

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

Year: 2017-18

Data Element Number: **109225**

Data Element Name: **Course Grade**

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The academic letter or number grade earned by a student in a course or other codes to indicate the current course status.

Right justify. Use leading blanks.

Coding values:

Grades 6-12, Adult Secondary Education, Adult Postsecondary Career and Technical Education (optional)

Beginning with School Year 2001-02, Section 1003.437, F.S., requires that the following scale be used in determining high school grades: Beginning with School Year 2007-08, the scale also applies to middle school grades:

A = 90%-100%, B = 80%-89%, C = 70%-79%, D = 60%-69%, F = 0%-59%

The district may use either a letter or a numeric grade on the permanent report card and transcript. Plus (“+”) or minus (“-”) signs may be displayed on the local report card, automated permanent record, and transcript but cannot be included in calculating the state grade point average.

Grades PK-5, Adult Basic Skills (optional)

For grades PK-5, use any designator which falls within the three alphanumeric character definitions.

Codes displayed for PK-5 grades other than those listed must be defined in the text section of the automated permanent record file.

<b>Code</b>	<b>Definition/Example</b>
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A	
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A-	
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A+	
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B	
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B-	
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B+	
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C	
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C-	
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C+	
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D	
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D-	
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D+	
E	Excellent
F	
FL	Fail on a Pass/Fail basis
I	Incomplete
IP	In-Progress
N	Needs Improvement
NG	No Grade Assigned
NNN	Numeric Grade
P	Passing
S	Satisfactory
SB	Florida Seal of Biliteracy Program Eligible – Only applicable in Survey 5
T	Passed Exam (Applicable only to AP, EOC and CLEP) – Only applicable in Survey 5
U	Unsatisfactory
W	Withdrew (Dual Enrolled only)
WF	Withdrew Failing
WP	Withdrew Passing
Z	Not Applicable (Only applies in Student Course Schedule and if the course is not a virtual course offered in a virtual charter school, the school of instruction is not 7001, 7004, 7006 or 7023, or district of instruction does not equal 71.)

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NOTES: Code “W,” new for 2007-08, is to be used for Dual Enrollment courses only. Districts must record the grade assigned by the college or university. Codes “IP” and “Z” are new for 2013-14 and are only to be applied to specific virtual courses in Student Course Schedule records. These codes are not to be applied in any Student Course Transcript record.

Rules 6A-6.0981 and 6A-6.0982 F.A.C. requires student completion rate calculations for any student who is enrolled in a virtual course for more than fourteen (14) calendar days.

**Length:** 3

**Data Type:** Alphanumeric

**Year Implemented:** 9192

**State Standard:** No

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**Use Types:**

State Reporting: Yes  
Local Accountability: Yes  
FASTER: Yes  
Migrant Tracking: Yes

**Required Grades:** PK-12, Adult

**Programs Required:**

All Programs  
Adult Basic Skills  
Adult Postsecondary  
Adult Secondary

**Formats Required:**

Student Course Schedule DB9 14x  
Student Course Transcript Information DB9 39x

**Surveys Required:**

Survey 5 Yes  
Survey 1 Yes  
Survey 2 Yes  
Survey 3 Yes  
Survey 4 Yes

**Appendixes:**

None

**Description of Changes:**

5/11/2017	Codes	Added new code SB per Rule 6A-1.09951, F.A.C.
7/1/2016	Codes	Added new code T.
7/1/2015	Notes	Added Note about Course Grade for Virtual.
7/17/2013	Codes	Added codes IP and Z to only be used in Student Course Schedule