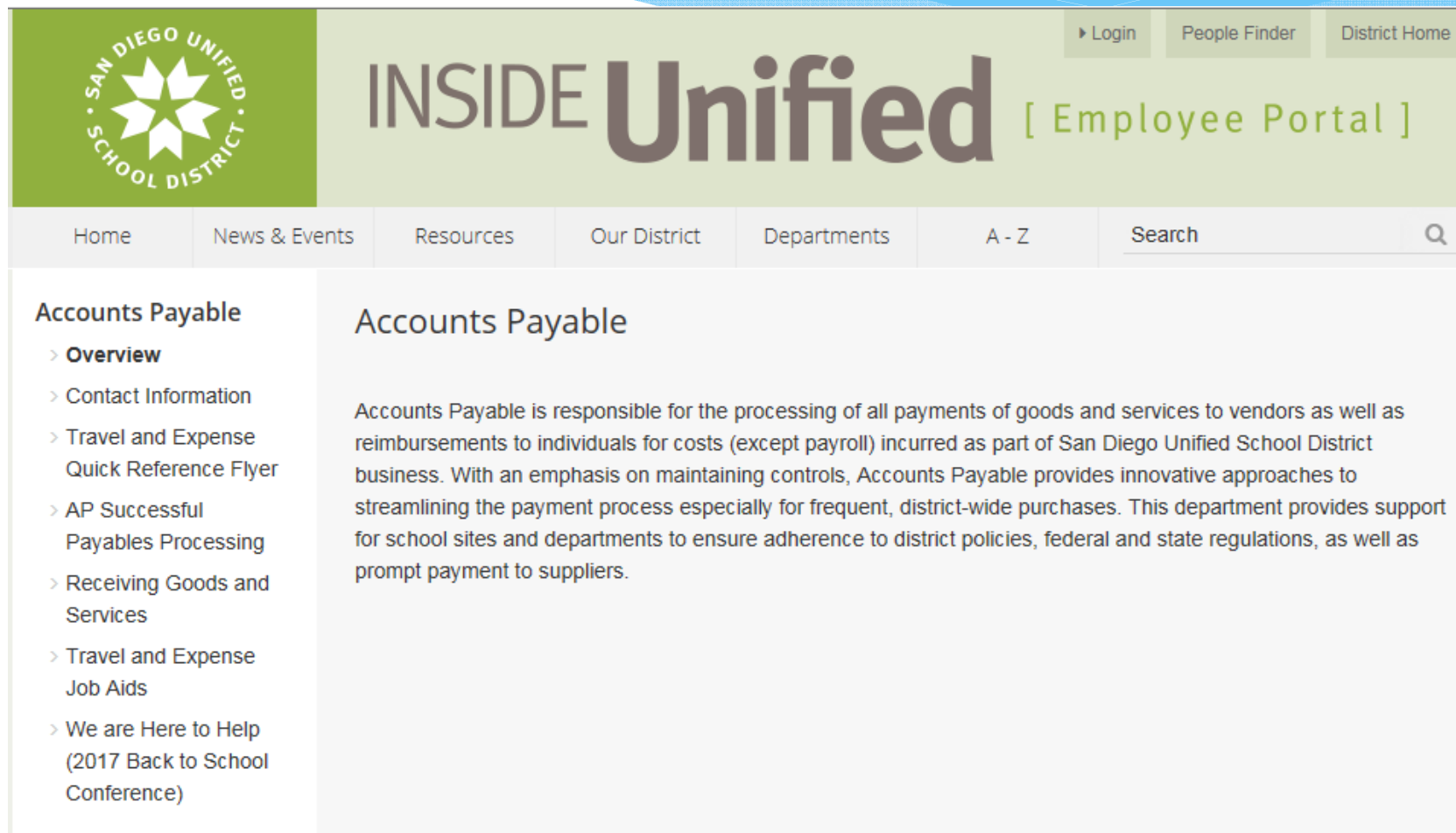# PeopleSoft Back to School Conference

Accounts Payable
What You Need to Know

Accounts Payable
We are on the Web

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Accounts Payable

Accounts Payable is responsible for the processing of all payments of goods and services to vendors as well as reimbursements to individuals for costs (except payroll) incurred as part of San Diego Unified School District business. With an emphasis on maintaining controls, Accounts Payable provides innovative approaches to streamlining the payment process especially for frequent, district-wide purchases. This department provides support for school sites and departments to ensure adherence to district policies, federal and state regulations, as well as prompt payment to suppliers.
