Student Information System (SIS): Evaluations, Conclusions, and Recommendation

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Timeline

- Sept 24: Illuminate announces end of ISI - starting Fall, 2021
- Sept 25: Superintendent and Board notified
- Oct 2: District notified
- Oct 9: SIS Eval Committee formed
- Nov 12-15: District Tech attends CETPA
- Nov 18: Eval rubrics finalized
- Nov 19, 21: Synergy Presentation
- Dec 3, 5: PowerSchool Presentation
- Dec 17: Site visit to SUHSD
- Dec 19: Infinite Campus Presentation
- Jan 15: SIS Eval Committee Wrap-Up Meeting

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System Considerations/Requirements

- Web-based/hosted solution
- Online Registration
- Online Assessments/LMS
- Data Vizualization
- Google Integration
- Mobile App/Mobile Compliant
- User Friendly

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Committee

- Teachers (9)
- Site Admin/Counselors (4)
- Front Office (13)
- Site techs, district office personnel (11)

Scoring Methodology

- Google Forms (3): one per user group
- 0-3 Likert scale per question
- 30-35 questions into 3-4 question groups per form
- Scores averaged: per question, per question group
- Sum of averages = final score

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Potential Replacements

- Infinite Campus
- PowerSchool
- Synergy
- Aeries

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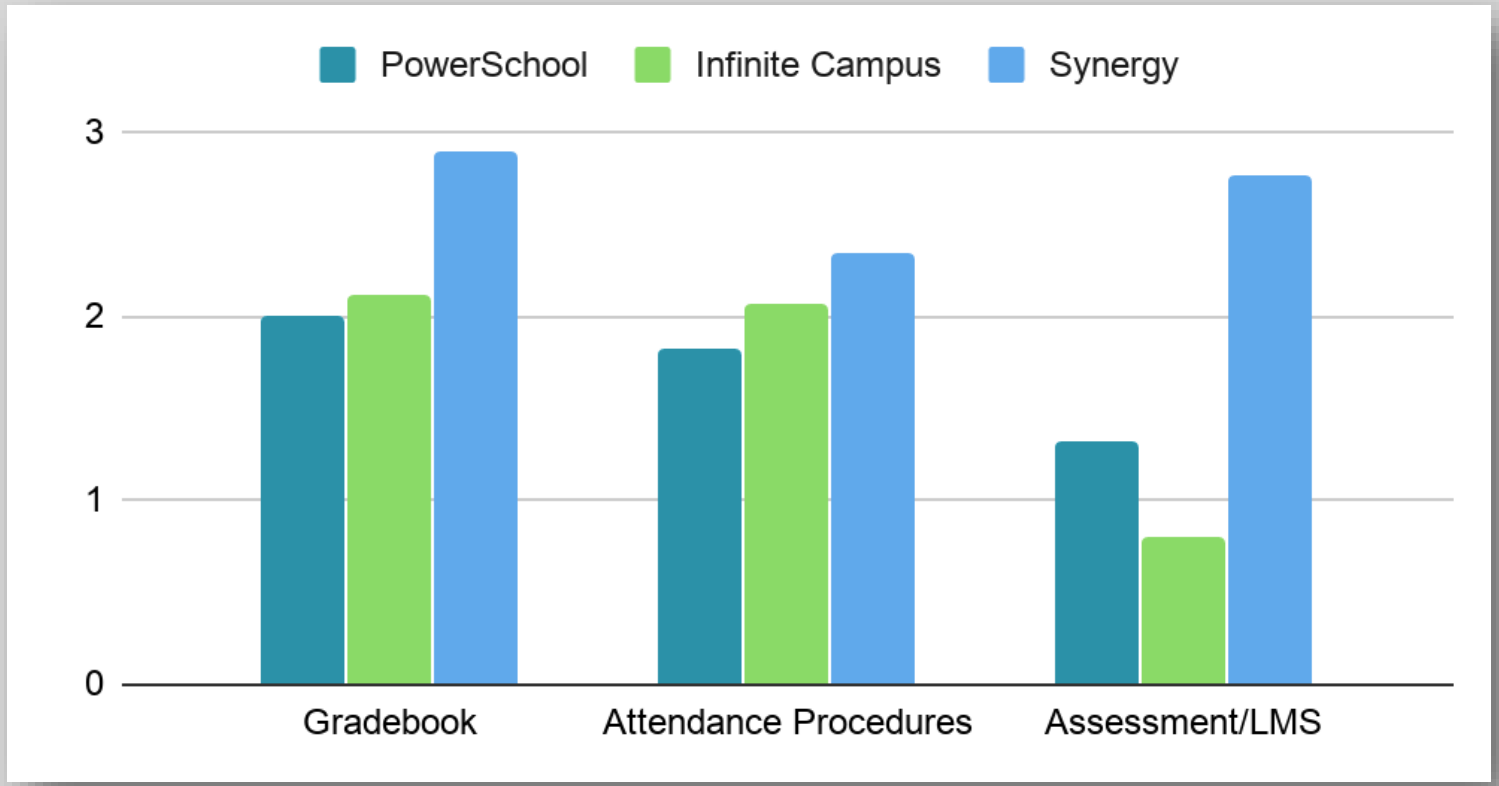
Results

