

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

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Element Name: **Exceptional Student, IDEA Educational Environments**

Definition/Domain

A one character code to identify the educational environment in which a student with disabilities is served. Working down the list, select the first code applicable to the student. For students identified as gifted who are not also identified as disabled use code Z. For all students ages 0-2, use code Z.

CODE DEFINITION

FOR ALL STUDENTS, DETERMINE IF CODES C OR P APPLY:

- C** **Correction Facility** - Students with disabilities receiving special education in Department of Juvenile Justice facilities (School Type 10 in Master School Identification File), Department of Corrections facilities, or City/County Jails.
- P** **Private Schools** - Students with disabilities enrolled by their parents or guardians in regular parochial or other private schools and who receive special education and related services at public expense from a local educational agency. Includes Opportunity Scholarship schools; does not include charter schools.

FOR ALL STUDENTS AGES 3-5 NOT CODED AS C OR P, DETERMINE IF CODES A, B, I OR S APPLY:

- A** **Home** - Children with disabilities who receive all of their special education and related services in the principal residence of the child's family or caregivers.
- B** **Residential Facility** -Children with disabilities who receive all of their special education and related services in publicly or privately operated residential schools or residential medical facilities on an inpatient basis.
- I** **Itinerant Services Outside the Home** – Children with disabilities who receive all of their special education and related services at a school or other location for a short period of time (no more than 3 hours per week.) These services may be provided individually or to a small group of children. (Example: speech instruction up to 3 hours per week.)

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Length: 1	Grades and Programs Requiring This Data Element:
Format: Alphabetic	Exceptional Student Education Grades PK-12
Compatibility Requirement: State Standard	
Use Types:	State Reporting Formats Requiring This Data Element:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State Report	Exceptional Student DB9 23X
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local Accountability	
<input type="checkbox"/> F.A.S.T.E.R.	
Data Element Number: 117525	Reported in Survey Periods: <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 9
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FOR ALL STUDENTS AGES 3-5 NOT CODED AS C OR P, DETERMINE IF CODES A, B, I OR S APPLY: (Continued)

S Separate School - Children with disabilities who receive all of their special education and related services in educational programs in public or private day schools specifically for children with disabilities. (Also known as center schools, where all of the students are disabled.)

FOR ALL STUDENTS AGES 6-21 NOT CODED AS C OR P, DETERMINE IF CODES D, E, F, G, OR H APPLY:

D Public Separate Facility - Students with disabilities receiving special education and related services for greater than 50 percent of the school day in **non-residential** public separate facilities. (Also known as center schools, where all of the students are disabled.)

E Private Separate Facility - Students with disabilities receiving special education and related services, at public expense, for greater than 50 percent of the school day in **non-residential** private separate facilities. This involves a contract between the school district and a private day school.

F Public Residential Facility - Students with disabilities receiving special education and related services for greater than 50 percent of the school day in public **residential** facilities (e.g., Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind).

G Private Residential Facility - Students with disabilities receiving special education and related services, at public expense, for greater than 50 percent of the school day in private residential facilities. This involves a contract between the school district and a private residential school.

H Home/Hospital - Students with disabilities receiving special education and related services at home or in a hospital.

FOR ALL OTHERS (INCLUDING STUDENTS 0-2 AND STUDENTS IDENTIFIED AS GIFTED AND NOT ALSO IDENTIFIED AS DISABLED) USE THE FOLLOWING CODE:

Z None of the Above - For these students, educational environment will be calculated using the two elements, Time, Total School Week and Time with Non-disabled Peers found on the Exceptional Student Format.

Placement should be determined as of December 1 of the school year. The element is only reported for exceptional students during Survey 9. Districts must Z-fill this element for other survey periods.

