



Student Mobility Initiative: eTranscript Initiative

The Tennessee Higher Education Commission (THEC) released a Request for Proposals in the summer of 2015 to procure an online system that facilitates the electronic movement of transcript data between K-12 and higher education sectors and for the purpose of verifying students' eligibility for the Tennessee Education Lottery Scholarship (TELS) awards. Through that process, THEC selected the National Student Clearinghouse to serve as the state's electronic transcript vendor. The eTranscript was made available to higher education institutions in fall 2016.

The Tennessee Electronic Transcript Exchange is operated by the National Student Clearinghouse, and the Tennessee Higher Education Commission. The National Student Clearinghouse is a nonprofit organization founded by the higher education community in 1993 and the largest provider of electronic student record exchanges and postsecondary transcript ordering services in the U.S.

Through Tennessee's Electronic Transcript Exchange, high schools and school districts can securely exchange transcripts with each other and send transcripts to postsecondary institutions.

The transcripts are delivered in minutes to any Tennessee college, e*GRandS for Tennessee Education Lottery Scholarship eligibility, and other third parties. The transcript exchange can expedite the college admissions process and scholarship applications, and give students an easy way to access their transcripts.

To date participation by TICUA member institutions has been very limited. If you would like additional information about the eTranscript please contact Diane Berty, VP, TICUA 615-242-6400 x203 or berty@ticua.org.