

Requisition Entry Guide

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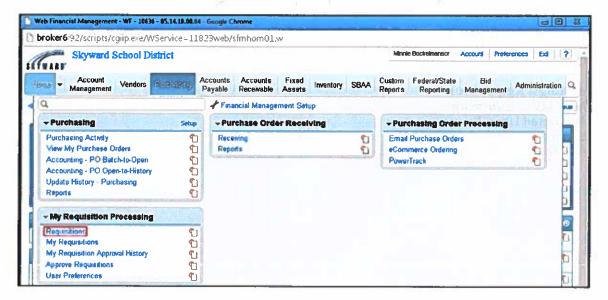
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Purchase Order Requisitions are entered by employees and go through an approval process based on the Requisition/Purchase Order Group setup. Once requisitions are fully approved they are automatically changed to batch status purchase orders and are available for updating and printing. To find Requisitions navigate to Web Financial Management > Purchasing > My Requisition Processing > Requisitions.



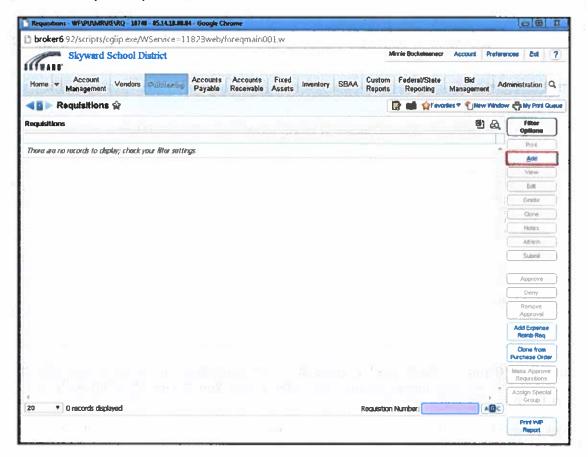


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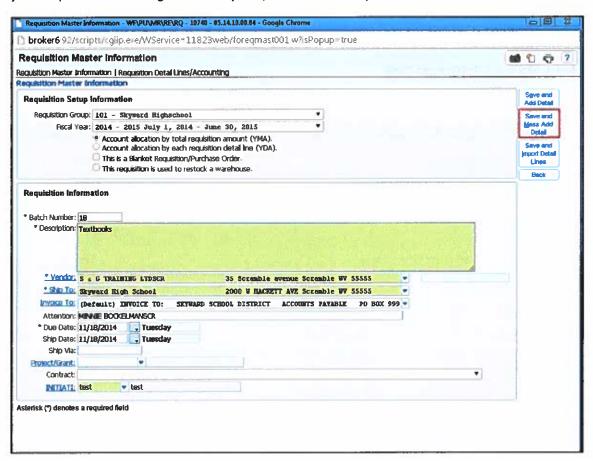
Add Master Information

To add a Requisition, click Add.





The Requisition Master Information screen will allow you to enter the general information for your requisition including the Description, Vendor and Ship To.



Requisition Group - Choose the PO Group that your requisition is to be associated with. If you belong to more than one active purchase order group, you can use the drop down to select the correct group.

Fiscal year – If more than one Fiscal Year is active, you can use the drop-down to choose the correct fiscal year for the requisition being entered.

Accounting Allocation - Choose whether you want to enter a YMA Requisition (accounting allocation by the master amount) or a YDA requisition (accounting allocation by each detail line). You also can choose if the purchase order is a Blanket Requisition (no detail lines), or if the requisition is used to stock a warehouse (this option is only used in the Inventory module). These options may be limited or not available depending on your configurations.

Batch Number – The system can default in a batch number; if the field is blank enter a batch number as it is a required field. The batch number allows Purchasing to group purchase orders together for updating and processing. Oftentimes, the date or employee initials are used as batch numbers.



Description – Enter an overall description of what is being requested for this Requisition. You will have a chance to enter a description on each detail line as well, so this should be a general description.

Vendor – Start typing the name of your vendor and select it from the list of vendors or use the Vendor link to access a listing of vendors to choose from.

Ship To – This field can be defaulted in with possible Ship To addresses based on configuration settings. If the field is blank, starting typing the name of the location where the items being purchased should be shipped to and select it from the vendor listing. If it is not in the vendor listing, it must be added there first.