User Group System Function	**PowerSchool**	**Infinite Campus**	**Synergy**
Teachers			
Gradebook	2	2.11	2.9
Attendance Procedures	1.83	2.07	2.34
Assessment/LMS	1.32	0.79	2.76
Site Admin/Counselors			
Class Schedules/Master Scheduling	2.74	2.29	2.9
Grades and Transcripts	2.18	2.38	2.75
Behavior and Health	2.3	1.2	2.9
Counseling, SPED	2.52	1.98	2.8
Front Office			
Walk-in/Online Reg, Scheduling	1.83	2.33	2.8
Attendance	2	2.22	2.95
Contacts	2	2.5	2.83
Total/Final Score	**20.72**	**19.87**	**27.93**

Teachers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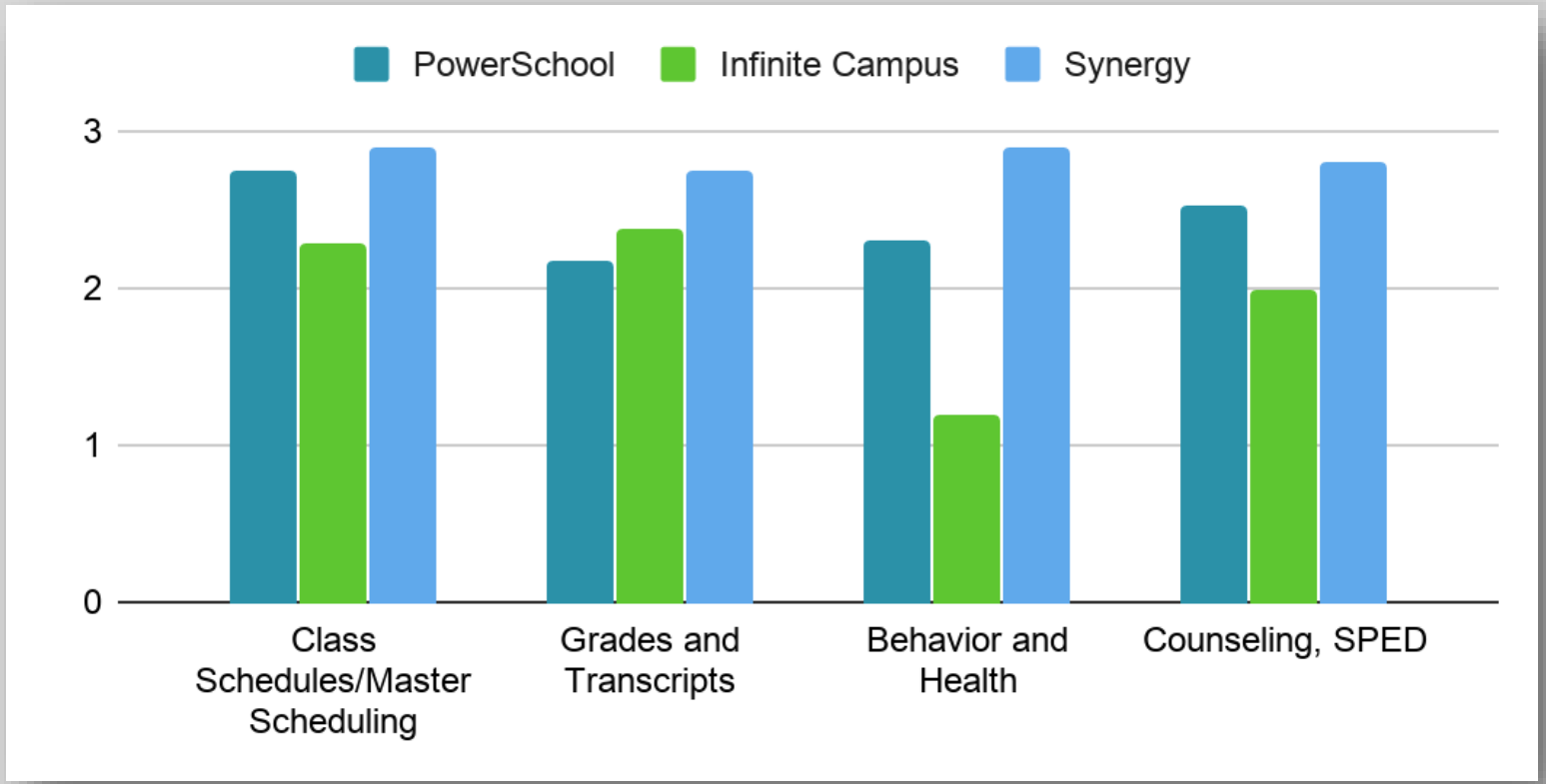

