Travel & Expenses – Mileage Expense Report

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Reimbursement for mileage put on a private vehicle, when required for work related travel within SDUSD must be requested through a PeopleSoft Expense Report. Only certain employees can apply for mileage reimbursement, and only under certain circumstances. Please check with your department approver/ principal to determine eligibility.

IMPORTANT! Eligible employees must submit separate Expense Reports for Mileage each month in which you want to submit a claim. Reports **cannot** include days from more than one month. Employees should create and submit their own mileage reports to ensure accuracy and timely receipt of reimbursement.
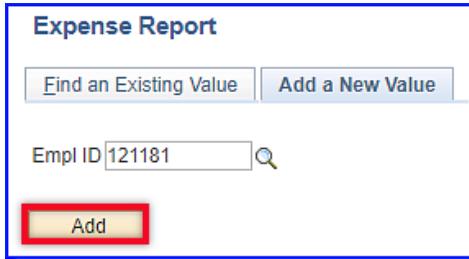
How to submit a Mileage Expense Report

1. Log in to PeopleSoft Financials using your Empl ID and password.

2. On the **Homepage**, select **Travel and Expenses**.

3. Select **Expense Reports**.

4. Select **Create/Modify.**

5. Click **Add a New Value t**o create a new report.
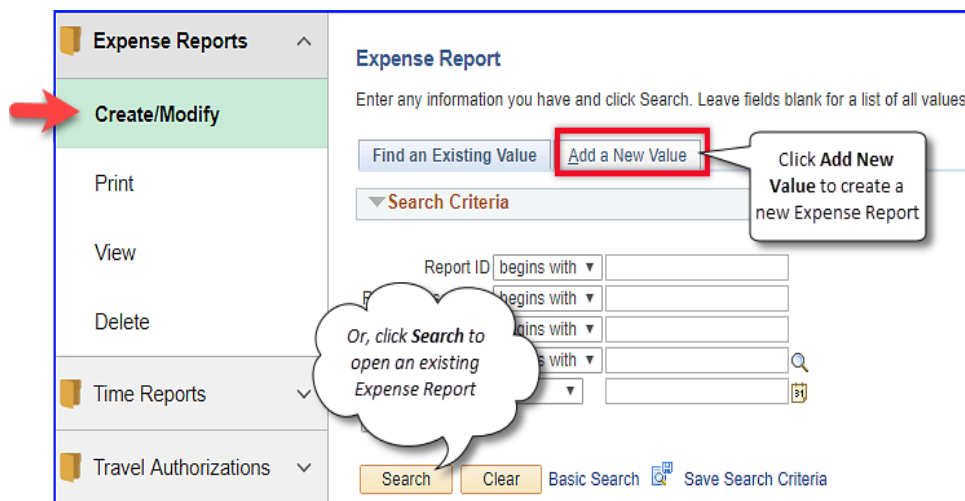
Your Employee ID number should display. If it is blank, contact Human Resources and request access to create travel forms. (If creating a mileage claim for someone else, use the search feature to select from list)

6. Click **Add**.

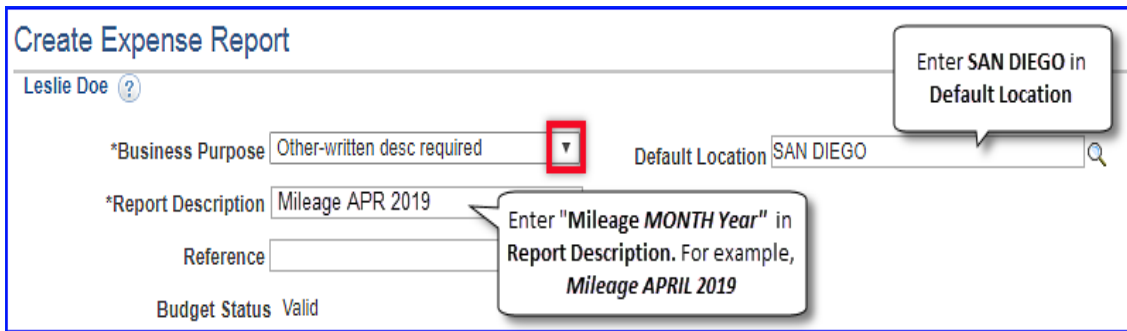7. Complete the **Create Expense Report** page (**Note**: Asterisk ***** indicates a required field)

Header:

- **Business Purpose:** Select **Other-written desc required** from drop-down.

