

California Community Colleges
Management Information System
Data Element Dictionary

Student Basic Data Elements

DED#	DATA ELEMENT NAME	FORMAT
SB15	STUDENT-ENROLLMENT-STATUS	X
This element indicates the student's current standing with respect to attendance at the reporting college.		

Coding	Meaning
First-Time Student	
1	A Student enrolled in college for the first time after High School. The first time a student enrolls in a primary term, this element should be coded as '1', even if the student was previously enrolled in a summer or winter intersession. For example, if a student enrolls at the college for the first time during a summer term and subsequently enrolls during a fall term, the student should be coded as '1' for both terms.
First-Time Transfer Student	
2	A student enrolled at the reporting college for the first time and who transferred from another institution of higher education.
Returning Student	
3	A student enrolled at the reporting college after an absence of one or more primary terms.
Continuing Student	
5	A student enrolled in the current session and was enrolled in the previous regular session.
Not Applicable	
Y	A Special Admit student currently enrolled in K-12 (see Student Education Status SB11, code 10000).
Uncollected / Unreported	
X	Uncollected or unreported.
This element may be coded with "X" if a student is only enrolled in noncredit courses.	

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Processing Edits	
FIELD CHECK	1, 2, 3, 5, Y, X
INTEGRITY CHECK	If Student Education Status (SB11) is coded as 7YYYY, 7XXXX, 8YYYY, 8XXXX, (indicating a degree), then SB15 must not be coded as 1 (first-time student). If Student Education Status (SB11) is coded as 10000 (special admit K-12), then this field must be coded as "Y" (special admit K-12).
DATA QUALITY CHECK	(SB15) Enrollment status for credit students: Must have at least 50% continuing Unknown may not exceed 10%.

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Change History	
Revision: 10/01/00 Move note #1 to 1 - First-time Student, Update 3 – Returning Student = A student enrolled at the reporting college after an absence of one or more primary terms. Delete code 4 = Returning Student.	
Revision 06/01/96 Added note: This element may be coded with "X" if a student is enrolled in noncredit courses only.	
Revision: 08/01/93 Added note: The first time a student enrolls in a primary term this element should be coded as '1', even if the student was previously enrolled in a summer session. For example, if a student enrolls at the college for the first time during a summer term and subsequently enrolls during a fall term the student should be coded as '1' for both terms.	
Revision: 02/01/91 Added (see SB11 = 100)	
Implement: 06/01/89	