CONSOLIDATED STATE PERFORMANCE REPORT: Part II

for
STATE FORMULA GRANT PROGRAMS
under the
ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION ACT
As amended in 2001

For reporting on School Year 2018-19

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INTRODUCTION

The Consolidated State Performance Report (CSPR) is the required annual reporting tool for each State, the Bureau of Indian Education, District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico as authorized under Section 8303¹ of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA), as amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015(ESSA)².

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¹ SEC.8303. Consolidated Reporting – (a) In general: In order to simplify reporting requirements and reduce reporting burdens, the Secretary shall establish procedures and criteria under which a State educational agency, in consultation with the Governor of the State, may submit a consolidated State annual report. (b) Contents: The report shall contain information about the programs included in the report, including the performance of the State under those programs, and other matters as the Secretary determines are necessary, such as monitoring activities. (c) Replacement: The report shall replace separate individual annual reports for the programs included in the consolidated State annual report.

² All citations to the ESEA in this document are to the ESEA, as amended by the ESSA.

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2.1 ACCOUNTABILITY

2.1.1 School Performance on Accountability Indicators

The following indicators are collected through ESS and compiled in the EDEN036 report via the EDFacts Reporting System (ERS) and will be posted as an accompanying report for every State:

- LEA Name
- NCES LEA ID
- State LEA ID
- School Name
- NCES School ID
- State School ID
- Title I School Status DG 22 (FS129)
- Academic achievement indicator status DG 835 (FS200)
- Other academic indicator status DG 836 (FS201)
- Graduation rate indicator status DG 834 (FS199)
- Progress achieving English language proficiency indicator status DG 837 (FS205)
- School quality or student success indicator status DG 838 (FS202)

The EDFacts files and data groups used in this report are listed in the CSPR Crosswalk. The CSPR Data Key contains more detailed information on how the data are populated into the report. Before certifying Part II of the CSPR, a state user must run the report in ERS and verify that the state's data are correct. The final, certified data from this report will be made publicly available alongside the state's certified CSPR DOCX.

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2.1.2 Schools Identified for Comprehensive Support and Improvement

In the table below, provide the number of schools identified for comprehensive support and improvement, overall and by reason identified.

	Number of Schools	Number of Title I Schools	Number of non-Title I Schools
Lowest performing five percent of Title I schools	36		
High schools failing to graduate one third or more of their students	7	7	0
Title I schools that have received additional targeted support under Section 1111(d)(2)(C) of the ESEA and that have not exited that status after a Statedetermined number of years			
Total Identified	43		

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2.1.3 Schools Implementing Targeted Support and Improvement Plans

In the table below, provide the number of schools implementing targeted support and improvement plans.

	Number of Schools	Number of Title I Schools	Number of non- Title I Schools
Schools with One or More Consistently			
Underperforming Subgroups of Students			
Schools in which any Subgroup of Students, on its own, would lead to Identification Under <i>ESEA</i> Section 1111(c)(4)(D)(i)(I) (i.e., Schools Receiving Additional Targeted Support)	46	40	6

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2.1.4 Section 1003 of the ESEA School Improvement Funds

In the tables below, provide the amount of Section 1003 funds of the ESEA allocated to each district and school.

2.1.4.1 Section 1003 of the ESEA Allocations to LEAs

For each LEA receiving a 1003(a) allocation, list the amount of the allocation. The data for this question are reported through ED*Facts* files and compiled in the EDEN012 "Section 1003 Allocations to LEAs and Schools" report in the ED*Facts* Reporting System (ERS).

- Name of LEA with One or More Schools Provided Assistance through Section 1003(a) of the ESEA Funds in SY 2018-19
- NCES LEA ID
- Amount of LEA's Section 1003(a) of the ESEA Allocation

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2.1.4.2 Section 1003 of the ESEA Allocations to Schools

For each school receiving a Section 1003(a) allocation of the *ESEA*, list the amount of the allocation. The data for this question are reported through ED*Facts* files and compiled in the EDEN012 "Section 1003 Allocations to LEAs and Schools" report in the ED*Facts* Reporting System (ERS).

- Name of School Provided Assistance through Section 1003(a) of the ESEA Funds in SY 2018-19
- NCES School ID
- Amount of School's Section1003(a) of the ESEA Allocation

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2.2 GRADUATION RATES AND POSTSECONDARY ENROLLMENT

This section collects data on graduation rates and rates of postsecondary enrollment.

2.2.1 Four Year Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rates

In the table below, provide the state's four year adjusted cohort graduation rates for the current reporting period.

Student Group	# Students in Cohort	# of Graduates	Graduation Rate
All students	10,391	9,002	86.63%
American Indian or Alaska Native	1,091	728	66.73%
Asian or Pacific Islander	102	94	92.16%
Asian	71	68	95.77%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	31	26	83.87%
Black or African American	107	83	77.57%
Hispanic or Latino	420	349	83.10%
White	8,377	7,504	89.58%
Two or more races	294	244	82.99%
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	1,311	1,023	78.03%
English Learners	417	272	65.23%
Economically disadvantaged students	4,773	3,705	77.62%
Children in foster care	54	47	87.04%
Children who are homeless	644	454	70.50%

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) on graduation rates:

What is the adjusted cohort graduation rate? The adjusted cohort graduation rate is described in sections 8101(23) and 8101(25) of the ESEA.

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters. No comment.

2.2.2 Postsecondary Enrollment

In the table below, provide counts of students who enrolled in programs of postsecondary education during the current reporting period. If data are missing or incomplete, please explain in the comments.

	# Enrolled in an IHE	# Not enrolled in an IHE	# for which data are unavailable	Total
All students	4,192	0	4,983	9,175
American Indian or Alaska Native	215	0	570	785
Asian or Pacific Islander	45	0	55	100
Asian	40	0	44	84
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	5	0	11	16
Black or African American	38	0	49	87
Hispanic or Latino	124	0	230	354
White	3,688	0	3,960	7,648
Two or more races	82	0	119	201
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	153	0	723	876
English Learners	9	0	69	78
Economically disadvantaged students	943	0	2,044	2,987

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

No comment.

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2.3 TITLE I, PART A PROGRAM PARTICIPATION

The following sections collect data on students participating in Title I, Part A by various student characteristics.

2.3.1 Student Participation in Public Title I, Part A by Special Services or Programs

In the table below, provide the number of public school students served by either Public Title I Schoolwide Programs (SWPs) or Targeted Assistance programs (TAS) at any time during the regular school year for each category listed. Count each student only once in each category even if the student participated during more than one term or in more than one school or district in the State. Count each student in as many of the categories that are applicable to the student. Include pre-kindergarten through grade 12. Do not include the following individuals: (1) adult participants of adult literacy programs funded by Title I, (2) private school students participating in Title I programs operated by local educational agencies, or (3) students served in Part A local neglected programs.

Special Services or Programs	# Students Served
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	12,011
English learners	2,852
Homeless students	2,996
Migrant students	283

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.3.2 Student Participation in Public Title I, Part A by Racial/Ethnic Group

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of public school students served by either Title I SWP or TAS at any time during the regular school year. Each student should be reported in only one racial/ethnic category. Include pre-kindergarten through grade 12. The total number of students served will be calculated automatically.

Do <u>not</u> include: (1) adult participants of adult literacy programs funded by Title I, (2) private school students participating in Title I programs operated by local educational agencies, or (3) students served in Part A local neglected programs.

Race/Ethnicity	# Students Served
American Indian or Alaska Native	14,681
Asian	439
Black or African American	626
Hispanic or Latino	3,764
Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	156
White	50,247
Two or more races	3,382
Total	73,295

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.3.3 Student Participation in Title I, Part A by Grade Level

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of students participating in Title I, Part A programs by grade level and by type of program: Title I public TAS, Title I SWP, private school students participating in Title I programs (private), and Part A local neglected programs (local neglected). The totals column by type of program will be automatically calculated.

Age /Grade	Public TAS	Public SWP	Private	Local Neglected	Total
Age Birth through 2	0	0	0	0	0
Age 3 through 5 (not	11	1,803	0	0	1,814
Kindergarten)					
K	760	5,536	96	18	6,410
1	928	5,169	119	28	6,244
2	945	5,134	121	37	6,237
3	806	5,158	83	45	6,092
4	799	5,420	125	45	6,389
5	748	5,551	113	54	6,466
6	808	4,913	105	59	5,885
7	698	4,652	98	67	5,515
8	582	4,513	95	93	5,283
9	625	4,410	83	80	5,198
10	804	4,144	63	71	5,082
11	558	3,747	41	73	4,419
12	432	3,641	15	43	4,131
Ungraded	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	9,504	63,791	1,157	713	75,165

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.4 EDUCATION OF MIGRATORY CHILDREN

This section collects data on the Migrant Education Program (MEP) (Title I, Part C) for the performance period of September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2019. This section is composed of the following subsections:

- Population data of eligible migratory children
- Academic data of eligible migratory students
- Data of migratory children served during the performance period
- School data
- Project data
- Personnel data

Report a child in the age/grade category in which the child spent the *majority of their time* while residing in the State during the performance period.