Invoice To – This typically defaults to your default invoice address. If you setup more than one Invoice To address in configurations, you will be able to choose from a drop-down list.

Attention - Enter the name of the employee that the requisition is for.

Due Date – The Due Date defaults in as today's date, but can be changed if needed. The Due Date should indicate the date the requisition is needed. This is typically left as the current date as an indication that it is required as soon as possible.

Ship Date – The Ship Date defaults in as today's date, but can be changed if needed. The Ship Date should indicate the date the requisition should be shipped by the vendor.

Ship Via - This field can be filled out with your preferred carrier if desired.

Project/Grant – If you are using project/grant codes and the requisition pertains to one, the project/grant can be selected here.

Contract – If you are tracking contracts you can enter a contract here, or based on your configurations one may default in if it is connected to the vendor used on the requisition.

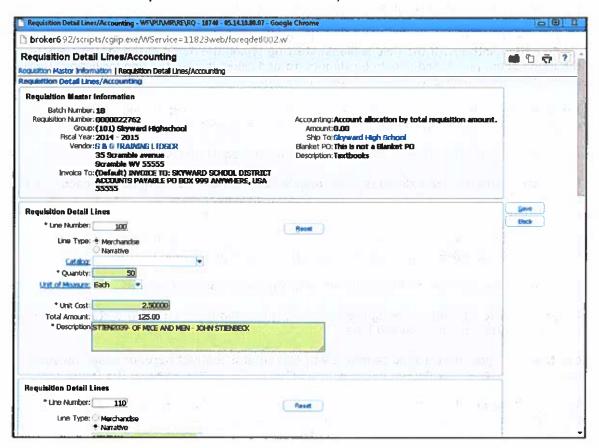
User Defined Fields – Up to three different user defined fields may appear at the bottom of the screen. These fields allow you to associate information with the requisition when it cannot be tracked in any other location within the normal Requisition add process.

Once these fields are filled out, click either 'Save and Add Detail' if you only have one line of detail, or 'Save and Mass Add Detail' if you have more than one line of detail, or 'Save and Import Detail Lines' if you have a file to import. The import file must be setup under Web Financial Management > Administration > Skybuild > Imports. In this example, I will Save and Mass Add Detail.



Add Detail Lines/Narratives

The Requisition Detail Lines/Accounting screen will display a summary of the information entered on the first screen in the Request Master Information section at the top of the screen. Five blank Requisition Detail Lines will follow, which can be filled out and saved.



Line Number – The first line number will default to 100 and will increment by 10 for each line. Detail lines will appear on the purchase order in numerical order. This number can be manipulated if you need to move a detail line up or down.

Line Type – There are two options available for Line Type. Use the merchandise line type to order items. Use the Narrative Line type to type a message to the vendor in the form of a narrative code or free form text in the Description field. (Adding a narrative line is covered later in this section.)

Catalog – If this vendor has a catalog loaded into Skyward, choose the item from the catalog listing. Even if you do not have a catalog loaded into Skyward, this field can be used to enter the part number of the item you are ordering. The availability of the catalog field is based on a configuration setting.

Quantity - Enter the quantity of the item you need to purchase.



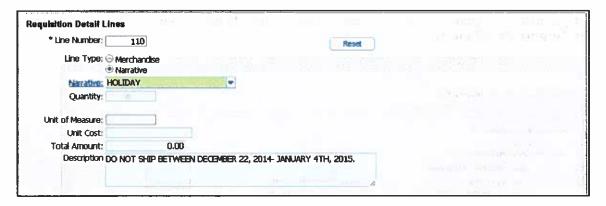
Unit of Measure – Either choose the Unit of Measure from the drop-down list or type a unit of measure into this field.

Unit Cost - Enter the cost of each unit being ordered.

Total Amount - The system will calculate the total cost of the line item.

Description – Enter a detailed description of the item you are ordering.

If mass adding, you can move on to the next detail line on the screen. If finished, click **Save.**



To add a **Narrative Line**, change the Line Type to Narrative. Narratives can be added into the system using the Narrative link. If they are currently set up in the system they can be selected by using the drop down box next to **Narrative**, or you can leave the Narrative code blank and free-form type your narrative in the Description Box of the detail line.



