

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

Year: 2017-18

Data Element Number: **139025**

Data Element Name: **Incident, Gang-Related**

A code indicating whether or not the incident was gang related.

Code	Definition/Example
N	No
Y	Yes
Z	Use this code for (UBL) Unsubstantiated Bullying and (UHR) Unsubstantiated Harassment.

NOTE: Incident is gang related if gang affiliation/association caused the incident or was a contributing factor to action that happened during the incident. For example, an incident of vandalism or robbery might be a part of an initiation into a gang or a fight might be caused by group rivalry. Report an incident as gang related only if you are sure that gang affiliation/association contributed to that incident. Factors to be considered when determining whether the incident is gang related include, but are not limited to the following: A gang is a somewhat organized group of some duration, sometimes characterized by turf concerns, symbols, special dress or colors. The group is recognized as a gang by its members and others. One or more of those involved in the incident admits to gang affiliation/association or admits that gang affiliation/association was a contributing factor to the incident. One or more of those involved was identified by his/her parents as a gang member/associate. One or more involved were wearing clothing, tattoos, or a style of dress "known" to be associated with gang(s). Students/witnesses to the incident alleged that the incident or one or more of those involved in the incident was gang related or affiliated/associated with a gang. The determination of whether or not the incident was gang related should be based on a reasonable interpretation of the totality of the circumstances.

**Length:** 1

**Data Type:** Alphabetic

**Year Implemented:** 9596

**State Standard:** No

**Use Types:**

State Reporting: Yes

Local Accountability: Yes

FASTER: No

Migrant Tracking: No

**Required Grades:** KG-12

**Programs Required:**

All Programs

**Formats Required:**

School Environmental Safety Incident Report DB9 42x

**Surveys Required:**

Survey 2 Yes

Survey 3 Yes

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Survey 5      Yes

**Appendixes:**

None

**Description of Changes:**

None