

## **FBMS Personal Identification Verification Card Access**

The FBMS system has recently migrated to a new platform, changing the path to access FBMS. You will now be required to access FBMS through the [Department of the Interior \(DOI\) App Store](#), which requires encryption standards.

The Bureau of Indian Education (BIE) FBMS users are now be required to use two-factor authentication, a second means to identify users to access FBMS. BIE will utilize a Personal Identification Verification (PIV) Card, which will be inserted into a reader with a PIN number, in order to access FBMS. Employees who have not yet activated their cards or need to obtain a PIN can do so at the nearest Light Activation Station. For a full list of Light Activation Stations users can locate them by state [here](#).

All BIE FBMS users must have their PIV card activated and use it to access FBMS no later than **July 13, 2015**. This form of two-factor authentication is vital to countering data breaches; therefore, there will be no extensions for the **July 13, 2015**, deadline. Users who do not have two-factor authentication by **July 13, 2015**, will not be able to access FBMS.

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