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MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM

ELEMENT TITLE: Amount Awarded for State Scholarship Dollars for LIFE, Palmetto Fellows, Need-Based, HOPE, Lottery Tuition Assistance, Pell Grants, Foster Care, Enhanced LIFE, and Enhanced Palmetto Fellows.

SUPPLIED BY: Institution

DEFINITION: The amount of the scholarship for the reported year and semester.

CODES, CATEGORIES, AND COMMENTS:

FIELD SPECIFICATIONS

REQUIREMENT TYPE: Mandatory - Null Allowed

DATA VALUE RANGE: 100 - 100000

FIELD LENGTH: 8 (with 2 implied decimals)

FIELD TYPE: Numeric

ENTRY EXAMPLE: 100000 (implies a dollar amount of $1000)

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WHERE USED (File):   STUDENT.DISBURSEMENTS

WHERE USED (Table):

WHERE USED (Tape): TAPE.STUDENTD

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ELEMENT TITLE: Cost of Attendance

SUPPLIED BY: Institution

DEFINITION: The student's cost-of-attendance is the total amount estimated that it will cost the student to attend during a period of enrollment. The financial aid offices at the school the student is attending are responsible for calculating the student's cost based on formulas specified by Title IV Regulations. The cost-of-attendance includes components such as tuition and fees, room (can not exceed the average cost for on campus) and board (can not exceed the least expensive 21 meals per week plan, transportation costs, and dependent care expenses.

CODES, CATEGORIES, AND COMMENTS:

This is to be reported for those students receiving Palmetto Fellows Scholarships, LIFE, HOPE, Need-based Grants, or Pell Grants.

The amount reported in the Cost of Attendance data field can be for an Academic Year or a Term (i.e., Semester). The period reported is designated in the data field, CST_PER, described on page 10.4.

When the award amount is for a credit, cost of attendance is to be reported as 999999.

Scholarship/Grant Types for Cost of Attendance:
        Palmetto Fellows - Required to be reported unless a credit, then report as 999999.
        LIFE – Required to be reported unless a credit, then report as 999999
        HOPE – Required to be reported unless a credit, then report as 999999
        Need-based – Required to be reported unless a credit, then report as 999999
        Lottery Tuition Assistance – Report as 999999
        Pell Grant - Required to be reported unless a credit, then report as 999999
        Foster Care – Report as 999999
        Enhanced LIFE - Report as 999999
        Enhanced Palmetto Fellows - Report as 999999

FIELD SPECIFICATIONS
REQUIREMENT TYPE: Mandatory - Null Allowed

DATA VALUE RANGE: 000001 - 999998; 999999 = Null

FIELD LENGTH: 6

FIELD TYPE: Numeric

ENTRY EXAMPLE: 007000 (represents $7,000 as the cost of attendance)

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WHERE USED (Table):
WHERE USED (Tape): TAPE.STUDENTD

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ELEMENT TITLE: Data Type

SUPPLIED BY: Institution

DEFINITION: Designates a subset of data elements within a specified record type (REC_TYPE). NOTE: Certain data types may occur multiple times within a given record type.

CODES, CATEGORIES, COMMENTS:

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For REC_TYPE = 'A'
                                            Occurrences in Record Type
      B = Building                               1
      R = Room                                   1 or more
For REC_TYPE = 'C'
                                            Occurrences in Record Type
      S = Static                                 1
      E = Enrollment                             1 or more
      I = Instructor                             1 or more
      M = Day/Time Mtg                     1 or more
For REC_TYPE = 'E' (Enrollment)
                                            Occurrences in Record Type
      E = Enrollment                             1
      T = Transfer                               0 or 1
      M = Major                                  0 or more
For REC_TYPE = 'E' (Scholarship Disbursement)
                                            Occurrences in Record Type
      D = LIFE                                   0 or more
      H = Hope                                   0 or more
      P = Palmetto Fellows                       0 or more
      N = Need-based (Publics)                   0 or more
      T = Lottery Tuition Assistance            0 or more
      G = Need-based(Independents-Tuition Grants Comm)0 or more
      E = Pell Grants                            0 or more
      F = Foster Care                            0 or more
      C = Enhanced LIFE                          0 or more
      O = Enhanced Palmetto Fellows              0 or more
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FIELD SPECIFICATIONS