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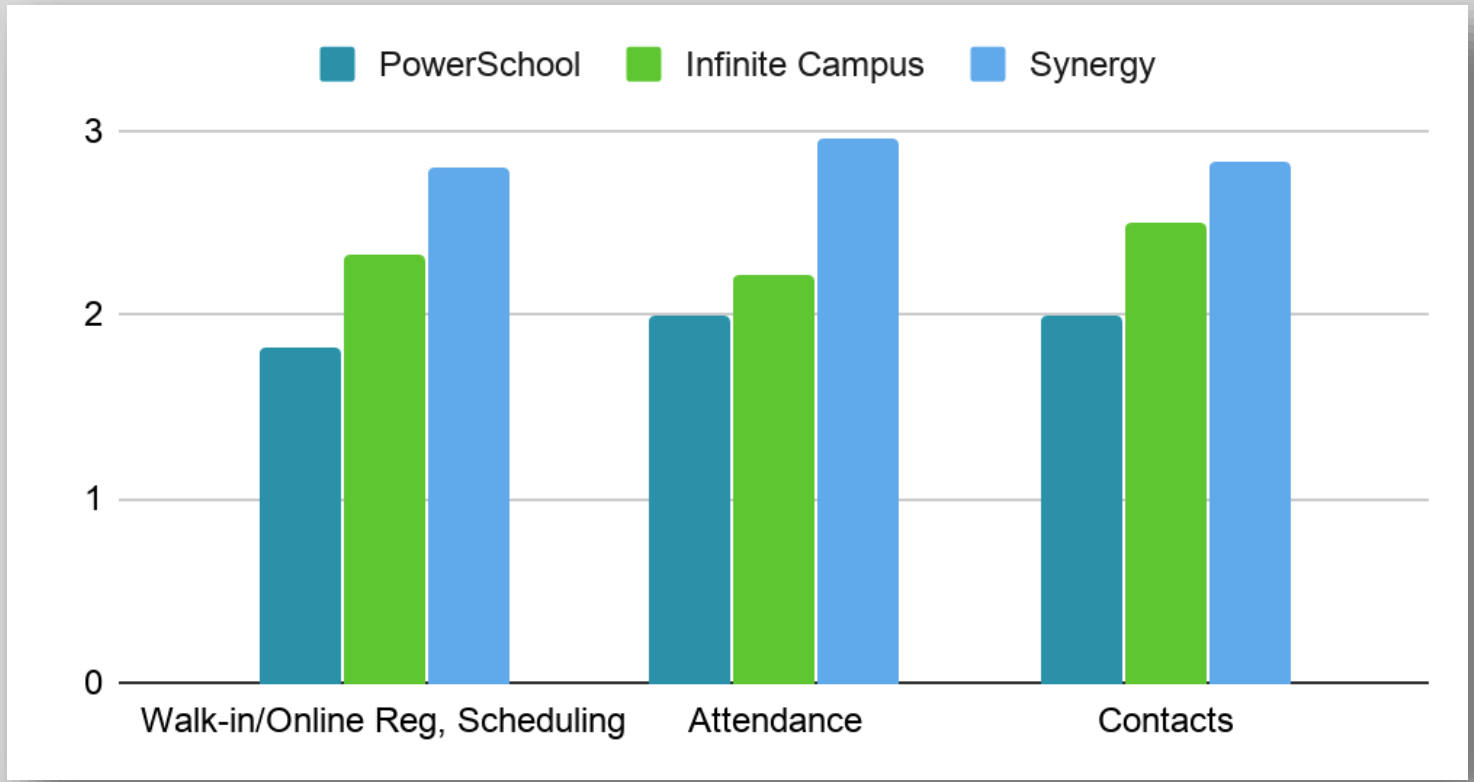
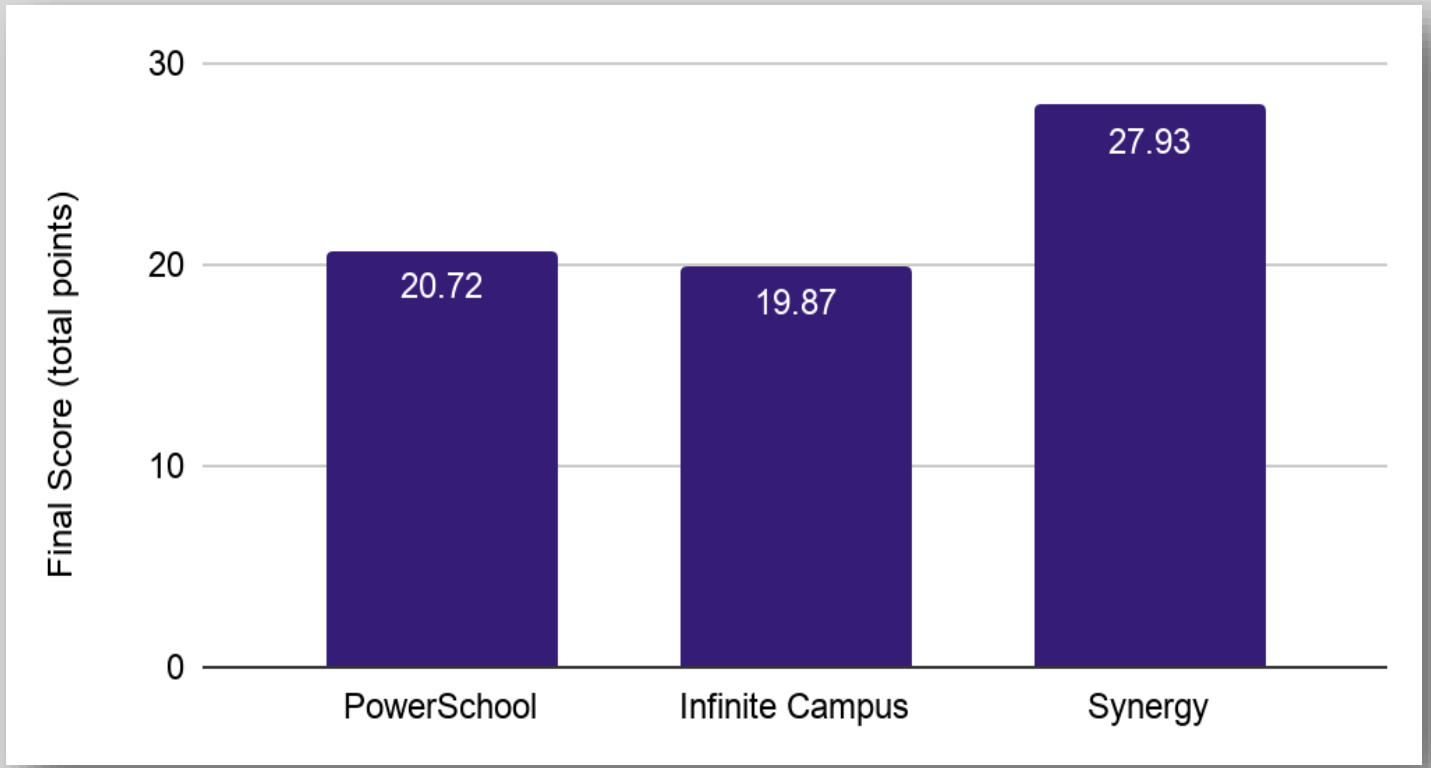


