Implementation Date:
Fiscal Year 1993-94
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Element Name: **Grade Promotion Status**

Definition/Domain

Grade promotion status is defined as the change in grade assignment at the end of a regular school year or summer session. For example, if a PK-12 student meets all criteria for advancement to the next highest grade in his or her current school at the end of the regular 180 day school year or the 45 day summer session, that student is considered to have been promoted. Conversely, any PK-12 student who has not met all criteria for advancement to the next highest grade should be considered as retained. Codes and definitions follow:

CODE	DEFINITION
A	**Administratively placed in a higher grade.**
P	**Academically promoted to a higher grade, graduated or completed.**
R	**Retained in same grade** at the end of the school year.
N	**Not enrolled in a KG-12 program in the district at the end of the school year.**
Z	**Promotion status not applicable.** (Use this code for PK unless the PK student is promoted to kindergarten; for students in continuous progress schools who have not been promoted; for students in grade 23.

NOTE: If a student is promoted mid-year, the appropriate grade promotion status code should be indicated in the student's record. If the student is actually promoted again at the end of the school year, the code should be noted; however, if the student is not promoted at the end of the school year, the mid-year promotion status should be reported on Survey 5.

COMMENT: Definitions are abbreviated on the permanent record. See Automated Student Permanent Record document.

Length: 1

Format: Alphabetic

Compatibility Requirement: Compatible

Grades and Programs Requiring This Data Element:

All Programs Grades PK-12

Use Types:

- ☒ **State Report**
- ☐ **Postsecondary Transcript**
- ☒ **Local Accountability**
- ☒ **District Records Transfer**
- ☒ **Permanent Record**

State Reporting Formats Requiring This Data Element:

Student End of Year Status DB9 17x

Data Element Number: 126425

Reported in Survey Periods: ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☒ 5 ☐ 9