

CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY COLLEGES MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM

DATA ELEMENT DICTIONARY

Student Precollegiate Basic Skills Coursework Limitation Data Elements

DED#	DATA ELEMENT NAME	FORMAT
PS01	PBS-STUDENT-UNITS-ACCUMULATED	99V99

This element represents the cumulative total of non-degree credit units which the student has earned from precollegiate basic skills (PBS) coursework subject to the unit limitation of Title 5, Section 55756.5(b).

(Excludes units earned while the student is exempt from the limitation per the provisions of Title 5, Section 55756.5(c)).

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This is a numeric field with four digits, two before and two after the implied decimal point. The decimal point itself must not be included in the field.

NOTE:

1. Reporting colleges on the quarter system are expected to report all units fields as quarter-based units.
2. Title 5, Section 55756.5 regulations became law in July, 1990. Districts must have procedures in place to permit tracking of students enrolling in and completing precollegiate basic skills courses beginning in the Fall 1990 term.
3. Students enrolled in one or more courses of English as a Second Language (ESL) are exempted from the limitation on remedial coursework for that term. Consequently, precollegiate basic skills units taken during the term when a student was also enrolled in ESL courses are not included in the units accumulated toward the remedial unit limitation.