Final Score


Final Score (total points)
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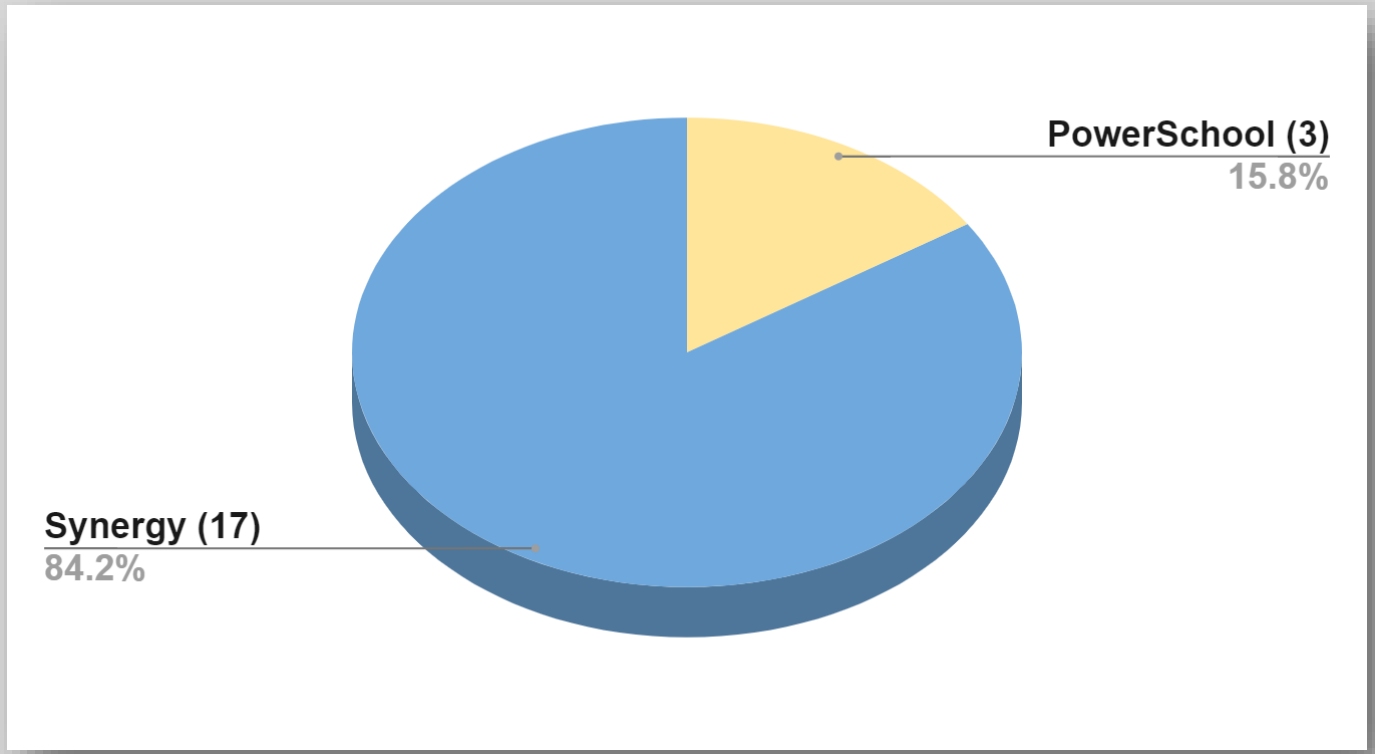
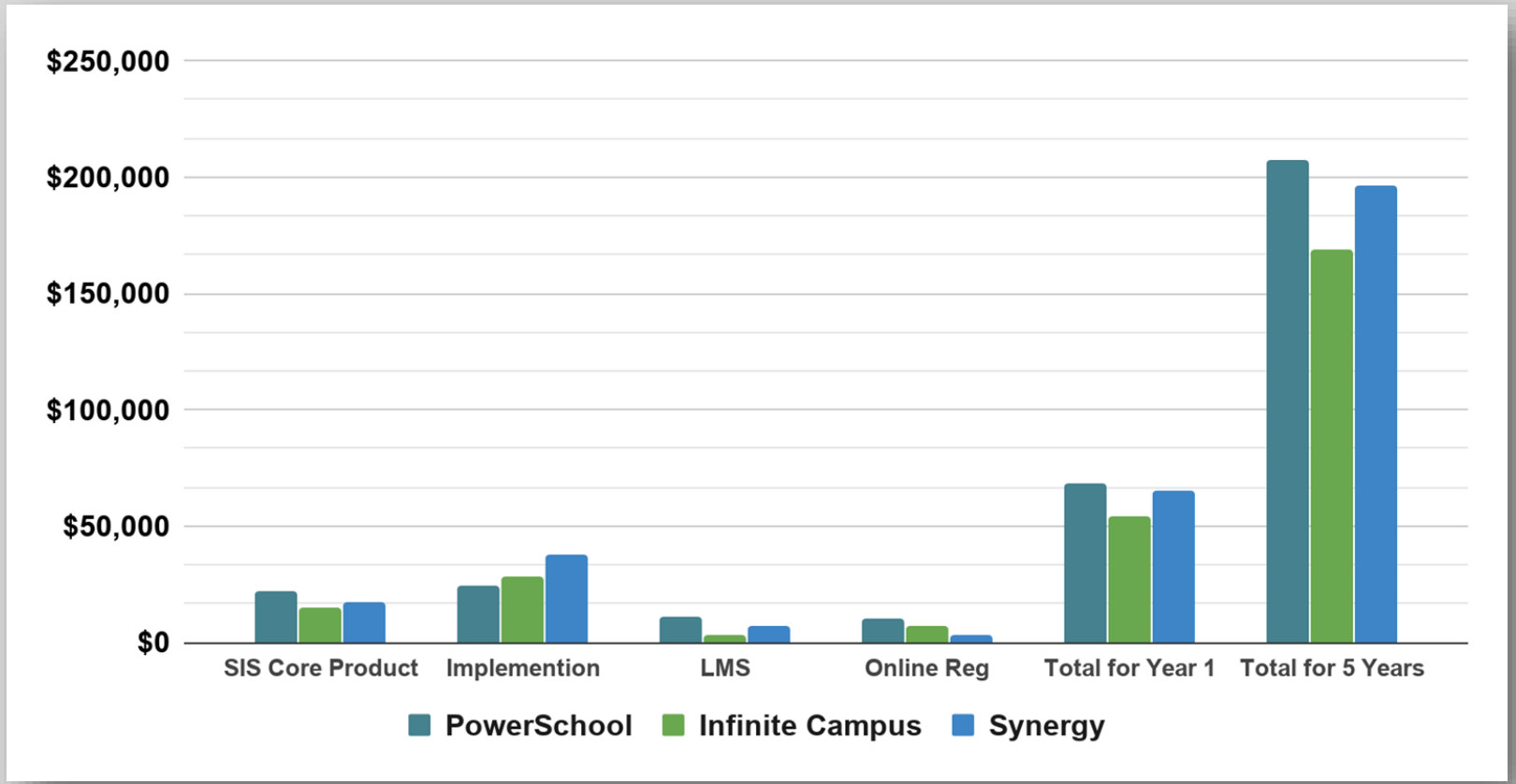
Which of the three systems under consideration is your first choice?



Cost Comparison



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