There are two exceptions to this rule:

- 1. A child who turns 3 during the performance period is reported as "Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)," **only** if the child's residency in the state was verified after the child turned 3.
- 2. A child who turns 22 years of age during the performance is reported at the appropriate age/grade category for the performance period.

2.4.1 Migratory Child Counts

This section collects the Title I, Part C, MEP child counts which States are required to provide and may be used to determine the annual State allocations under Title I, Part C. The child counts should reflect the performance period of September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2019. This section also collects a report on the procedures used by States to produce true, reliable, and valid child counts.

To provide the child counts, each State Education Agency (SEA) should have implemented sufficient procedures and internal controls to ensure that it is counting only those children who are eligible for the MEP. Such procedures are important to protecting the integrity of the State's MEP because they permit the early discovery and correction of eligibility problems and thus help to ensure that only eligible migratory children are counted for funding purposes and are served. If an SEA has reservations about the accuracy of its child counts, it must disclose known data limitations to the Department, and explain how and when it will resolve data quality issues through corrective actions in the box below, which precedes Section 2.4.1.1 Category 1 Child Count.

Note: In submitting this information, the Authorizing State Official must certify that, to the best of his/her knowledge, the State has taken action to ensure that the child counts and information contained in the report are true, reliable, and valid and that any false Statement provided is subject to fine or imprisonment pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §1001.

FAQs on Child Count:

a. How is "out-of-school" defined? Out-of-school means children up through age 21 who are entitled to a free public education in the State but are not currently enrolled in a K-12 institution. This term could include students who have dropped out of school, youth who are working on a high school equivalency diploma (HSED) outside of a K-12 institution, and youth who are "here-to-work" only. It would not include children in preschool, nor does it include temporary absences (e.g., summer/intersession, suspension or illness). Enrollment in school is not a condition affecting eligibility for the MEP. Therefore, out- of-school youth who meet the definition of a "migratory child" are eligible for the MEP.

b. How is "ungraded" defined? Ungraded means the children are served in an educational unit that has no separate grades. For example, some schools have primary grade groupings that are not traditionally graded or ungraded groupings for children with learning disabilities (IDEA). In some cases, ungraded students may also include special education children (IDEA), transitional bilingual students, students working on a HSED through a K-12 institution, or those in a correctional setting. (Do not count students working on a HSED outside of a K-12 institution as ungraded; these students are counted as out-of-school youth.)

c. How is reporting a child "in the age/grade category in which s/he spent the majority of his/her time while residing in the State" defined? A State must report a child in only one age/grade category in which the child spent the majority of his/her time while residing in the State. For example, a migratory child resided in State A for three months and in State B for nine months in SY2018-19. While in State A, the child enrolled in ninth grade for two months and in tenth grade for one month. Therefore, State A will report the child in the age/grade category of ninth grade, because the child spent the majority of his/her time in ninth grade in State A. In State B, the child enrolled in eighth grade for one month and in ninth grade for eight months. Therefore, State B will report the child in the age/grade category of ninth grade, because the child spent the majority of his/her time in ninth grade in State B.

In the space below, discuss any concerns about the accuracy of the reported child counts or the underlying eligibility determinations on which the counts are based and how and when these concerns will be resolved.

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

There are no such concerns regarding the accuracy of the reported child count or eligibility determinations made. By rigorous and on -going data verification from the initial eligibility review of the COE by LEA/ LOA and SEA-designated regional staff, to the actual data entry into the NGS system by trained data entry staff, the MT MEP ensures that all data is accurately transmitted from the COE to NGS and then uploaded into MSIX. Subsequent to that, as part of the SEA CSPR process those data are re-checked and provided for every required EDFacts data file. MEP Staff have been involved in student by student data validity checks with NGS programming staff and MSIX staff throughout the performance period. Thorough training regarding the MDEs, student eligibility requirements, data entry requirements is provided to all relevant MT MEP staff every year.

2.4.1.1 Category 1 Child Count (Eligible Migratory Children)

In the table below, enter the <u>unduplicated</u> statewide number by age/grade of **eligible** migratory children age 3 through 21 who, within 3 years of making a qualifying move, resided in your State for one or more days during the performance period of September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2019. This figure includes all eligible migratory children who may or may not have received MEP services. Count a child who moved from one age/grade level to another during the performance period only once in the age/grade category in which s/he spent the majority of his/her time while residing in the State, during the performance period. The unduplicated statewide total count is calculated automatically.

Do not include children age birth through 2 years.

Age/Grade	Eligible Migratory Children
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)	148
K	61
1	77
2	95
3	77
4	87
5	88
6	89
7	80
8	70
9	74
10	60
11	77
12	28
Ungraded	0
Out-of-school	12
Total	1,123

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.4.1.2 Category 1 Child Count Increases/Decreases

In the space below, explain any increases or decreases from last year in the number of students reported for Category 1 greater than 10 percent.

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2.4.1.3 Birth through Two Child Count

In the table below, enter the unduplicated statewide number of eligible migratory children from birth through age 2 who, within 3 years of making a qualifying move, resided in your State for one or more days during the performance period of September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2019.

Age/Grade	Eligible Migratory Children
Age Birth through 2	51

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.4.2 Category 2 Child Count (Eligible Migratory Children Served by the MEP During the Summer/ Intersession Term)

In the table below, enter by age/grade the <u>unduplicated</u> statewide number of **eligible** migratory children age 3 through 21 who, within 3 years of making a qualifying move, were <u>served</u> for one or more days in a MEP-funded project conducted during either the <u>summer term or during intersession periods</u> that occurred within the performance period of September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2019. Count a child who moved from one age/grade level to another during the performance period only once in the age/grade category in which s/he spent the majority of his/her time while residing in the State, during the performance period. Count a child who moved to different schools within the State and who was served in both traditional summer and year-round school intersession programs only once. The unduplicated statewide total count is calculated automatically.

Do not include:

- Children age birth through 2 years
- Children who received only referred services (non-MEP funded).

Age/Grade	Eligible Migratory Children Served by the MEP During the Summer/Intersession Term
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)	139
K	51
1	67
2	83
3	65
4	70
5	74
6	76
7	69
8	62
9	59
10	43
11	67
12	5
Ungraded	0
Out-of-school	7
Total	937

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters. No comment.

2.4.2.1 Category 2 Child Count Increases/Decreases

In the space below, explain any increases or decreases from last year in the number of students reported for Category 2 greater than 10 percent.

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25 % increase due to enhanced identification and recruitment in non project areas during summer months.

2.4.2.2 Birth through Two Eligible Migratory Children Served by the MEP During the Summer/Intersession Term

In the table below, enter the unduplicated statewide number of eligible migratory children from age birth through 2 who, within 3 years of making a qualifying move, were served for one or more days in a MEP-funded project conducted during either the summer term or during intersession periods that occurred within the performance period of September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2019. Count a child who moved to different schools within the State and who was served in both traditional summer and year-round school intersession programs only once.

Do not include:

- Children who received only referred services (non-MEP funded).

Age/Grade	Eligible Migratory Children Served by the MEP During the Summer/Intersession Term
Age Birth through 2	50

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.4.3 Child Count Calculation and Validation Procedures

The following questions request information on the State's MEP child count calculation and validation procedures.

2.4.3.1 Methods Used to Count Children

In the space below, please describe the procedures and processes at the State level used to ensure all eligible children, ages 3-21 are reported. In particular, describe how the State includes and counts only:

- The unduplicated count of eligible migratory children, ages 3-21. Only include children two years of age whose residency in the state has been verified after turning three.
- Children who met the program eligibility criteria (e.g., were within 3 years of a qualifying move, engaged or had parents engage in migratory agricultural or fishing work, and were entitled to a free public education through grade 12 in the State, or preschool children below the age and grade level at which the agency provides free public education). Children who were resident in your State for at least 1 day during the performance period (September 1 through August 31).
- Children who graduated from high school or attained a High School Equivalency Diploma (HSED) during the performance period and ensures that these children are not counted in the subsequent performance period's child count.
- Children who—in the case of Category 2—were <u>served</u> for one or more days in a MEP- funded project conducted during either <u>the summer term or during intersession periods</u>.
- Children once per age/grade level for each child count category.
- Children who had an SEA approved Certificate of Eligibility (COE) and were entered in the State's migratory student database.

