

Enrollment Field Definitions

Column Letter in Enrollment File	Field	Format; Length	Required	Definition	Special Notes
A	Accountability_District_Identifier	Alphanumeric; 30	No	The unique code assigned to the district as listed in the state organizational table in Column D	The Accountability District Identifier (Column A) is not a required field in the Enrollment Upload Template file. It is available for state use if desired. Save the file but do not close it before uploading it in Educator Portal because any special formatting will likely be lost, i.e., leading zeros.
B	Accountability_School_Identifier	Alphanumeric; 30	No	The unique code assigned to the school as listed in the state organizational table in column B	The Accountability School Identifier (Column B in the state organizational table) is not a required field in the Enrollment Upload Template file. It is available for state use if desired.
C	Attendance_District_Identifier	Alphanumeric; 30	Yes	The unique code that has been assigned to the district where the student attends school. This identifies the parent organization for a school (such as the school district).	Use the District Number column (Column D in the state organizational table). An entry in the template must be identical to a district code in the organizational table. If a code is numeric and contains leading zeroes, ensure that the leading zeros* are retained after each save. Save the file but do not close it before uploading it in Educator Portal because any special formatting will likely be lost, i.e., leading zeros. Note: The Accountability District Identifier only becomes required if the Accountability School Identifier code is entered in column B.
D	Attendance_School_Identifier	Alphanumeric; 10	Yes	The school code (typically four digits) or other location identifier that represents where the student attends school (i.e., the school whose staff will access the student information, including the student username and password for Student Portal)	Use a School Number provided in the state organizational table (Column B in the state organizational table). If the code is numeric and contains leading zeros, ensure the leading zeros* are retained in the attendance school program identifier. The number for the attendance school must exactly match a number in the organization table or the file upload will fail. Save the file but do not close it before uploading it in Educator Portal because any special formatting will likely be lost, i.e., leading zeros.

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E	School_Year	YYYY; 4	Yes	The ending year of the current school year (e.g., for the 2022-2023 school year, enter 2023)	Use 2023.
F	State_Student_Identifier	Numeric; 10	Yes	The student's state identifier	If the code is numeric and contains leading zeros, ensure the leading zeros* are retained in a student's local student identifier. Save the file but do not close it before uploading it in Educator Portal because any special formatting will likely be lost, i.e., leading zeros. The State Student Identifier may appear on the individual Student Score Report, depending on state policy.
G	Local_Student_Identifier	Alphanumeric; 10	No	The unique code assigned to the student by the school or local education agency	If the code is numeric and contains leading zeros, ensure the leading zeros* are retained in a student's local student identifier. Save the file but do not close it before uploading it in Educator Portal because any special formatting will likely be lost, i.e., leading zeros.
H	Student_Legal_First_Name	Alphanumeric; 60	Yes	The student's first name.	Use spaces, accent marks, and hyphenation where needed. This entry will appear on the Individual Student Score Report.
I	Student_Legal_Last_Name	Alphanumeric; 60	Yes	The student's last name.	Use spaces, accent marks, and hyphenation where needed. This entry will appear on the Individual Student Score Report.
J	Student_Legal_Middle_Name	Alphanumeric; 60	No	The student's middle name.	If this field is entered, this entry will appear on the Individual Student Score Report. Use spaces and hyphenation where needed.
K	Generation_Code	Alphanumeric; 10	No	The part of the student's name used to denote the generation in his/her family (e.g., Jr., Sr., III, etc.)	If this field is entered, this entry will appear on the Individual Student Score Report.

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L	Gender	Numeric; 1 0 = Female 1 = Male 2 = Nonbinary/ undesigned	Yes	The student's gender.	State policy in each state determines the gender codes available to use in the Enrollment Template Upload. Use of any other code will generate an error at the time of the upload.
M	Date_of_Birth	MM/DD/YYYY; 10	Yes	The date (month, day, and year) of the student's birth.	Two-digit month/two-digit day/ four-digit year
N	Current_Grade_Level	Numeric; 2 3-12. Do NOT use leading zeros in single number grades.	Yes	The grade level at which a student enters and receives services in a school or an educational institution during a given academic session (e.g., 3 is grade 3, 11 is grade 11)	Some states provide a birthdate chart to help data managers align the student's age with the grade to be assessed. Data managers should refer to their state's DLM webpage. In the search feature, type birthdate chart. Select the one appropriate for your state. The grade entered will appear on the Individual Student Score Report.
O	School_Entry_Date	MM/DD/YYYY; 10	Yes	The date (month, date, and year) on which the student enrolls and begins to receive instructional services in a school. If the student leaves and then re-enrolls, this date is to reflect the most recent enrollment date.	Two-digit month/two-digit day/four-digit year This entry cannot be left blank. If date is unknown and a fictitious date is entered to satisfy the field, this date should be as realistic and accurate as possible. If the student leaves and then reenrolls, this date is to reflect the most recent enrollment date.
P	District_Entry_Date	MM/DD/YYYY; 10	No	The date (month, day, and year) on which the student enrolls and begins to receive instructional services in a school district.	Two-digit month/two-digit day/four-digit year If unknown this entry can be left blank.

