## Data Element Name: First-Time Student Indicator

A representation of the first-time enrollment status of a student in any postsecondary instruction.

## Code Definition/Example

D A first-time student in any postsecondary dual enrollment, or an early admission student. Includes a student enrolled in the fall term who attended the postsecondary institution for the first time in the prior summer term, but was not at that time reported as a first-time enrollment.

N Not a first-time student in postsecondary education, postsecondary dual enrollment, nor an early admission student. Student is enrolled in at least one course in one of the following instructional areas: Postsecondary Adult Vocational, Applied Technology Diploma, or Apprenticeship.

Y A first-time student in any postsecondary education, other than dual enrollment or early admission. Includes a student enrolled in the fall term who attended the postsecondary institution for the first time in the prior summer term, but was not at that time reported as a first-time enrollment.

Z Not Applicable - Student is exclusively enrolled in Adult General Education or Continuing Workforce Education.

Note: A student may only be reported as a First-Time Student in only one year.

## Length:

1

## Data Type:

Alphanumeric
Year Implemented: 9899

State Standard: No
Use Types:
State Reporting: Yes

Local Accountability: Yes
FASTER: No
Migrant Tracking: No
Required Grades: Adult
Programs Required:
Workforce Development
Formats Required:
WDIS Student Demographic Information DB9 46x

## Surveys Required:

Survey F Yes
Survey W Yes

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Survey S ..... Yes
Survey G ..... Yes
Survey X ..... Yes
Appendixes:
None
Description of Changes:
6/1/2012 CodesAdded sentence to definition of code value " N " and added newcode value " $Z$ " and its definition.
10/11/2011 Notes
Deleted "one time, i.e. in only one term" and replaced these wordswith "in only one year."