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Core eligibility, family history, and demographic data is collected by recruiters (trained by SEA personnel or consultants on an annual basis) through a direct family interview and documented on the Certificate of Eligibility (COE), which complies with all of the National COE requirements. Data was collected throughout the reporting period between September 1, 2018, and August 31, 2019. Data are then entered into the NGS database by trained data entry personnel and reviewed by local and state data administrators. Project sites also use NGS to run data checks and various reports throughout the reporting period prior to submitting final data to the SEA. The data are organized within NGS to reflect all eligibility information required by statute and obtained during the interview, which has been documented on the COE that comports with the National COE template. Each COE is validated and checked for accuracy by the local project director and the SEA's Designated Data Administrator. The NGS query is programmed to count a student only once statewide in the Category 1 and Category 2 counts. In order to avoid duplication and to assure correct student identification, NGS creates a unique student identification (USID) number for each new student entered into the NGS centralized dynamic database. Before a new student record can be created, the system checks for duplication based on the student's last name or similar last name by using a system generated "wild card" prompt. The wild card prompt allows data entry personnel to check potential duplicate students by displaying students that have a range of similar information. Potential duplicates are then checked against additional fields such as first name, birth date, and parents' names. Any matches generate further review that is conducted by the data review team at the SEA. Once the data have been entered at the local and/or state level, they are crosschecked against paper copies of the COE by trained local personnel, and then, once again by SEA's Data Designee. A child may not be enrolled in NGS without inputting a qualifying activity. The information in NGS is verified at the local and state levels to ensure that it matches the paper COE. The activity is validated according to the state's quality control processes and only verified qualifying activities and moves can be entered into the data system. MT OPI migrant data analyst and LOA MEP data staff perform trained data personnel attend to MSIX worklists in a timely manner and crosschecks between NGS (migrant student database) AIM (MT student database) and MSIX (national database).

NGS selects students for the unique student count based upon the enrollment/performance period and current federal eligibility criteria. This report counts each student once, based upon a unique USID, even if the student has multiple enrollment records within the reporting timeframe. Selection Criteria

Below is a list of selection criteria used to create the unique student count:

- Regular and summer enrollments containing an enrollment and withdrawal date are included if the student was enrolled for at least one day during the reporting period.
- The student has a residency verification date within the school year.
- The student is between 3 years and 21 years 11 months old for at least one day during the reporting period.
- The student's most recent qualifying arrival date must be less than 36 months from the beginning of the reporting period.
- If the enrollment record has a termination date, the student must not be terminated prior to the beginning of the reporting period. Students who have graduated high school or who have received there HiSED are NOT given new enrollments in NGS.
- For twelve-month counts, any type of eligible enrollment is counted.
- For the summer/intersession (Category 2) counts, the report includes enrollments with a summer or intersession type of enrollment.

Following is an example of the criteria used to gather the data from the database; for these examples, the YR1 and YR2 are used to represent the school year selection. For the 2018-2019 school year option, YR1=performance period 2018-19 and performance period YR2=2017-2018. For the QAD criteria, YR3 represents a date three years prior to the school year date. In order for a student to be eligible for this count, he/she must have made a qualifying move within three years. For the school year 2018-2019, Yr3= September 1, 2015-2016. The data for the count is retrieved using the following criteria:

Enrollment Date Information:

- the withdrawal date is between 9/1/YR1 and 8/31/YR2; OR
- the enrollment rate is between 9/1/YR1 and 8/31/YR2; OR

- the residency verification date is between 9/1/YR1 and 8/31/YR2.
- the termination reason does not equal 'G' (Graduated), 'E' (GED/HSED) or 'D' (Deceased) and the termination date is greater than 8/31/YR1. The QAD greater than or equal to 9/1/YR3.• Birth date Information:
- the student must be between 3 and 21 years 11 months old to be counted.

In the case of Category 2 children, only those in only those in attendance or who are served by a mobile or in-orchard tutorial are counted as eligible children served. Children who are identified, but who do not participate in any MEP funded services are not counted as part of the Category 2 count and considered to be residency-only students. For children two years of age that turned three years old during the performance period, recruiters use an NGS report to track two year- olds about to turn three and schedule visits with families to verify residency and to enroll or refer three-year-olds into programs if possible. NGS counts only those three-year-olds who are actually in residence in the state on or after their third birthday. The same scrutiny is applied to migrant students who graduate or receive their HiSED. Recruiters, MEP staff and Data Entry persons record the graduation or HiSED information for students meeting those criteria. While we do serve students who are seniors during a given performance period, once that student has completed a high school diploma or HiSED, the student will no longer be deemed eligible for the MEP. Any post-graduation or HiSED completion student may receive post-graduation mentoring or assistance if needed, but only as a continuation student, not a student eligible for inclusion in the Category 1 or 2 counts.

Does the State ensure that the system that transmits migrant data to the Department accurately accounts for all the migratory children in every EDFacts data file? See the Office of Migrant Education's CSPR Rating Instrument for the criteria needed to address this question. Please respond in the table below.

Accuracy of EDFacts Data Files	Yes/No
The State deployed a process that ensured that it transmits accurate migrant data to the Department in every	YES
required ED <i>Facts</i> data file.	

Use of MSIX to Verify Data Quality	Yes/No
Does the State use data in the Migrant Student Information Exchange (MSIX) to verify the quality of migrant data?	YES

If MSIX is utilized, please explain how.

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

We do use MSIX to the extent possible to verify data quality. We also continue intense interstate follow-up with sending states where we have access to source data. To that end, no significant issues of MTMEP data quality were found in our prospective re-interviewing process, our interstate COE sharing with Washington state in 2018-9, or in our missed enrollment follow-up procedures. Using the MSIX missed enrollment report, we were able to verify a few families residency in Montana for qualifying work. Other families either had resettled to another location within our state or had left Montana for another state before our recruiters could find them.

MSIX does help us to be comprehensive in the methods we use to assess our identification and recruitment procedures. Using this MSIX , we have been able to locate families who were in MSIX and who had traveled to Montana which further enabled us to: (1) identify new isolated, rural areas in our state where we did not have continual ID and R going on, as well as keeping recruiters aware of the time period when we might anticipate that happening again and, (2) work with sending states to ensure the quality of their data in MSIX. Using MSIX assists the MTMEP to continuously improve its Identification and Recruitment practices. The MSIX adjunct server application performs an automated export of data between NGS and MSIX. This stand-alone application runs continuously and triggers the uploads via its own built-in scheduler which runs at 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. The MSIX response application automatically imports data between MSIX and NGS. It is a stand-alone application that is kicked off by a Windows Task Schedular task that runs at 1:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. It does not run on weekends. MSIX has 4 types of files that it responds with, Merge/Split files (SSOMSI), on demand response files (SSOOI), Response files (SSORI) and Response error files (SSOREI).

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters. No comment.

2.4.3.2 Quality Control Processes

In the space below, describe the results of any re-interview processes used by the SEA during the performance period to test the accuracy of the State's MEP eligibility determinations.

Results	#
The number of eligibility determinations sampled.	30
The number of eligibility determinations sampled for which a re-interview was completed.	25
The number of eligibility determinations sampled for which a re-interview was completed and the child was found eligible.	25

Procedures	SY
What was the most recent year that the MEP conducted independent prospective re-interviews (i.e.,	
interviewers were neither SEA or LEA staff members responsible for administering or operating the	
MEP, nor any other persons who worked on the initial eligibility determinations being tested)? If	2018-2019
independent prospective re-interviews were not administered in any of the three performance	
periods, please provide an explanation in the "Comment" row at the end of this table.	

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Desk audit of randomly sampled COEs done in MT by outside consultant; WA based student's COEs shared with sending state.

FAQ on independent prospective re-interviews:

What are independent prospective re-interviews? Independent prospective re-interviews allow confirmation of your State's eligibility determinations and the accuracy of the numbers of migratory children in your State reports. Independent prospective interviews should be conducted at least once every three years by an independent interviewer, performed on the current year's identified migratory children.

Obtaining Data from Families	Re-interview Method
Select how the re-interviews were conducted:	
Face-to-face re-interviews	Both
Phone Interviews	Boui
Both	

Obtaining Data from Families	Yes/No
Was there a protocol for verifying all information used in making the original eligibility determination?	YES
Were re-interviewers independent from the original interviewers?	YES

If you did conduct independent re-interviews in this reporting period, describe how you ensured that the process was independent. Only enter a response if your State completed independent re-interviews in SY 2018-19.