REQUIREMENT TYPE: Mandatory - Null Not Allowed

FIELD LENGTH: 1

FIELD TYPE: Alphanumeric

ENTRY EXAMPLE: B (represents a Building Data Record)

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WHERE USED (Table):
WHERE USED (Tape):   TAPE.FACIL, TAPE.COURSE, TAPE.STUDENTE, TAPE.STUDENTC,
                    TAPE.STUDENTD

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ELEMENT TITLE: Expected Family Contribution

SUPPLIED BY: Institution

DEFINITION: The Expected Family Contribution (EFC) is a measure of how much the student and his or her family can be expected to contribute to the cost of the student's education. The EFC is calculated using information provided on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and according to the formula specified by Title IV Regulations. The EFC is calculated by using one of three formulas: Worksheet A is for dependent students, Worksheet B is for independent students without dependents other than spouse, and Worksheet C is for independent students with dependents other than spouse.

CODES, CATEGORIES, AND COMMENTS:

This data field is to be reported only for those students receiving Need-based Grants, Lottery Tuition Assistance, or Pell Grants.

The amount reported in the Expected Family Contribution data field can be for an Academic Year or a Term (i.e., Semester). The period reported is designated in the data field, EXP_PER, described on page 32.3.

When the award amount is for a credit, Expected Family Contribution is to be reported as 999999.

Scholarship/Grant Types for Expected Family Contribution:
        Palmetto Fellows - Report as 999999
        LIFE - Report as 999999
        HOPE – Report as 999999
        Need-based - Required to be reported unless a credit, then report as 999999.
        Lottery Tuition Assistance – Required to be reported unless a credit, then report as 999999
        Pell Grants – Required to be reported unless a credit, then report as 999999.
        Foster Care - Report as 999999
        Enhanced LIFE - Report as 999999
        Enhanced Palmetto Fellows - Report as 999999

FIELD SPECIFICATIONS

REQUIREMENT TYPE: Mandatory - Null Allowed

DATA VALUE RANGE: 000000 - 999998; 999999 = Null

FIELD LENGTH: 6

FIELD TYPE: Numeric

ENTRY EXAMPLE: 007000 (represents $7,000 expected family contribution)
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WHERE USED (Tape): TAPE.STUDENTD

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ELEMENT TITLE: Gift Aid

SUPPLIED BY: Institution

DEFINITION: Gift aid is any source of funding (federal, state, institutional or private) that does not require the student to repay, excluding the amount awarded for the Palmetto Fellows Scholarship. It does not include self help aid, such as work study and loans.

CODES, CATEGORIES, AND COMMENTS:

This is to be reported for only those students receiving Palmetto Fellows Scholarships.

The amount reported in the Gift Aid data field can be for an Academic Year or a Term (i.e., Semester). The reporting period is designated in the data field, GIFT_PER, described on page 36.3.

When the award amount is for a credit, Gift Aid is to be reported as 999999.

Scholarship/Grant Types for Gift Aid:
        Palmetto Fellows - Required to be reported unless a credit, then report 999999.
        LIFE - Report as 999999
        Need-based - Report as 999999
        HOPE – Report as 999999
        Lottery Tuition Assistance – Report as 999999
        Pell Grants – Report as 999999
        Foster Care – Report as 999999
        Enhanced LIFE – Report as 999999
        Enhanced Palmetto Fellows – Report as 999999

FIELD SPECIFICATIONS

REQUIREMENT TYPE: Mandatory - Null Allowed

DATA VALUE RANGE: 000001 - 999998; 999999 = Null

FIELD LENGTH: 6

FIELD TYPE: Numeric

ENTRY EXAMPLE: 007000 (represents $7,000 gift aid)