FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
DOE INFORMATION DATABASE REQUIREMENTS VOLUME I:
AUTOMATED STUDENT INFORMATION SYSTEM
AUTOMATED STUDENT DATA ELEMENTS

Year: 2017-18

Data Element Number: 126513

Data Element Name: Graduation Option

A code used to distinguish between standard or accelerated option/curriculum plans for graduation.

Code	Definition/Example	
1	24 Credit Standard High School Option	
2*	18 Credit College Prep Option declared on or prior to June 30, 2004	
3*	18 Credit Career Prep Option declared on or prior to June 30, 2004	
4	Applies to a student with a disability who plans to exit with a Special Diploma as determined by the IEP and enrolled in Special Diploma prior to the 2014-15 school year (this code will not be a valid option after the 2022-23 school year).	
5**	18 Credit College Prep Option declared on or after July 1, 2004 (this code will not be valid option after the 2014-15 school year).	
6**	18 Credit Career Prep Option declared on or after July 1, 2004 (this code will not be valid option after the 2014-15 school year ).	
7	Applies to a student with a disability opting to remain in school after receiving a special diploma, certificate of completion, special certificate of completion or GED with no intention of working toward a standard diploma.	
8	Performance-Based Exit Option Model (formerly GED Exit Option Model)	
9	Accelerated diploma option based on the Academically Challenging Curriculum Learning (ACCEL), 18-Credit Option – (valid beginning the 2013-14 school year).	
A	Applies to a student with a disability receiving a Standard High School Diploma based on meeting the requirements in sections 1003.4282(1)-(8) or 1002.3105(5), Florida Statutes, and on access courses per section 1003.4282(10)(b)1, F.S. (valid for students entering 9th grade beginning in the 2014-15 school year).	
В	Applies to a student with a disability receiving a Standard High School Diploma based on meeting the requirements in sections 1003.4282(1)-(8) or 1002.3105(5), Florida Statutes, and on the academic and employment competencies high school graduation option per section 1003.4282(10)(b)2, F.S. (valid for students entering 9th grade beginning in the 2014-15 school year).	
Р	Puerto Rico Diploma Option to be used in conjunction with the WPR withdrawal code only (this code will not be a valid option after the 2018-19 school year).	
Z	Not applicable. Student is not in Grades 9-12.	

# Note

<sup>\*</sup> Codes 2 and 3 should only be used for students who declared the 18 Credit Option prior to June 30, 2004.

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A student who selected one of the accelerated 3-year graduation options shall automatically move to the 4-year program set forth in s. 1003.43 if the student fails to meet the requirements of 1003.429 (8) Florida Statutes. (Applicable to students who selected program prior to July 1, 2013.)

Length:

**Data Type:** Alphanumeric

Year Implemented: 0304

State Standard: No

**Use Types:** 

State Reporting: Yes
Local Accountability: Yes
FASTER: Yes
Migrant Tracking: No

Required Grades: 09-12

## **Programs Required:**

All Programs

## **Formats Required:**

Student Demographic Information DB9 13x

#### **Surveys Required:**

Survey 8 Default Survey 1 Yes Survey 2 Yes Survey 3 Yes Survey 4 Yes Survey 5 Yes Survey 6 Default Survey 9 Yes

#### Appendixes:

None

### **Description of Changes:**

4/19/2018	Codes	Added code 'P' to support WPR graduates.
4/8/2016	Codes	Updated description for codes A & B to include additional statute reference .
7/1/2015	Surveys Required	Survey 7 Removed from Required Surveys
7/1/2015	Codes	Updated language in codes 4 & 7; Add new codes A & B
7/1/2014	Notes	Revised language to previous notes and added a note (**).
7/1/2014	Codes	Added **(astericks) for codes 5 & 6
5/28/2014	Codes	Changed GED Exit Option Model to
11/13/2013	Codes	New Option Number for the ACCEL diploma
10/10/2013	Codes	Added a note within the definition of the code.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Students entering ninth grade after July 1, 2004 and select an 18 Credit Graduation Option should be coded 5 or 6.

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