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

As part of the ongoing quality control process that the SEA has crafted to ensure the accuracy of the state's MEP eligibility determinations, policy was established which conforms with the Prospective Re-Interviewing regulation (Section 200.89(b)(2) which states that these re-interviews are to be conducted on current year eligibility determinations using a small sample size of randomly selected COEs. The actual number of COEs selected for re-interviewing depends upon the number of children in the project and the type of mobility patterns to which the families conform according to the guidance provided. For the 2018-19 performance period, the data quality team determined that a stratified random sample COEs selected through a sequence generator using the resources of random.org and the MT COE numbers for each of the families would be completed and would be performed by a paid outside contractor who is trained in re-interviewing protocols. This process found all eligibility determinations documented by MTMEP recruitment staff to be valid. Some misspellings of place and names were corrected in this process. In the interest of interstate coordination and collaboration, as well as continuous improvement of data quality, the MTMEP provided COE copies of all Washington- based students identified in Montana in the 2018-19 performance period to the Washington state MEP MSDR in order for their recruiters to follow up on children identified in Montana during the 2019 summer cherry harvest. In this way, the MTMEP helps to ensure that currently mobile, shared students will be identified and served in their home base state of Washington. This process also serves as an informal re-interviewing strategy for over 100 migrant students during which the quality of MT data is checked for accuracy by Washington recruiters. No eligibility issues or data quality issues were reported because of that process, providing yet another layer of data scrutiny by the

In the space below, refer to the results of **any** re-interview processes used by the SEA, and if any of the migratory children were found ineligible, describe those corrective actions or improvements that will be made by the SEA to improve the accuracy of its MEP eligibility determinations

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Corrections were made to legal guardian names in two cases; a home address which was found to be invalid having to do with a custodial parent issues. Names, middle names and place name misspellings were found in 6 cases.

In the space below, please respond to the following question:

	Yes/No
Does the state collect all the required data elements and data sections on the National Certificate of Eligibility (COE)?	YES

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.4.4 Eligible Migratory Children

2.4.4.1 Priority for Services

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of **eligible** migratory children who have been classified as having "Priority for Services." The total is calculated automatically.

Age/Grade	Priority for Services During the Performance Period
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)	18
K	18
1	22
2	25
3	34
4	27
5	43
6	35
7	35
8	33
9	32
10	11
11	28
12	8
Ungraded	0
Out-of-school	0
Total	369

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

No comment.

FAQ on priority for services:

Who is classified as having "priority for service?" Migratory children who have made a qualifying move within the previous 1-year period and who1) are failing, or most at risk of failing to meet challenging State academic standards, or 2) have dropped out of school.

2.4.4.2 English Learners (ELs)

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of **eligible** migratory children who are also ELs. The total is calculated automatically.

Age/Grade	ELs During the Performance Period
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)	39
K	22
1	21
2	21
3	22
4	15
5	28
6	20
7	16
8	20
9	21
10	11
11	20
12	1
Ungraded	0
Out-of-school	0
Total	277

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.4.4.3 Children with Disabilities (IDEA)

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of **eligible** migratory children who are also children with disabilities (*IDEA*) under Part B or Part C of the *IDEA*. The total is calculated automatically.

Age/Grade	Children with Disabilities (IDEA) During the Performance Period
Age Birth through 2	0
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)	0
K	1
1	1
2	1
3	0
4	2
5	0
6	2
7	2
8	3
9	5
10	2
11	3
12	2
Ungraded	0
Out-of-school	1
Total	25

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.4.4.4 Qualifying Arrival Date (QAD)

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of **eligible** migratory children whose QAD occurred within 12 months from the last day of the performance period, August 31, 2019 (i.e., QAD during the performance period). The total is calculated automatically.

Age/Grade	QAD During the Performance Period
Age Birth through 2	36
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)	67
K	31
1	33
2	35
3	39
4	27
5	46
6	35
7	31
8	31
9	38
10	20
11	35
12	3
Ungraded	0
Out-of-school	4
Total	511

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.4.5 Academic Status

The following questions collect data about the academic status of **eligible** migratory students.

2.4.5.1 Dropouts

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of **eligible** migratory students who dropped out of school. The total is calculated automatically.

Grade	Dropouts During the Performance Period
7	0
8	0
9	0
10	0
11	0
12	1
Ungraded	0
Total	1

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

No comment.

FAQ on Dropouts:

How is "dropouts" defined? The term used for students, who, (1) were enrolled in a school for at least one day during the 2018-19 performance period, (2) were not enrolled at the beginning of the current (2018-19) performance period, (3) who have not graduated from high school or completed a State- or district-approved educational program, and (4) who do not meet any of the following exclusionary conditions: (a) transfer to another school district, private school or State- or district-approved educational program (including correctional or health facility programs), (b) temporary absence due to suspension or school-excused illness or (c) death. Students who dropped out-of-school prior to the 2018-19 performance period should not be reported in this item.

2.4.5.2 HSED (High School Equivalency Diploma)

In the table below, provide the total <u>unduplicated</u> number of **eligible** migratory students who obtained a High School Equivalency Diploma (HSED) by passing a high school equivalency test that your state accepts (e.g. GED, HiSET, TASC).

Obtain HSED	#
Obtained a HSED in your State During the Performance Period	0

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.4.6 MEP Services - During the Performance Period

The following questions collect data about MEP services provided to migratory children during the performance period.

FAQ on Services:

What are services? Services are a subset of all allowable activities that the MEP can provide through its programs and projects. "Services" are those educational or educationally related activities that: (1) directly benefit a migratory child; (2) address a need of a migratory child consistent with the SEA's comprehensive needs assessment and service delivery plan; (3) are grounded in scientifically based research or, in the case of support services, are a generally accepted practice; and (4) are designed to enable the program to meet its measurable outcomes and contribute to the achievement of the State's performance targets/annual measurable objectives. Activities related to identification and recruitment activities, parental involvement, program evaluation, professional development, or administration of the program are examples of allowable activities that are <u>not</u> considered services. Other examples of an allowable activity that would <u>not</u> be considered a service would be the one-time act of providing instructional packets to a child or family, and handing out leaflets to migratory families on available reading programs as part of an effort to increase the reading skills of migratory children. Although these are allowable activities, they are not services because they do not meet all of the criteria above.

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of **eligible** migratory children who received MEP-funded instructional or support services at any time during the performance period. Do <u>not</u> count the number of times an individual child received a service intervention. The total number of students served is calculated automatically.

Age/Grade	Served During the Performance Period		
Age Birth through 2	39		
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)	145		
K	61		
1	77		
2	95		
3	77		
4	87		
5	88		
6	89		
7	80		
8	70		
9	74		
10	60		
11	77		
12	28		
Ungraded	0		
Out-of-school	12		
Total	1,159		

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.4.6.1 Priority for Services – During the Performance Period

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of **eligible** migratory children who have been classified as having "priority for services" and who received MEP-funded instructional or support services during the performance period. The total is calculated automatically.

Age/Grade	Priority for Services During the Performance Period 18	
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)		
K	18	
1	22	
2	25	
3	34	
4	27	
5	43	
6	35	
7	35	
8	33	
9	32	
10	11	
11	28	
12	8	
Ungraded	0	
Out-of-school	0	
Total	369	

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.4.6.2 Continuation of Services – During the Performance Period

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of migratory children who received MEP-funded instructional or support services during the performance period under the continuation of services authority Section 1304(e)(2–3). Do **not** include children served under Section 1304(e)(1), which are children whose eligibility expired during the school term. The total is calculated automatically.

Age/Grade	Continuation of Services During the Performance Period 0	
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)		
K	0	
1	0	
2	0	
3	0	
4	0	
5	0	
6	0	
7	0	
8	0	
9	0	
10	0	
11	0	
12	0	
Ungraded	0	
Out-of-school	0	
Total	0	

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

No comment.

FAQ on Continuation of Services:

What is Continuation of Services? The "continuation of services" provision found in Section 1304(e) of the ESEA provides that: (1) a child who ceases to be a migratory child during a school term shall be eligible for services until the end of such term; (2) a child who is no longer a migratory child may continue to receive services for one additional school year, but only if comparable services are not available through other programs; and (3) secondary school students who were eligible for services in secondary school may continue to be served through credit accrual programs until graduation.

2.4.6.3 Instructional Service - During the Performance Period

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of **eligible** migratory children who received <u>any</u> type of MEP-funded instructional service during the performance period. Include children who received instructional services provided by <u>either a teacher or a paraprofessional</u>. Children should be reported only once regardless of the frequency with which they received a service intervention. The total is calculated automatically.