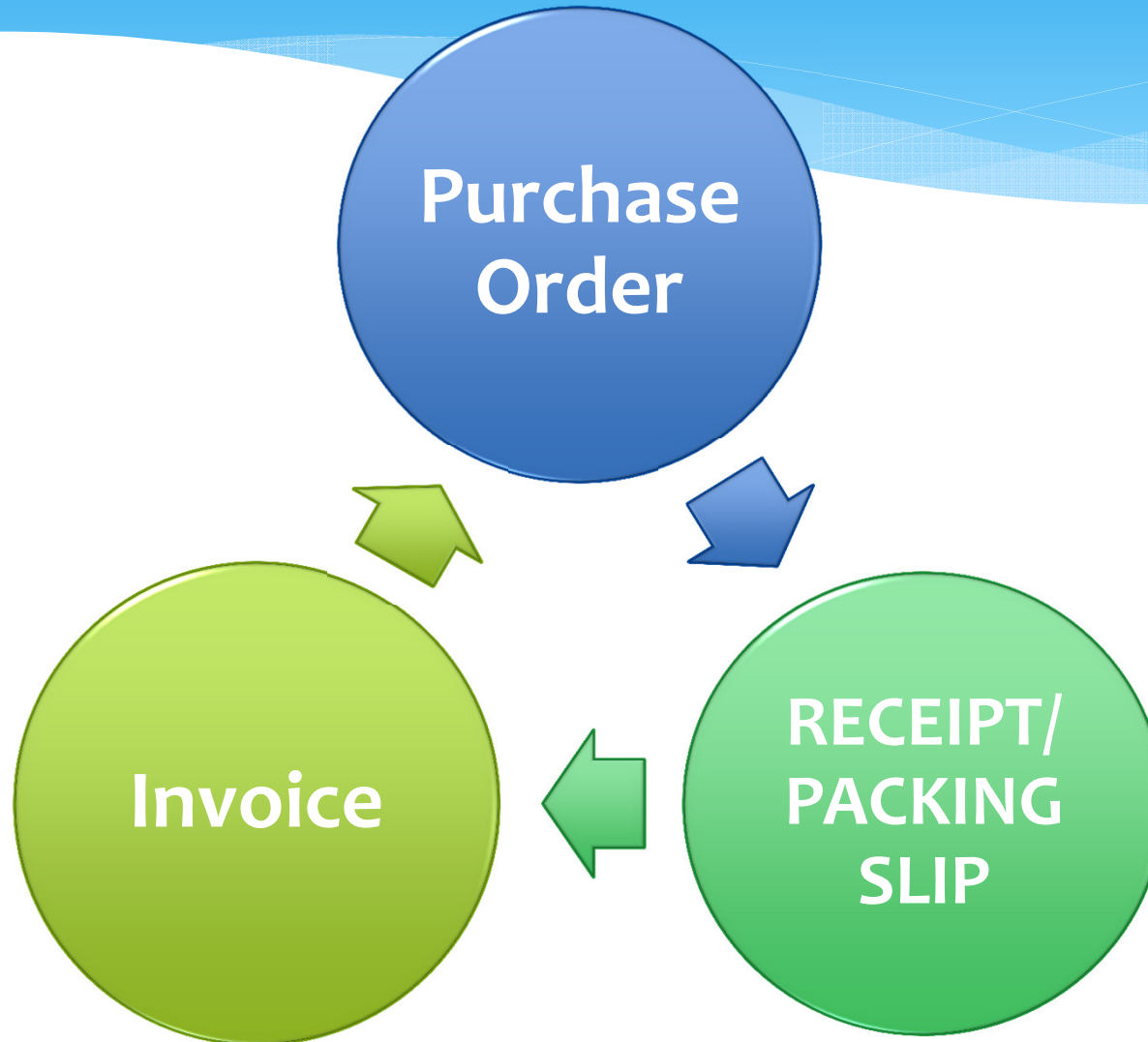
What We Do

* We ensure your purchases are paid

* We prepay travel expenses

* We process expense reimbursements

* We take care of State and Federal tax reporting

* We provide PCard support

The Procure to Pay Cycle

3 Way Match

Purchase Order

**RECEIPT/ PACKING SLIP**

Invoice

3 Way Match

What is it?

Internal control method that ensures the District

* pays for authorized goods/services
* correct items received
* right price and right supplier is paid
* Timely payment
* no duplicate payments

What You Need to Know

* Request vendor to send invoices directly to invoices@sandi.net

* Forward original invoices to AP

* Email Distribution Services at supctrec@sandi.net when you receive your goods/svcs directly (except for Direct Connect orders)

