# School Data Analyser - Version 5335 Update – 20/06/2017

This will update **School Data Analyser** to **v5335** from **v5322 or later.**

***NOTE: If you are using an earlier version than 5322, you must install all older updates first.***

Main changes in v5323-5335:

1. **NEW - *Assessments*** feature added to ***Grades*** section of main menu screen. This is used to enter class test marks and to assist with resetting students dependant on test results.
2. **IMPROVED** - ***SDA Logins*** analysis charts showing total logins & time logged in by month / term / staff etc
3. **NEW -** report showing ***Top 20 SDA users*** for various time periods
4. **NEW** – ***database SQL search*** feature – for ***DEVELOPERS*** only
5. Various other performance improvements & minor bug fixes

Update Instructions

1. Download and run the update file ***SDA5335Update.exe.***

This should be done on the computer where ***SQL Server*** is installed

**You will need to enter the licence key supplied for School Data Analyser**

Please email [support@mendipdatasystems.co.uk](mailto:support@mendipdatasystems.co.uk) if you have mislaid the licence key.

1. The update contains a SQL Server script file: ***SQL\_ALTERTables\_SDA5335.sql*** (in ***SQLServerScripts*** folder)

Open this filein ***SQL Server*** and execute it.

**This MUST be done BEFORE running the rest of the program update**

1. The update contains the latest versions of:

***SDA.accdb / SDAUpdater.accdb / SDA Modifications.docx / version.txt***

These files will be saved to the ***administrator’s program folder.***

NOTE: Your existing SDA files will first be automatically copied to the folder ***C:\Programs\MendipDataSystems\SDA\Previous Version*** & can be used for recovery in case of problems

1. Relink the program file ***SDA.accdb*** for your school network & check it is working correctly

Close the program file ***SDA.accdb***.

1. Reopen the program file ***SDA.accdb*** from the desktop shortcut.

Click **Exit** at the login screen. This will ensure the database window is hidden to other users

1. **Copy** the 3 files ***SDA.accdb, SDAUpdater.accdb*** *and* ***version.txt*** to the **Upgrade** folder so these are available to all users. The existing files with the same name should be overwritten.
2. The update also contains:

* **1** new DOCX Word template file in **Detebntion Templates** folder
* **3** new PDF documentation files in ***Documentation*** folder
* **15** new / updated GIF image files in ***Images*** folder (used in ***SDA Help*** feature)

These files will be automatically moved to the same subfolders in the ***CommonFiles*** folder on the network

**IMPORTANT :**

* Do NOT run SDA.accdb *or* SDAUpdater.accdb from the Upgrade folder
* The files SDA\_BE.accdb / SDAAutoKickout.accdb / SDAUndoKickout.accdb are ONLY needed by the program administrator. Do NOT copy these 3 files to the Upgrade folder

Please email [support@mendipdatasystems.co.uk](mailto:support@mendipdatasystems.co.uk) if you have any problems with this update

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After updating SDA to version 5335

1. Check the default setting for the ***Room Bookings*** feature (if this is in use)

– ***Administrator / Attendance Register & Booking Options / Manage Booking Systems***

Then click the ‘***Edit Number of Weeks for Room Bookings’*** button

To remove classes for students on study leave (Y11/13) in June/July from the room bookings form, the combo box ‘***Clear booking slots used by Y11 classes?***’ should be set to ***Yes***

NOTE:

This ensures that those year groups are ***excluded in June / July - BUT are included from Sept – May***

Return to the ***‘Book a School Room’***  form on the main menu

Confirm that the classes are displayed as required.

1. OPTIONAL - Enable the new **Assessments** feature if you want to use it:

– ***Administrator / Edit Program Constants / Edit Program Features***

Then set the ***Assessments*** combo box value to ***Yes***

This will add several new assessment items to the Main Menu screen

For further details, see the supplied PDF documentation file ***Using the Assessments Feature.pdf***

This can be opened by selecting ***Manage Assessment Mark Types*** then clicking the ***View Help*** button

1. Download and install ***SDA Link*** version 565

This includes code to transfer assessment marks for student leavers