- **Report Description:** Enter **Mileage Month /Year**. For example *"Mileage APRIL 2019"* to describe a single month of mileage claims
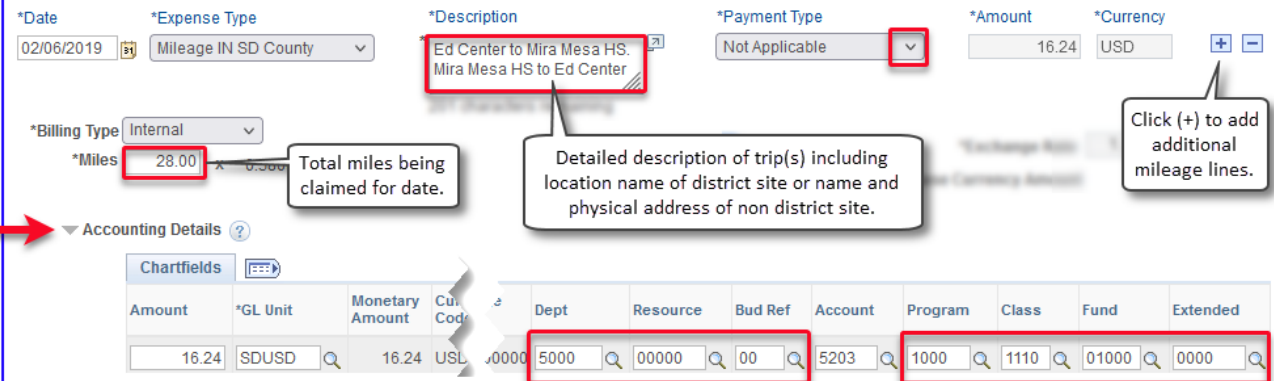
- **Default Location:** Enter **San Diego**

Expenses:

- **Date:** Enter date of mileage expense.

- **Expense Type:** Select **Mileage IN SD County**

- **Description:** Include all sites traveled to **on** this date.
  - If traveled between two district sites enter location names, for example *"From Ed Center to Mira Mesa High school"*.
  - If the to/from location is *not* a district-site, include the **location name and physical address**.

- **Payment Type:** Select **Not Applicable** from drop-down.

- **Miles:** Enter the total (rounded) number of miles being claimed for the date. Try using Google Maps or MapQuest to calculate actual distances.
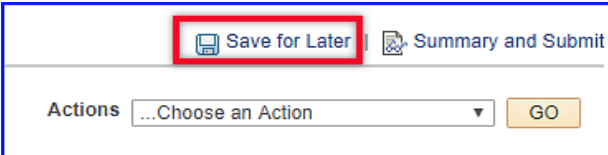
- **Accounting Details:** Click expand icon. Enter budget string in chartfields **DeptID, Resource, Bud Ref, Account, Program, Class, Fund** and **Extended.** *Important!* Chartfield displayed in image below is fictitious and should **not** be used.

- Click **Insert Lines icon (+)** to add an expense line for another day, if necessary.

Repeat the Expenses section of Step 7 to claim mileage for additional days during the month.

8. When finished, click **Save for Later**.

Important! A red flag will appear if missing or invalid information was found. Click on flag to view the error. Areas that need your attention will be highlighted in **RED**. You can save this Mileage Expense Report with missing or invalid information; however, you cannot submit it for approval until it is error free.
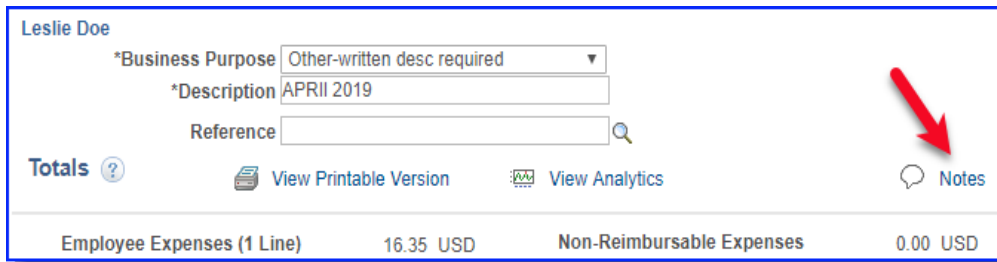
9. Click **Summary and Submit**.

10. Click **Notes.**

11. Enter note justifying the claim. Include position title and purpose of the visit(s). For example,
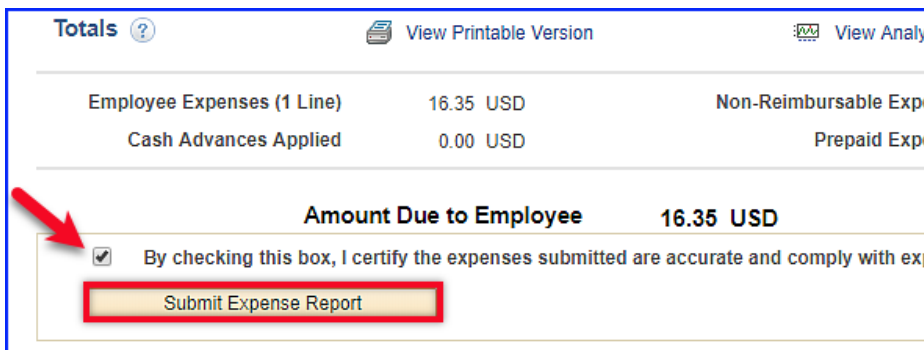   "*Audiologist, performing hearing tests at Mira Mesa High*". Click **Add Notes**.

12. Click **OK**.

13. On the **Create Expense Report page**, check the **Certification box**. Then click **Submit Expense
    Report**.

14. Click **OK** to confirm submission.

The confirmation page will display a "…submitted for approval" message. Notate the approved amount for reimbursement.