Travel and Expense Cycle
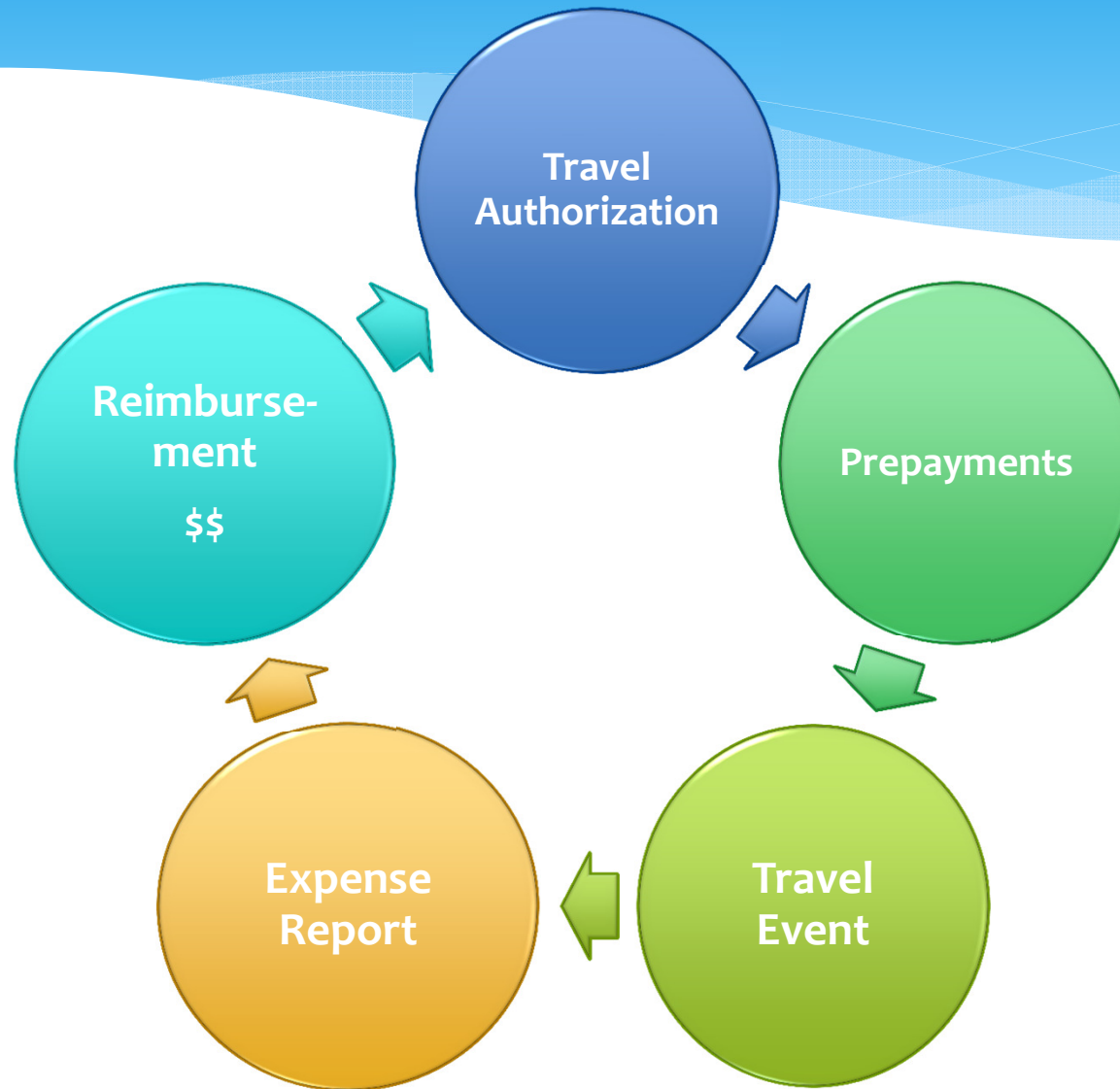
Planning in Advance

* Advanced planning is your friend
* Do not wait until the last minute, *Really!*
* Recommend starting process at least three weeks in advance

Travel Authorizations

* Required!

* Cannot commit any funds prior to having a fully approved Travel Authorization

Fully Approved Travel Authorization is a Must

* All Travel Authorizations (TA) are approved by the Department Level (e.g. Principal) and Branch level approvers (e.g. Area Superintendent)

* Certain Resources may require an additional approval

* May need pre-approval from the budget committee if using Resource 00000 funding (google doc form)

Travel Authorization

Give it a name

 * Description field

 * Conference name or event description (e.g. LAP Conference, AP By the Sea)

Pre Payments for Travel

How can costs be paid in advance?

* Accounts Payable
* PCard Cardholder *
* Traveler

* If cardholder is authorized to use PCard for Travel purposes

Pre Payments for Travel

What can be Prepaid?

