PDE Data Attribution Rules

Assessment and Graduation: PIMS Applied Attribution

CONDITION	PSSA/PASA/Keystone PARTICIPATION		PSSA/PASA/Keystone/ACCESS PERFORMANCE		GRADUATION		NOTES
	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	
Submitting AUN (Field 1) Org Type = School District	Location Code of Residence (Field 165)	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	Location Code of Residence (Field 165)	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	Location Code of Residence (Field 165)	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	Student Status is blank
Submitting AUN (Field 1) Org Type = Intermediate Unit	0000	Sending Charter School (Field 223) or District Code of Residence (Field 117)	0000	Sending Charter School (Field 223) or District Code of Residence (Field 117)	9999	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	
Submitting AUN (Field 1) Org Type = APS	0000	Sending Charter School (Field 223) or District Code of Residence (Field 117)	0000	Sending Charter School (Field 223) or District Code of Residence (Field 117)	Not Attributed	Not Attributed	Graduation: APS is not attributable - Sending Charter School or District of Residence special ed referral record is used
Submitting AUN (Field 1) Org Type = PRRI	0000	99999999	0000	Sending Charter School (Field 223) or District Code of Residence (Field 117)	Not Attributed	Not Attributed	Graduation: PRRI is not attributable- Sending Charter School or District of Residence special ed referral record is used
Submitting AUN (Field 1) Org Type = Charter School	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	
Submitting AUN (Field 1) Org Type = CTC AND Location Code (Field 2) Org Type = Full Time Primary Academic Comprehensive CTC	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	For assessment, see 2024 Attribution Map page 5.

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	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	
Submitting AUN (Field 1) Org Type = CTC AND Location Code (Field 2) Org Type = Part Time Primary Academic Comprehensive CTC	Sending Charter School Number (Field 224) or Location Code of Residence (Field 165)	Sending Charter School (Field 223) or District Code of Residence (Field 117)	Sending Charter School Number (Field 224) or Location Code of Residence (Field 165)	Sending Charter School (Field 223) or District Code of Residence (Field 117)	N/A	N/A	Part Time CTCs do NOT receive a graduation rate. Graduation status must be reported by the sending LEA. For assessment, see 2024 Attribution Map page 5.
Submitting AUN (Field 1) Org Type = CTC AND Location Code (Field 2) Org Type = Occupational CTC	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Occupational CTC does not receive Graduation participation. For assessment, see 2024 Attribution Map page 5.
Court or Agency placed: Field 67: Student Status="B" Court Placed or "R" Agency Placed.	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	9999	99999999	9999	99999999	Court\Agency is determining the educating entity. See 2024 Attribution Map page 7.
Homeless: Programs fact: field 08: Programs Code="055"- Homeless, Unaccompanied or "056"-Homeless accompanied	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	N/A	N/A	See 2024 Attribution Map page 6.
Foreign Exchange Student (Field 73="Y")	Follow submitting organization type	Follow submitting organization type	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Not Attributed	Not Attributed	Foreign Exchange Students are removed entirely from graduation attribution. For assessment attribution, For assessment, see 2024 Attribution Map page 9.
Foster Care Student: Field 67: Student Status="U" {new code}	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	See 2024 Attribution Map page 5.
Non-Resident Parent Paid Tuition: Field 67: Student Status="V" {new code}	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	For assessment, see 2024 Attribution Map page 8.
Opportunity Scholarship tax credit student: Field 67: Student Status="W" {new code}	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	For assessment, see 2024 Attribution Map page 8.

Assessment Attribution Only: EL Students

CONDITION	PSSA/PASA/Keystone PARTICIPATION		PSSA/PASA/Keystone/ACCESS PERFORMANCE		GRADUATION		NOTES
	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	
EL Student at a School District attending an ESL program outside of that LEA.	9999	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	9999	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	N/A	N/A	See 2024 Attribution Map page 4.
EL Student at a Charter school attending an ESL program outside of that LEA.	9999	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	9999	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	N/A	N/A	See 2024 Attribution Map page 4.
ELA Test: ELA Assessment Exemption Indicator (Field 222)=Y	If they participate voluntarily: Follow submitting org type. Otherwise, Not Attributed.	If they participate voluntarily: Follow submitting org type. Otherwise, Not Attributed.	Not Attributed	Not Attributed	N/A	N/A	See 2024 Attribution Map page 4.
Math and Science Test(s): ELA Assessment Exemption Indicator (Field 222)=Y	Follow submitting organization type	Follow submitting organization type	Not Attributed	Not Attributed	N/A	N/A	See 2024 Attribution Map page 4.

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CONDITION	PSSA/PASA/Keystone PARTICIPATION		PSSA/PASA/Keystone/ACCESS PERFORMANCE		GRADI	JATION	NOTES
	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	
If a District of Residence places student into another location (other than location of residence) within the LEA for the assessed subject	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	N/A		See 2024 Attribution Map pages 1-3, and 9
If student is placed in cyber course (operated by a district outside of the District of Residence) for the assessed subject	Location Code of Residence (Field 165)	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	Location Code of Residence (Field 165)	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	N/A	N/A	See 2024 Attribution Map, page 2.