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Q	State_Entry_Date	MM/DD/YYYY; 10	No	The date (month, date, and year) on which the student enrolls and begins to receive instructional services in the state. If the student leaves the state and then re-enrolls in school, this date should reflect the most recent enrollment date.	Two-digit month/two-digit day/four-digit year If unknown, this entry can be left blank.
R	Comprehensive_Race	Numeric; 1	Yes	General racial category (or categories) that most clearly reflects the individual's recognition of their racial background.	A table of potential values is provided in a separate table below.
S	Primary_Disability_Code	Alpha; 2 letters for each code	Yes	Indicates whether the student has an active Individual Education Plan (IEP) under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA—Part B).	Each entry is alpha (e.g., AM is Autism, DB is Deaf/blindness). Tables of potential values are provided in a separate table below.
T	Gifted_Student	Alpha; 5 TRUE or FALSE	No	Indicates whether the student has an active Individual Education Plan (IEP) for giftedness.	Must leave blank for students taking the DLM assessments.
U	Hispanic_Ethnicity	Alphanumeric; 3	Yes	The code that reflects the individual's recognition of their Hispanic ethnicity background (Yes or No).	
V	First_Language	Alphanumeric; 1 or 2	No	The code for the primary language or dialect (not ethnicity) of the student.	Tables of potential values are provided in a separate table below.

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W	ESOL_Participation_Code	Numeric; 1 number only	Yes	The number entered identifies the type of ESOL in which the student participates.	English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL). A table of potential values are provided in a separate table below.
X	Assessment_Program_1	Alphanumeric; 30	Yes	The code to enable the DLM system for the student.	Enter the code DLM in all caps.
Y	Assessment_Program_2	Alphanumeric; 30	No	Allows the student to be assigned to an additional assessment program.	Must leave blank
Z	Assessment_Program_3	Alphanumeric; 30	No	Allows the student to be assigned to an additional assessment program.	Must leave blank

Comprehensive_Race

Comprehensive_Race (column R) is a required field and cannot be left blank. Enter a number from the Table 1 that best aligns to the student's race. For questions or directions about comprehensive race, ask the assessment coordinator or the state assessment administrator.

Table 1

Comprehensive Race

Entry	Definition
1	White
2	African American
4	Asian
5	American Indian
6	Alaska Native
7	Two or More Races
8	Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander

Primary_Disability_Code

The column Primary_Disability_Code (column S) is a required field and cannot be left blank. Enter one of the codes from Table 2 that best aligns to the student's primary disability.

Table 2

Primary Disability Code

Entry	Definition
AM	Autism
DB	Deaf/blindness
DD	Developmentally delayed (ages 3-9 only)
ED	Emotional disturbance
HI	Hearing impairment
ID	Intellectual disability
LD	Specific learning disability
MD	Multiple disabilities
EI	Eligible individual
DA	Decline to answer

Entry	Definition
ND	No disability
OH	Other health impairment
OI	Orthopedic impairment
SL	Speech or language impairment
TB	Traumatic brain injury
VI	Visual impairment
WD	Documented disability

First_Language

First_Language (column V) is an optional field and can be left blank. If using this column, use one of the numbers from Table 3 that best aligns to the student's first language.

Table 3

First Language

Entry	Definition
0	English
1	Chinese (Mandarin or Cantonese)
2	Dinka (Sudanese)
3	French
4	High German
5	Hmong
6	Khmer (Cambodian)
7	Korean
8	Lao
10	Filipino or Tagalog (Philippines)
11	Russian
13	Spanish
14	Vietnamese
15	Arabic
16	Other
17	Somali
18	Thai
19	Portuguese
20	Farsi (Iranian)
21	Chuukese (e.g., Marshall Island, Micronesia)
22	Bosnian
23	Burmese
24	Hindi

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25	Urdu
26	Swahili
27	Nepali
28	American Sign Language (ASL)
29	Serb
30	Croatian
31	Turkish
32	Karen languages (e.g., Burma, Myanmar)
33	Haitian/Haitian Creole
34	Gujarati
35	Punjabi
36	Pashto
37	Dari
38	Quiche
39	Mam
40	Ilokano
41	Visayan
42	Low German
43	Other Signed Language
44	English – with other language background
45	Native American Languages
46	Japanese
47	Amharic

English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)_Participation_Code

The column ESOL_Participation_Code (column W) is a required field and cannot be left blank. Enter the participation number from Table 4 that best aligns to the program in which the student participates.

Table 4

ESOL Participation Code

Entry	Definition
0	Not an ESOL eligible student and not an ESOL monitored student
1	Title III Funded
2	State ESOL/Bilingual Funded
3	Both Title III and State ESOL/Bilingual Funded
4	Monitored ESOL student
5	ESOL program eligible, based on an English language proficiency test, but not currently receiving ESOL program services. Example: Parents/guardians who have waived their child out of ESOL services, but the district is still obligated to provide ESOL support.
6	Receives ESOL services and not funded with Title III and/or State ESOL Funding