* Conference Registration Fees

* Hotel (room and tax only)

* Airfare

* Rail

Pre Payments for Travel

Accounts Payable can Prepay:

Conference and Hotel Registration

* Submit conference registration form via email to **travel@sandi.ne**t *

* Subject line must contain TA number only (e.g. TA123456)

* Before the trip, confirm with conference/hotel that payment was received

* This inbox is for prepayment support documents only

Pre Payments for Travel

Account Payable Can Prepay:

Airfare - Contact Acacia Travel to arrange air travel

* Provide Travel Authorization number
* Acacia Travel will invoice the District

* This inbox is for prepayment support documents only

Pre Payments for Travel

PCard

If the cardholder has been approved to use the PCard for travel (additional training may be required) **AND** if a fully approved travel authorization is in place...

Pre Payments for Travel

The PCard cardholder may prepay:

* Conference registration fees

* Reserve and pay hotel (room and tax only, no incidentals)

* Pay airfare and rail

Note: the TA number must be included in notes section of PaymentNet when reconciling PCard transaction

Pre Payments for Travel

Personal Funds

* You can, but why would you

* Not recommended

Travel Event

Expense Reports

After the Trip….

Expense Reports

If there is a Travel Authorization, there must be an expense report

(repeat after me)

Expense Reports

If a Travel Authorization exists, an Expense Report is Required

* Even if the TA was $0

* Even if no money is due to traveler

* If you do not do it timely, could hit next year's budget

Expense Reports

Types of Expense Reports

* Travel – Conferences

* Mileage Reimbursements

* Parking

* Community Based Instruction

* TB Test Reimbursement

Expense Reports

Conferences

* Copy in the TA – Saves time!
* Do *not* change the description name
* Do *not* change the budget string

Expense Reports

Conferences, cont'd

* Receipts must be detailed and itemized (we want to know where you went and how much it cost)
* No receipts required for per diem meals ($9 breakfast, $12 lunch, $25 Dinner)
* Per Diem allowed for travel outside San Diego County, on travel days when meals are not included

Expense Reports

Conferences, cont'd

* Each receipt needs its own line on the expense report

  Example: if there are 4 shuttle trips, each shuttle expense s/b on it's own line with the date and description (from/to)

Expense Reports

Conferences, cont'd

* Only update amounts or add lines
* Submit all receipts via email to **travel@sandi.net** *
* Subject line must contain ER number only (e.g. ER987654)

* This inbox is for supporting travel documents only

Expense Reports

Mileage Reimbursements

* Report description must start with "Mileage" followed by Month and Year (e.g. Mileage Aug 2018)
* Important to follow this naming convention

Expense Reports

Community Based Instruction

* Report description must start with "CBI" followed by Month and then Year (e.g. CBI Aug 2018)

* Receipts must show Cash payments only

* Receipts must be detailed/itemized

Job Aids

* Job Aids are available
  https://www.sandi.net/itd/resources/peoplesoft-training-materials-resources/job-aids-financialsupply-chain

Job Aids

Travel Expenses

- > 📄 [Travel Expenses Training Job Aid Booklet](#) as of 5/2017

- > 📄 [Travel Expenses Training Exercises](#)

- > 📄 [Mileage Reimbursement Training Booklet](#)

- > 📄 [Travel Expenses Workflow](#)

- > [How to Run a Budget Inquiry](#)

  (Find out if you have enough funds to pay for your travel)

- > 📄 [How to Update Your Default Chartfields](#) (Set up the budget to pay for your travel)

- > 📄 [How to Authorize Others to Submit Travel Forms](#) for Your Travel Authorize Others

- > [How to Submit a Travel Authorization for Local, 1-day Travel](#)

- > 📄 [How to Create a Copy-in Expense Report](#)

- > 📄 [How to Submit a Mandatory $0 Expense Report](#)

- > 📄 [How to Create Multiple T.A. Expense Lines Quickly](#)

- > 📄 [Common List of Travel Expenses & How to Claim Them on a Travel Authorization](#)

- > 📄 [How to Locate and Edit an Existing Travel Form](#)

- > 📄 [How to Submit a CBI Expense Report](#)

- > 📄 [How to Create & Submit a Mileage Report](#)

- > 📄 [Mileage Report Shortcut by Copying Expense Lines](#)

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- > 📄 [How to Fix a Red-Flagged Error on a Travle Form](#)

- > 📄 [How to Revise a Travel Form that was Sent Back to You](#)

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- > 📄 [How to Keep Track of Your Travel Forms](#)

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Travel & Expenses

> How to Update Your Default Chartfields (setup a budget to pay for travel)

> How to Authorize Others to Create Travel Forms on Your Behalf

> How to Create a Mileage Reimbursement Expense Report

> How to Create a Travel Authorization for Local Travel

> How to Create a Travel Authorization for Overnight Travel

Job Aids

* PeopleSoft Employee Self-Service ERO for training

We are here to help!

For assistance with your purchases or reimbursements, contact the dedicated AP Specialist.

Updated contact lists maintained at

https://www.sandi.net/staff/accounts-payable/accounts-payable-contact-information

Thank you!!