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	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	
If a District of Residence places a special ed student into another school district for the assessed subject	9999	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	9999	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	N/A	N/A	See 2024 Attribution Map page 3.
If a charter or cyber charter places a special ed student into another LEA for the assessed subject	9999	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	9999	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	N/A	N/A	See 2024 Attribution Map page 3.
Submitting AUN (Field 1) Org Type = CTC AND Location Code (Field 2) Org Type = Part Time Non Primary Academic Occupation CTC AND District of Enrollment Code (Field 217) Org Type= School District or Intermediate Unit AND the CTC teaches the Keystone course.	Location Code of Residence (Field 165)	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	Location Code of Residence (Field 165)	District Code of Residence (Field 117)	N/A	N/A	Part Time CTCs do not receive a grad rate and graduation status must be reported by the sending LEA. See 2024 Attribution Map page 5.
Submitting AUN (Field 1) Org Type = CTC AND Location Code (Field 2) Org Type = Part Time Non Primary Academic Occupation CTC AND District of Enrollment Code (Field 217) Org Type= Charter AND the CTC teaches the Keystone course.	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	N/A	N/A	Part Time CTCs do not receive a grad rate and graduation status must be reported by the sending LEA. For assessment, see 2024 Attribution Map page 5.

PSSA/PASA/Keystone Assessment Attribution Only: Full Academic Year (Continuous enrollment from October 1 to last day of state's content area testing window)

CONDITION	PSSA/PASA/Keystone PARTICIPATION		PSSA/PASA/Keystone/ACCESS PERFORMANCE		GRADUATION		NOTES
	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	
Full Academic Year (FAY) at AUN and location within the same AUN	Follow submitting organization type	Follow submitting organization type	Follow submitting organization type	Follow submitting organization type	N/A	N/A	See 2024 Attribution Map page 1.
Full Academic Year (FAY) at AUN but NOT FAY at location within the same AUN	Follow submitting organization type	Follow submitting organization type	9999	Follow submitting organization type	N/A	N/A	See 2024 Attribution Map page 1.
Full Academic Year (FAY) at State only	Follow submitting organization type	Follow submitting organization type	9999	99999999	N/A	N/A	See 2024 Attribution Map page 1.

If District of Residence (Field 117) does NOT have a school with the appropriate grade level for that student {Location of Residence = 0000} 123460504-Bryn Athyn (ALL grades); 129546803-St. Clair (9-12); 103029803-Wilkinsburg (7-12); 103022503-Duquesne (7-12); or 127045303-Midland Borough (9-12)

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	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	School/ Location Code	LEA	
Submitting AUN (Field 1) Org Type = School District, Comprehensive CTC or Charter School	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	Submitting Location Code (Field 2)	Submitting AUN (Field 1)	See 2024 Attribution Map page 6.
Submitting AUN (Field 1) Org Type = Intermediate Unit	9999	99999999	9999	99999999	9999	99999999	See 2024 Attribution Map page 6.

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Submitting AUN (Field 1) Org Type = SJCI	State Juvenile Corrections Institution (SJCI) students should be marked as Student Status (Field 67="B" Court Placed or "R" Agency Placed). Same attribution as court or agency placed (follow rules above). See 2024 Attribution Map page 7.
Students enrolled in an AEDY program	Student submitted in the district or charter school location and AUN where the student was attending prior to AEDY program placement. Follow regular attribution rules based on org type. See 2024 Attribution Map page 3 for Special Education circumstances, or page 6.
Homeschool students: Field 67 Student Status=A	Follow regular attribution rules based on the submitting organization type. See 2024 Attribution Map page 9. Homeschool students are removed from the graduation cohort.
Homebound students	Homebound students follow automatic rules above. See 2024 Attribution Map page 8.
Special program jointure (SPJ)	SPJ students follow automatic rules above. Students are reported to PIMS by their District of Residence/Charter School.
Compulsary age student convicted as an adult that does not have an IEP	See 2024 Attribution Map starting on page 6. Does not apply to graduation attribution.
Special education students with a valid IEP	See 2024 Attribution Map page 3. Does not apply to graduation attribution.
AUN Responsible for Administering Test, Pre-Code labels, Ordering Test materials	Physical location where the student is receiving their primary academic education and taking the assessment. See 2024 Attribution Map.
AUN Responsible for ensuring student participation in test	Attribution Performance District. Exceptions: PRRI=AUN that placed student in the PRRI; Court/Agency placed: AUN of where they would be attending if not courty/agency placed. See 2024 Attribution Map.
9999 or 999999999 Attributions	9999-Not included in individual school level, but included in the state totals. 99999999-Not included in district level, but included in the state totals. See 2024 Attribution Map.
NIMS/NOCTI Attribution	NIMS/NOCTI attribution is based on the student snapshot template, school enrollment template, and NIMS/NOCTI testing data. If submitting LEA is a Comprehensive CTC, the data attributes to the Comprehensive CTC. All other LEA types will be attributed to the Location of Residence of the student. If there are multiple non-Comprehensive CTC records for a student on the snapshot date, the most recently updated student record's Location of Residence value will be utilized.