Age/Grade	Instructional Service During the Performance Period	
Age Birth through 2	3	
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)	43	
K	36	
1	57	
2	67	
3	57	
4	71	
5	64	
6	67	
7	49	
8	42	
9	19	
10	18	
11	13	
12	1	
Ungraded	0	
Out-of-school	2	
Total	609	

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.4.6.4 Type of Instructional Service – During the Performance Period

In the table below, provide the number of **eligible** migratory children reported in the table above who received MEP-funded reading instruction, mathematics instruction, or high school credit accrual during the performance period. Include children who received such instructional services provided by <u>a teacher only</u>. Children may be reported as having received more than one type of instructional service in the table. However, children should be reported only once within each type of instructional service that they received regardless of the frequency with which they received the instructional service. The totals are calculated automatically.

Age/Grade	Reading Instruction During the Performance Period	Mathematics Instruction During the Performance Period	High School Credit Accrual During the Performance Period
Age Birth through 2	0	0	
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)	11	11	
K	24	24	
1	25	25	
2	34	34	
3	27	27	
4	29	29	
5	25	25	
6	19	20	
7	15	16	
8	9	13	0
9	8	7	7
10	10	11	11
11	7	7	13
12	0	1	1
Ungraded	0	0	0
Out-of-school	0	0	1
Total	243	250	33

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

No comment.

FAQ on Types of Instructional Services:

What is "high school credit accrual"? MEP-funded instruction, funded in whole or in part by MEP funds, in courses that accrue credits needed for high school graduation provided by a <u>teacher</u> for students on a regular or systematic basis, usually for a predetermined period of time. High school credit accrual includes correspondence courses taken by a student under the supervision of a teacher. High school credit accrual may include the age/grade categories of Grade 8 through Grade 12. NOTE: Children receiving a MEP-funded high school credit accrual service should be reported only once, regardless of frequency.

2.4.6.5 Support Services with Breakout for Counseling Services - During the Performance Period

In the table below, in the column titled **Support Services**, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of **eligible** migratory children who received <u>any</u> MEP-funded support service during the performance period. In the column titled **Breakout of Counseling Services During the Performance Period**, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of **eligible** migratory children who received a counseling service during the performance period. Children should be reported only once in each column regardless of the frequency with which they received a support service intervention. The totals are calculated automatically.

Age/Grade	Support Services During the Performance Period	Breakout of Counseling Services During the Performance Period
Age Birth through 2	39	0
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)	145	0
K	61	0
1	77	0
2	95	0
3	77	0
4	87	0
5	88	0
6	89	0
7	80	0
8	70	0
9	74	0
10	60	0
11	77	0
12	28	0
Ungraded	0	0
Out-of-school	12	0
Total	1,159	0

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

No comment.

FAQs on Support Services:

a. What are support services? These MEP-funded educationally-related services are provided to students. These services include, but are not limited to, health, nutrition, counseling, and social services for migratory children; necessary educational supplies, and transportation. Activities related to identification and recruitment, parental involvement, professional development, program evaluation, and the one-time act of providing instructional or informational packets to a child or family does not constitute a support service.

b. What are counseling services? Services to help a student to better identify and enhance his or her educational, personal, or occupational potential; relate his or her abilities, emotions, and aptitudes to educational and career opportunities; utilize his or her abilities in formulating realistic plans; and achieve satisfying personal and social development. These activities take place between one or more counselors and one or more students as counselees, or between students and students in MEP peer-to-peer counseling activities, or between students and MEP-funded staff members. The services can also help the child address life problems or personal crisis that result from the culture of migrancy. NOTE: Children who receive a MEP-funded counseling service should be reported only once, regardless of frequency.

2.4.7 School Data during the Regular School Year

The following questions are about the enrollment of eligible migratory children in schools during the regular school year.

2.4.7.1 Schools and Enrollment – During the Regular School Year

In the table below, provide the number of public schools that enrolled **eligible** migratory children at any time during the <u>regular school year</u>. Schools include public schools that serve school age (e.g., grades K through 12) children. Also, provide the number of **eligible** migratory children who were enrolled in those schools. Since more than one school in a State may enroll the same migratory child at some time during the regular school year, the number of children may include duplicates.

Schools	#
Number of schools that enrolled eligible migratory children	4
Number of eligible migratory children enrolled in those schools	550

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters. No comment.

2.4.7.2 Schools Where MEP Funds Were Consolidated in SWPs – During the Regular School Year

In the table below, provide the number of schools where MEP funds were consolidated in an SWP. Also, provide the number of **eligible** migratory children who were enrolled in those schools at any time during the <u>regular school year</u>. Since more than one school in a State may enroll the same migratory child at some time during the regular school year, the number of children may include duplicates.

Schools	#
Number of schools where MEP funds were consolidated in a schoolwide program	
Number of eligible migratory children enrolled in those schools	

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.5 PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH WHO ARE NEGLECTED, DELINQUENT, OR AT RISK

This section collects data on programs and facilities that serve students who are neglected, delinquent, or at risk under Title I, Part D, and characteristics about and services provided to these students.

Throughout this section:

- Report data for the program year of July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.
- Count programs/facilities based on how the program was classified to ED for funding purposes.
- Do not include programs funded solely through Title I, Part A.
- Use the definitions listed below:
 - Adult Corrections: An adult correctional institution is a facility in which persons, including persons 21 or under, are confined as a result of conviction for a criminal offense.
 - At-Risk Programs: Programs operated (through LEAs) that target students who are at risk of academic failure, dependency adjudication, or delinquency adjudication, have a drug or alcohol problem, are pregnant or parenting, have been in contact with the juvenile justice or child welfare system in the past, are at least 1 year behind the expected age/grade level, are English learners, are gang members, have dropped out of school in the past, or have a high absenteeism rate at school.
 - Juvenile Corrections: An institution for delinquent children and youth that is a public or private residential facility other than a foster home that is operated for the care of children and youth who have been adjudicated delinquent or in need of supervision. Include any programs serving adjudicated youth (including non- secure facilities and group homes) in this category.
 - Juvenile Detention Facilities: Detention facilities are shorter-term institutions that provide care to children who require secure custody pending court adjudication, court disposition, or execution of a court order, or care to children after commitment.
 - **Neglected Programs:** An institution for neglected children and youth is a public or private residential facility, other than a foster home, that is operated primarily for the care of children who have been committed to the institution or voluntarily placed under applicable State law due to abandonment, neglect, or death of their parents or guardians.
 - Other: Any other programs, not defined above, that receive Title I, Part D funds and serve <u>non-adjudicated</u> children and youth.

2.5.1State Agency Title I, Part D Programs and Facilities - Subpart 1

The following questions collect data on Title I, Part D, Subpart 1 programs and facilities.

2.5.1.1 Programs and Facilities - Subpart 1

In the table below, provide the number of State agency Title I, Part D, Subpart 1 programs and facilities that serve neglected and delinquent students and the average length of stay by program/facility type, for these students. Report only programs and facilities that received Title I, Part D, Subpart 1 funding during the reporting year. Count a facility once if it offers only one type of program. If a facility offers more than one type of program (i.e., it is a multipurpose facility), then count each of the separate programs. The total number of programs/facilities will be automatically calculated. Below the table is a FAQ about the data collected in this table.

State Program/Facility Type	# Programs/Facilities	Average Length of Stay in Days
Neglected programs	0	0
Juvenile detention	0	0
Juvenile corrections	1	158
Adult corrections	2	123
Other	0	0
Total	3	

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

No comment.

FAQ on Programs and Facilities - Subpart I:

How is average length of stay calculated? The average length of stay should be weighted by number of students and should include the number of days, per visit, for each student enrolled during the reporting year, regardless of entry or exit date. Multiple visits for students who entered more than once during the reporting year can be included. The average length of stay in days should not exceed 365.

2.5.1.2 Programs and Facilities That Reported - Subpart 1

In the table below, provide the number of State agency Title I, Part D, Subpart 1 programs/facilities that reported data on neglected and delinquent students.

The total row will be automatically calculated.

State Program/Facility Type	# Reporting Data
Neglected programs	0
Juvenile detention	0
Juvenile corrections	1
Adult corrections	2
Other	0
Total	3

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.5.1.3 Students Served - Subpart 1

In the tables below, provide the number of neglected and delinquent students served in State agency Title I, Part D, Subpart 1 programs and facilities. Report only students who received Title I, Part D, Subpart 1 services during the reporting year. In the first table, provide in row 1 the <u>unduplicated</u> number of students served by each program, and in row 2, the total number of students in row 1 who are long-term. In the subsequent tables provide the number of students served by disability (*IDEA*) and EL status, by race/ethnicity, by sex, and by age. The total number of students by race/ethnicity, by sex and by age will be automatically calculated.

