

## **PEARSON AIMSWEB 1.0 DATA BREACH ANNOUNCEMENT**

On July 24, 2019, Joliet Public Schools District 86 was notified of a student data breach that happened to a District 86 software vendor (Pearson). In addition to District 86, multiple other school districts were subject to this data breach.

In November 2018, a third party gained unauthorized access to a set of data related to the Pearson AIMSweb 1.0 assessment platform. The affected data is limited to student names and birth dates. We have no reason to believe that any other private data was accessed during the breach.

No grade or assessment information was affected in this incident and the Pearson AIMSweb 1.0 platform does not contain Social Security numbers or any financial information.

Joliet Public Schools District 86 ceased use of the Pearson AIMSweb 1.0 platform on 06/30/2019 and has migrated to a new assessment platform for this purpose.