending a college was displaying incorrectly. The number was breaking across two lines. (78983)	The formatting on all the postsecondary profile pages was fixed so that the total number of students displays correctly.

## 2. NEW ANNUALIZED ACTIVITIES

To improve reporting and tracking functionality, six activities which were trackable but NOT trackable on an annual basis have been updated to be trackable annually. This enables counselors and administrators to accurately track the completion of activities in multiple years (for example, completing the Interest Profiler in grades 9 and 11).

Educators creating or updating a curriculum using the Assignment & Curriculum Builder can now choose to track the completion of any of the following activities annually, once, or never.

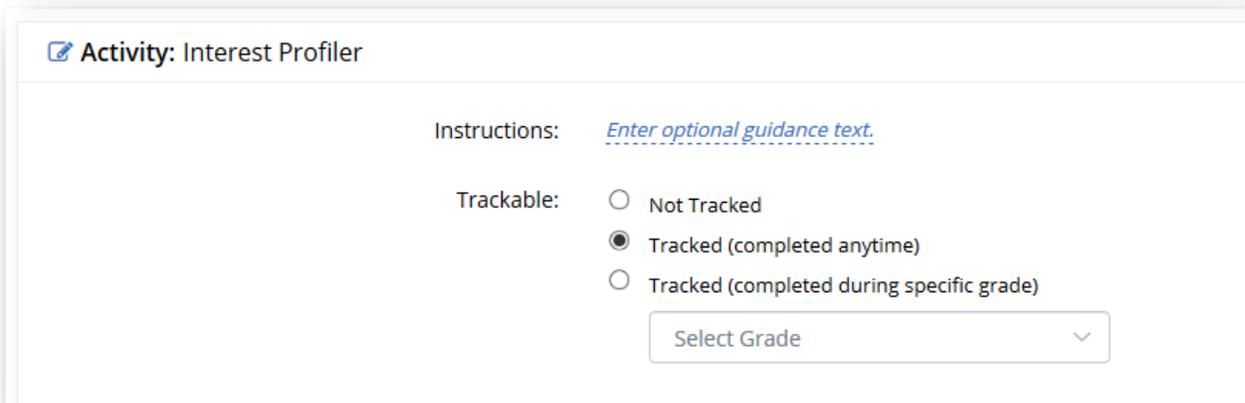
- Interest Profiler
- Career Cluster Survey
- Basic Skills Survey
- Transferable Skills Checklist
- Work Values Sorter
- Career Plans (Career Plan Builder)

### ACTION REQUIRED

If you have used these activities within a curriculum, you can easily update their tracking from Tracked (completed anytime) to Tracked (completed during a specific grade).

To change the activity to track annually, sign into the Professional Center, select Administration, then click on Assignment & Curriculum Builder. Click on the curriculum you are using and then update the individual activities (see screenshot below).

Any tracking reports generated after this release on curriculum that includes the newly annualized activities (which have been set to track annually) will indicate the completion status activities of December 18, 2018.



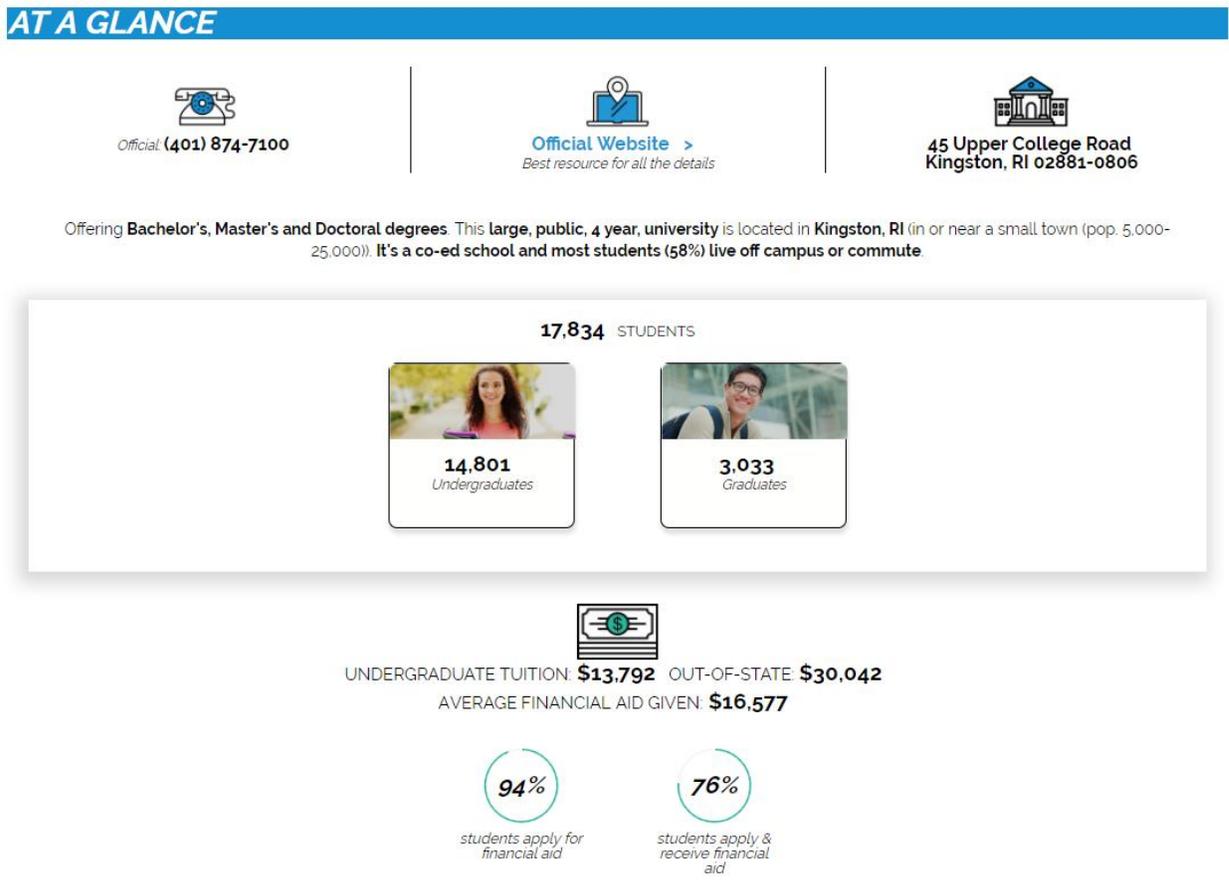
The screenshot shows a user interface for editing an activity. At the top, it says "Activity: Interest Profiler" with a pencil icon. Below this, there is a section for "Instructions:" with a link that says "Enter optional guidance text." Underneath, there is a "Trackable:" section with three radio button options: "Not Tracked", "Tracked (completed anytime)" (which is selected), and "Tracked (completed during specific grade)". Below these options is a dropdown menu labeled "Select Grade" with a downward arrow.

*Activity tracking options*

### 3. UPDATED UNDERGRADUATE DATA

The profile information used by students to explore colleges has been updated for more than 4,000 undergraduate schools with the latest information from Wintergreen Orchard House. The update includes:

- Revised list of programs for each school (mapped to the 2010 Classification of Instructional Programs)
- Refreshed tuition and admissions information, basic school data such as links to a school's website, contact information, enrollment figures, and more.



*A sample of the data that was refreshed*