# of Students Served	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Adult Corrections	Other Programs
Total Unduplicated Students Served			90	112	
Total Long Term Students Served			66	108	

Provide the number of students served by special populations

Student Subgroups	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Adult Corrections	Other Programs
Children with disabilities (IDEA)			30	21	
English Learners (ELs)			0	0	

Provide the number of students served by race/ethnicity.

Race/Ethnicity	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Adult Corrections	Other Programs
American Indian or Alaska Native			28	19	
Asian			0	0	
Black or African American			6	4	
Hispanic or Latino			0	6	
Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander			0	0	
White			53	63	
Two or more races			3	20	
Total			90	112	

Provide the number of students served by gender.

Sex	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Adult Corrections	Other Programs
Male			90	112	
Female			0	0	
Total			90	112	

Provide the number of students served by age.

Age	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Adult Corrections	Other Programs
3 through 5			0	0	
6			0	0	
7			0	0	
8			0	0	
9			0	0	
10			0	0	
11			0	0	
12			0	0	
13			0	0	
14			3	0	
15			6	0	
16			11	0	
17			36	0	
18			34	11	

Age	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Adult Corrections	Other Programs
19			0	26	
20			0	33	
21			0	42	
Total			90	112	

If the total number of students differs by demographics, please explain in comment box below.

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

No comment.

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

No comment.

FAQ on Unduplicated Count:

What is an unduplicated count? An unduplicated count is one that counts students only once, even if they were admitted to a facility or program multiple times within the reporting year.

FAQ on long-term:

What is long-term? Long-term refers to students who were enrolled for at least 90 consecutive calendar days from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2018.

2.5.1.4 Academic, Career and Technical Outcomes While in the State Agency Program/Facility or Within 90 Calendar Days after Exit

In the tables below, for each program type, provide the number of students who attained academic, career, and technical outcomes.

The first table includes outcomes a student is able to achieve only after exit. In this table, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of students who enrolled, or planned to enroll, in their local district school within 90 calendar days after exiting. A student may be reported only once, per program type.

The second table includes outcomes a student is able to achieve only one time. In this table, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of students who attained the listed outcomes <u>either</u> in the while enrolled in the State agency program/facility column ("in fac.") <u>or</u> in the within 90 calendar days after exiting column. A student may be reported only once across the two time periods, per program type.

The third table includes outcomes a student may achieve more than once. In the "in fac." column, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of students who attained academic, career and technical outcomes while enrolled in the State agency program/facility. In the "90 days after exit" column provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of students who attained academic, career, and technical outcomes within 90 calendar days after exiting. If a student attained an outcome once in the program/facility and once during the 90–day transition period, that student may be reported once in each column.

Outcomes (once per student, only after exit)	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Adult Corrections	Other Programs
# of Students Who Enrolled in their local district school 90					
days after exit					

Outcomes (once per student) - # of Students Who	Neglected Programs – In fac.	Neglected Programs – 90 days after exit	Juvenile Detention – In fac.	Juvenile Detention – 90 days after exit	Juvenile Corrections – In fac.	Juvenile Corrections – 90 days after exit	Adult Corrections – In fac.	Adult Corrections – 90 days after exit	Other Programs – In fac.	Other Programs – 90 days after exit
Earned a GED					22		63			
Obtained high school diploma					9		0			

Outcomes (once per student per time period) - # of Students Who	Neglected Programs – In fac.	Neglected Programs – 90 days after exit	Juvenile Detention – In fac.	Juvenile Detention – 90 days after exit	Juvenile Corrections – In fac.	Juvenile Corrections – 90 days after exit	Adult Corrections – In fac.	Adult Corrections – 90 days after exit	Other Programs – In fac.	Other Programs – 90 days after exit
Earned high school course credits					78		0			
Enrolled in a GED program					25		106			
Accepted and/or enrolled into post-secondary education					11		4			
Enrolled in job training courses/programs					66		34			
Obtained employment					0		28			

In the text box below, please account for any missing or incomplete data after exit.

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Per Montana state law, we are not allowed to collect and report data for EdFacts file 181.

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.5.2 Academic Performance - Subpart 1

The following questions collect data on the academic performance of neglected and delinquent long-term students served by Title I, Part D, Subpart 1 in reading and mathematics.

2.5.2.1 Academic Performance in Reading - Subpart 1

In the table below, provide the unduplicated number of <u>long-term</u> students served by Title I, Part D, Subpart 1, who participated in reading pre-and post-testing. Students should be reported in only one of the four change categories.

Report only information on a student's most recent testing data. Students who were pre-tested prior to July 1, 2018, may be included if their post-test was administered during the reporting year. Students who were post-tested after the reporting year ended should be counted in the following year. Below the table is an FAQ about the data collected in this table.

Performance Data (Based on most recent pre/post-test data)	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Adult Corrections	Other Programs
Long-term students with negative grade level change from the pre- to post-test exams			16	7	
Long-term students with no change in grade level from the pre- to post-test exams			23	22	
Long-term students with improvement up to one full grade level from the pre- to post-test exams			14	23	
Long-term students with improvement of more than one full grade level from the pre- to post-test exams			13	54	
Total students pre/post- tested			66	106	

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

No comment.

FAQ on long-term students:

What is long-term? Long-term refers to students who were enrolled for at least 90 consecutive calendar days from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.

2.5.2.2 Academic Performance in Mathematics - Subpart 1

In the table below, provide the unduplicated number of <u>long-term</u> students served by Title I, Part D, Subpart 1, who participated in mathematics pre-and post-testing. Students should be reported in only one of the four change categories.

Report only information on a student's most recent testing data. Students who were pre-tested prior to July 1, 2018, may be included if their post-test was administered during the reporting year. Students who were post-tested after the reporting year ended should be counted in the following year. Below the table is an FAQ about the data collected in this table.

Performance Data (Based on most recent pre/post-test data)	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Adult Corrections	Other Programs
Long-term students with negative grade level change from the pre- to post-test exams			15	9	
Long-term students with no change in grade level from the pre- to post-test exams			25	21	
Long-term students with improvement up to one full grade level from the pre- to post-test exams			11	32	
Long-term students with improvement of more than one full grade level from the pre- to post-test exams			15	44	
Total students pre/post- tested			66	106	

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

No comment.

FAQ on long-term students:

What is long-term? Long-term refers to students who were enrolled for at least 90 consecutive calendar days from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.

2.5.3 LEA Title I, Part D Programs and Facilities - Subpart 2

The following questions collect data on Title I, Part D, Subpart 2 programs and facilities.

2.5.3.1 Programs and Facilities - Subpart 2

In the table below, provide the number of LEA Title I, Part D, Subpart 2 programs and facilities that serve neglected and delinquent students and the yearly average length of stay by program/facility type for these students. Report only the programs and facilities that received Title I, Part D, Subpart 2 funding during the reporting year. Count a facility once if it offers only one type of program. If a facility offers more than one type of program (i.e., it is a multipurpose facility), then count each of the separate programs. The total number of programs/ facilities will be automatically calculated. Below the table is an FAQ about the data collected in this table.

LEA Program/Facility Type	# Programs/Facilities	Average Length of Stay in Days
At-risk programs	12	51
Neglected programs	0	0
Juvenile detention	1	18
Juvenile corrections	0	0
Other	0	0
Total	13	

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

No comment.

FAQ on average length of stay:

How is average length of stay calculated? The average length of stay should be weighted by number of students and should include the number of days, per visit, for each student enrolled during the reporting year, regardless of entry or exit date. Multiple visits for students who entered more than once during the reporting year can be included. The average length of stay in days should not exceed 365.

2.5.3.2 Programs and Facilities That Reported - Subpart 2

In the table below, provide the number of LEA Title I, Part D, Subpart 2 programs and facilities that reported data on neglected and delinquent students.

The total row will be automatically calculated.

LEA Program/Facility Type	# Reporting Data
At-risk programs	12
Neglected programs	0
Juvenile detention	1
Juvenile corrections	0
Other	0
Total	13

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.5.3.3 Students Served - Subpart 2

In the tables below, provide the number of neglected and delinquent students served in LEA Title I, Part D, Subpart 2 programs and facilities. Report only students who received Title I, Part D, Subpart 2 services during the reporting year. In the first table, provide in row 1 the unduplicated number of students served by each program, and in row 2, the total number of students in row 1 who are long-term. In the subsequent tables, provide the number of students served by disability (*IDEA*), and EL status, by race/ethnicity, by sex, and by age. The total number of students by race/ethnicity, by sex, and by age will be automatically calculated.