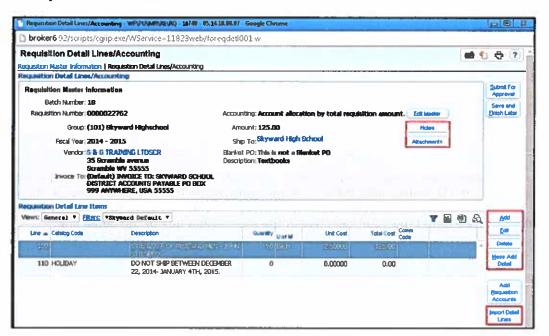
Summary Screen

After your detail lines have been saved, you will be brought to the 'Requisition Detail Lines/Accounting' summary screen. You will be able to view your Requisition Master Information and edit it if necessary. You will also see a listing of your detail/narrative lines.

Click **Notes** or **Attachments** in order to add either internal notes or scanned attachments to the requisition.

If you need to **add**, **edit**, **delete**, or **mass add detail** line items, you can use the corresponding buttons on the right side of the screen to continue working with the detail lines.

If you setup a Skybuild import for your Requisition detail lines, you will also see the option to Import Detail Lines.





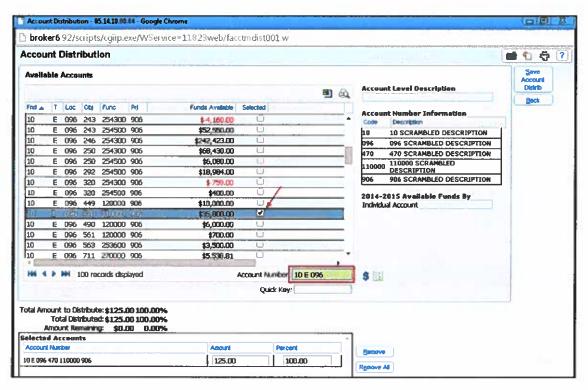
Add Accounting

To add accounting to the Requisition click Add Requisition Accounts.

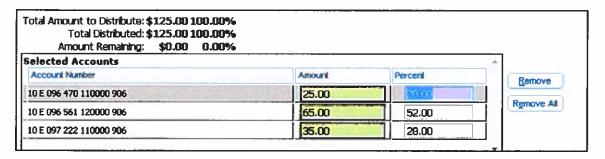




The accounts displayed will be listed according to your account clearance, or the account clearance attached to the PO group. Type in the account you are looking for in the Account Number Field. You can type in a portion of the account and click enter on your keyboard to bring the screen to the closest account. Check the **Selected** box to choose an account.

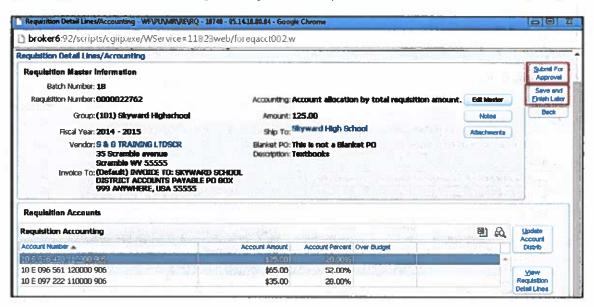


If more than one account is required, check each account and use the **Selected Accounts** area, at the bottom of the screen, to distribute your accounts by either amount or percentage. The system will not let you save the screen until there is 100% allocation. Click **Save Account Distrib** when finished.

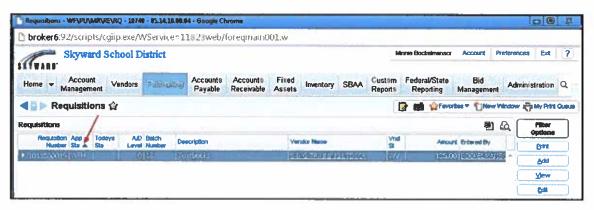




After saving your accounts, you will be brought back to the Summary Screen where you can review your account distribution or Requisition Detail Lines. Click either "Submit for Approval" if you would like to submit the requisition for approval at this time, or "Save and Finish Later" to continuing working on the Requisition at a later time.



The Requisition will appear in your browse screen with a status of either 'WFH'-Waiting for approval at a level above mine', or 'WIP'-Work in Progress' depending on which option you chose on the previous screen.





Click on the arrow to the left of the Requisition number to expand the requisition and review the Requisition information and Approval status.