# of Students Served	At-Risk Programs	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Other Programs
Total Unduplicated Students Served	503		613		
Total Long Term Students Served	175		41		

Provide the number of students served by special populations.

Student Subgroups	At-Risk Programs	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Other Programs
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	139		199		
ELs	12		23		

Provide the number of students served by race/ethnicity.

Race/Ethnicity	At-Risk Programs	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Other Programs
American Indian or Alaska Native	87		490		
Asian	2		0		
Black or African American	18		6		
Hispanic or Latino	17		4		
Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	0		3		
White	328		110		
Two or more races	51		0		
Total	503		613		

Provide the number of students served by sex.

Sex	At-Risk Programs	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Other Programs
Male	295		345		
Female	208		268		
Total	503		613		

Provide the number of students served by age.

Age	At-Risk Programs	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Other Programs
3 through 5	3		0		
6	3		0		
7	3		0		
8	2		0		
9	3		0		
10	7		1		
11	5		23		
12	18		26		
13	39		73		
14	43		126		
15	96		136		
16	135		109		
17	101		103		
18	44		15		
19	1		1		

Age	At-Risk Programs	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Other Programs
20	0		0		
21	0		0		
Total	503		613		

If the total number of students differs by demographics, please explain in comment box below.

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

No comment.

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

No comment.

FAQ on Unduplicated Count:

What is an unduplicated count? An unduplicated count is one that counts students only once, even if they were admitted to a facility or program multiple times within the reporting year.

FAQ on long-term:

What is long-term? Long-term refers to students who were enrolled for at least 90 consecutive calendar days from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.

2.5.3.4 Academic, Career and Technical Outcomes While in the LEA Program/Facility or Within 90 Calendar Days After Exit

In the tables below, for each program type, provide the number of students who attained academic, career and technical outcomes.

The first table includes outcomes a student is able to achieve only after exit. In this table, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of students who enrolled, or planned to enroll, in their local district school within 90 calendar days after exiting. A student may be reported only once, per program type.

The second table includes outcomes a student is able to achieve only one time. In this table, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of students who attained the listed outcomes <u>either</u> in the while enrolled in the LEA program/facility column ("in fac.") <u>or</u> in the within 90 calendar days after exiting column. A student may be reported only once across the two time periods, per program type.

The third table includes outcomes a student may achieve more than once. In the "in fac." column, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of students who attained academic, career and technical outcomes while enrolled in the LEA program/facility. In the "90 days after exit" column provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of students who attained academic, career and technical outcomes within 90 calendar days after exiting. If a student attained an outcome once in the program/facility and once during the 90-day transition period, that student may be reported once in each column.

Outcomes (once per student,	At-Risk Programs	Neglected	Juvenile	Juvenile	Other Programs
only after exit)		Programs	Detention	Corrections	
# of Students Who Enrolled in their local district school 90 days after exit					

Outcomes (once per student) - # of Students Who	At-Risk Programs – In fac.	At-Risk Programs – 90 days after exit	Neglected Programs – In fac.	Neglected Programs – 90 days after exit	Juvenile Detention – In fac.	Juvenile Detention – 90 days after exit	Juvenile Corrections – In fac.	Juvenile Corrections – 90 days after exit	Other Programs – In fac.	Other Programs – 90 days after exit
Earned a GED	2				16					
Obtained high school diploma	17				17					

Outcomes (once per student per time period) - # of Students Who	At-Risk Programs – In fac.	At-Risk Programs – 90 days after exit	Neglected Programs – In fac.	Neglected Programs – 90 days after exit	Juvenile Detention – In fac.	Juvenile Detention – 90 days after exit	Juvenile Correction s – In fac.	Juvenile Correction s – 90 days after exit	Other Programs – In fac.	Other Programs – 90 days after exit
Earned high school course credits	196				114					
Enrolled in a GED program	10				20					
Accepted and/or enrolled into post- secondary education	6									
Enrolled in job training courses/programs	38									
Obtained employment	54				24				·	

In the text box below, please account for any missing or incomplete data after exit.

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

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Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.5.4 Academic Performance - Subpart 2

The following questions collect data on the academic performance of neglected and delinquent long-term students served by Title I, Part D, Subpart 2 in reading and mathematics.

2.5.4.1 Academic Performance in Reading – Subpart 2

In the table below, provide the unduplicated number of <u>long-term</u> students served by Title I, Part D, Subpart 2, who participated in reading pre- and post-testing. Students should be reported in only one of the four change categories. Reporting pre- and post-test data for at-risk students in the table below is optional.

Report only information on a student's most recent testing data. Students who were pre-tested prior to July 1, 2018, may be included if their post-test was administered during the reporting year. Students who were post-tested after the reporting year ended should be counted in the following year. Below the table is an FAQ about the data collected in this table.

Performance Data (Based on most recent pre/post-test data)	At-Risk Programs	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Other Programs
Long-term students with negative grade level change from the pre- to post-test exams	22		0		
Long-term students with no change in grade level from the pre- to post-test exams	37		27		
Long-term students with improvement up to one full grade level from the pre- to post-test exams	66		8		
Long-term students with improvement of more than one full grade level from the pre- to post-test exams	13		6		
Total students pre/post- tested	138		41		

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

No comment.

FAQ on long-term:

What is long-term? Long-term refers to students who were enrolled for at least 90 consecutive calendar days from July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2019.

Is reporting pre/post-test data for at-risk programs required? No, reporting pre/post-test data for at-risk students is no longer required, but States have the option to continue to collect and report it within the CSPR.

2.5.4.2 Academic Performance in Mathematics - Subpart 2

In the table below, provide the unduplicated number of <u>long-term</u> students served by Title I, Part D, Subpart 2, who participated in mathematics pre- and post-testing. Students should be reported in only one of the four change categories. Reporting pre- and post-test data for at-risk students in the table below is optional.

Report only information on a student's most recent testing data. Students who were pre-tested prior to July 1, 2018, may be included if their post-test was administered during the reporting year. Students who were post-tested after the reporting year ended should be counted in the following year. Below the table is an FAQ about the data collected in this table.

Performance Data (Based on most recent pre/post-test data)	At-Risk Programs	Neglected Programs	Juvenile Detention	Juvenile Corrections	Other Programs
Long-term students with negative grade level change from the pre- to post-test exams	23		0		
Long-term students with no change in grade level from the pre- to post-test exams	41		29		
Long-term students with improvement up to one full grade level from the pre- to post-test exams	67		8		
Long-term students with improvement of more than one full grade level from the pre- to post-test exams	10		4		
Total students pre/post- tested	141		41		

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

No comment.

FAQ on long-term:

What is long-term? Long-term refers to students who were enrolled for at least 90 consecutive calendar days from July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2019.

Is reporting pre/post-test data for at-risk programs required? No, reporting pre/post-test data for at-risk students is no longer required, but States have the option to continue to collect and report it within the CSPR.

2.6 STUDENT SUPPORT AND ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT GRANTS (TITLE IV, PART A)

2.6.1 Funds Spent Under Title IV, Part A

This section collects data on the amount of funds spent by LEAs on the three content areas under Title IV, Part A of the ESEA. The data are reported through the Annual Performance Reporting Tool.

Content Area	Amount of Funds Spent
Well-Rounded	542,769.00
Safe and Healthy Students	406,600.00
Effective Use of Technology	134,473.00

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

This data represents expenditure amounts for July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019, submitted by LEA authorized representatives through the Title IV-A Program Report in the E-Grants Management System.

2.6.2 LEAs Who Spent Funds Under Title IV, Part A

This section collects data on the number of LEAs who spent funds by the content areas under Title IV, Part A of the ESEA. For the "Any" category, report the number of LEAs that spent funds in any of the three content areas. An LEA should be included in the count of each content area it spent funds on (i.e. an LEA may be represented in more than one content area in the table below). The data are reported through the Annual Performance Reporting Tool.

Content Area	Number of LEAs Spending Funds
Well-Rounded	50
Safe and Healthy Students	50
Effective Use of Technology	37
Any Content Area	81

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

This data represents the number of LEAs who spent in a content area between July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019, submitted by LEA authorized representatives through the Title IV-A Program Report in the E-Grants Management System.

2.7 FUNDING TRANSFERABILITY FOR STATE AND LOCAL EDUCATIONAL AGENCIES (TITLE V, PART A)

2.7.1 State Transferability of Funds

In the table below, indicate whether the State transferred funds under the state transferability authority.

State Transferability of Funds	Yes/No
Did the State transfer funds under the State Transferability authority of Section 5103(a) during SY 2018-19?	YES

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.7.2 Local Educational Agency (LEA) Transferability of Funds

In the table below, indicate the number of LEAs that notified the State that they transferred funds under the LEA transferability authority.

LEA Transferability of Funds	#
LEAs that notified the State that they were transferring funds under the LEA Transferability authority of Section 5103(b).	401

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.7.3 LEA Funds Transfers

In the table below, provide the total number of LEAs that transferred funds from an eligible program to another eligible program.

Program	# LEAs Transferring Funds FROM Eligible Program	# LEAs Transferring Funds TO Eligible Program
Supporting Effective Instruction (Title II, Part A)	182	27
Student Support and Enrichment Grants (Title IV, Part A)	289	0
Improving Basic Programs Operated by LEAs (Title I, Part A)		378
Education of Migratory Children (Title I, Part C)		0
Prevention and Intervention Programs for Children and Youth Who Are Neglected, Delinquent, or At-Risk (Title I, Part D)		0
English Language Acquisition, Language Enhancement, and Academic Achievement Act (Title III, Part A)		0
Rural Education Initiative (Title V, Part B)		0

In the table below provide the total amount of FY 2018 appropriated funds transferred from and to each eligible program.

Program	Total Amount of Funds Transferred <u>FROM</u> Eligible Program	Total Amount of Funds Transferred <u>TO</u> Eligible Program
Supporting Effective Instruction (Title II, Part A)	4,946,152.00	455,105.00
Student Support and Enrichment Grants (Title IV, Part A)	3,603,183.00	0.00
Improving Basic Programs Operated by LEAs (Title I, Part A)		8,094,230.00
Education of Migratory Children (Title I, Part C)		0.00
Prevention and Intervention Programs for Children and Youth Who Are Neglected, Delinquent, or At-Risk (Title I, Part D)		0.00
English Language Acquisition, Language Enhancement, and Academic Achievement Act (Title III, Part A)		0.00
Rural Education Initiative (Title V, Part B)		0.00

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.8 RURAL EDUCATION ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAM (REAP)

This section collects data on the Rural Education Achievement Program (REAP) Title V, Part B, Subparts 1 and 2.

2.8.1 LEA Use of Rural Low-Income Schools Program (RLIS) (Title V, Part B, Subpart 2) Grant Funds

In the table below, provide the number of eligible LEAs that used RLIS funds during SY2018-19 for each of the listed purposes.

Purpose	# LEAs
Activities authorized under Part A of Title I	29
Activities authorized under Part A of Title II	1
Activities authorized under Title III	0
Activities authorized under Part A of Title IV	0
Parental involvement activities	2

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

The Montana Office of Public Instruction had 1 school district that had an allocation of \$0 therefore it didn't get transferred.

The Montana Office of Public Instruction had 1 school district that refused funds.

The Montana Office of Public Instruction had 3 school districts that left funds in Title V. The OPI has contacted the districts and requested they transfer the funds to the appropriate Title programs by July 10. The OPI has updated our processes to ensure that all districts transfer funds in a timely manner preventing this from happening in the future.

The Montana Office of Public Instruction had 7 school districts that funds were not allocated in our Grant System to the proper fiscal agent. The OPI has contacted the Grant System Manager and sent the list of districts that need to be loaded into the Grant System. The OPI has updated our processes to ensure that all school districts funds are allocated to the proper fiscal agent.

2.8.2 RLIS Objectives and Outcomes

In the space below, describe the progress the State has made in meeting the objectives and outcomes for the Rural Low-Income School (RLIS) Program as described in the State's most current Consolidated State Application. If providing quantitative data along with your narrative, please ensure all data is converted to text format.

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

The objective of Title V, Part B, Subpart 2, Rural Education Achievement Program (REAP) is to ensure eligible LEAs have resources to meet statewide goals for student achievement, graduation, school quality and student success. The Montana Office of Public Instruction will support LEAs to use the funds in order to meet state interim and long term goals. Specific outcomes for the program include:

· Alignment of resources to support student academic and behavioral needs.

The Montana Office of Public Instruction website lists resources specific to Title V, Part B located at: http://opi.mt.gov/Leadership/Academic-Success/Title-Other-Federal-Programs/Small-Rural-Schools this includes webinars hosted by USED.

• Increased student achievement and graduation/completer rates.

The Montana Office of Public Instruction tracks student achievement through the Ed Facts files submitted to USED. The data analyst tracks the districts that receive Title V, Part B funds. The Montana Office of Public Instruction has interim assessments available to all districts in Montana the access to these interim assessments has shown positive results in year-end assessments. The Continuous School Improvement Plans show increased depth of knowledge of evidence-based school improvement practices and coherent approach to addressing school and district challenges.

• Meeting improvement targets on state accountability indicators.

The Montana Office of Public Instruction will provide targeted assistance to LEAs struggling to achieve program outcomes, which may include LEAs receiving funds for comprehensive school improvement.

The Montana Office of Public Instruction offers a Comprehensive Needs Assessment to all districts which will indicate how LEAs can best target funds to support improvement.

• Increased access to and participation in high-quality professional development for teachers in rural schools.

The Montana Office of Public Instruction works closely with the RESAs to target professional learning to the specific needs of rural schools. RESAs have local, context-specific knowledge of the learning needs of educators in their region and maintain close contact with districts to ensure professional learning opportunities are aligned with school schedules and educator learning needs.

2.8.3 RLIS Technical Assistance

In the space below, describe the progress the State has made in providing technical assistance for RLIS LEA sub-grantees as described in the State's most current Consolidated State Application. If providing quantitative data along with your narrative, please ensure all data is converted to text format.

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

The Montana Office of Public Instruction will provide technical assistance to LEAs in the proper use of REAP funds to meet program objectives. Through work sessions, participants will learn how to use the funds for activities under Title I, A; II, A; II, A; IV, A, or parent and family engagement activities, in alignment with their Continuous School Improvement Plans as well as the transferability of Title V, Part B funds. The Montana Office of Public Instruction will also provide targeted assistance to LEAs struggling to achieve program outcomes, which may include LEAs receiving funds for comprehensive school improvement.

To ensure effective use of funds, the Montana Office of Public Instruction will continue to provide assistance in the areas of cash management and program monitoring to ensure sub-recipients are utilizing Title V, Part B, Subpart 2 funds appropriately and within the program parameters, and continue to monitor grant balances and requests for funds to ensure sub-recipients are spending down their funds within the guidelines and in a timely manner. The Montana Office of Public Instruction will continue to provide technical assistance to sub-recipients on an as-needed ongoing basis.

2.8.4 RLIS Subgrant Award Determination

Please report the method the SEA used to award grants to eligible LEAs. If the SEA used a competitive process, please describe that process and include a description of the methods and criteria the SEA used to review applications, award funds to LEAs, and how the LEAs were notified of the process. If the SEA used a formula besides one based on the number of students in average daily attendance served by eligible LEAs in the State, please describe that formula, including an explanation of how this alternative formula enables the SEA to allot grant funds in a manner that serves equal or greater concentrations of children from families with incomes below the poverty line, relative to the concentration that would be served if the SEA used a formula based on the number of students in average daily attendance served by eligible LEAs in the State.

Comments: The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

The Montana Office of Public Instruction LEAs do not compete but rather are entitled to funds if they meet the federal requirements. Awards are issued annually directly to LEAs on a formula basis.

The Montana Office of Public Instruction uses the formula-based grant based on Average Daily Attendance which is calculated by taking the days present divided by the days enrolled by each student by district.

2.8.5 RLIS State Administrative Funds

In the table below, provide information on state administrative funds.

Question	Percentage	
What percentage of the RLIS grant funds were retained for State-level administration?	5.00%	
What percentage of those funds retained for State-level administration were used specifically for technical assistance?	4.00%	

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.

2.8.6 RLIS LEAs Awarded Funds

Please list the NCES LEA ID and name of each LEA that received RLIS funds and the amount each received. This information will be collected from SEAs outside of the CSPR collection tool.

- NCES LEA ID
- LEA Name
- RLIS Award Amount

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters. Submitted data on May 21, 2020.

2.8.7 Small, Rural School Achievement (SRSA) Program, Alternative Fund Use Authority (AFUA)

	Number	Percentage
What number and percentage of SRSA- and Dual-eligible	155	47.99%
LEAs informed their SEA of an intent to utilize SRSA's AFUA,		
under Section 5211 of the ESEA.		

Comments: The response is limited to 4,000 characters.