
Understanding ESEA Focus Schools Identification Below Cutpoints Data File

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Where Can I See My Data?

Focus Districts solely identified because of a Priority school in the district can see the ESEA Focus Schools Identification Below Cutpoints Data file in the IRS portal at:

<http://www.p12.nysed.gov/irs/irs-portal/>

Sample IRS Portal Screenshot

7232	UIAS Simultaneous Enrollments audit XLS 2012-06-06	File	Description	PM	AM	
7229	UIAS False Transfers audit PDF 2012-06-06	Download File	Show Description	06/06/2012 02:12 PM	07/11/2012 12:00 AM	
4891	Teacher ID file 2012-revised 5-14-2012	Download File	Show Description	05/16/2012 04:07 PM		
7228	UIAS False Transfers (Across Years) audit XLS 2012-06-06	Download File	Show Description	06/06/2012 02:02 PM	07/11/2012 12:00 AM	
11636	ESEA Focus Districts Identification.xls	Download File	Show Description	07/09/2012 10:04 AM		07/10/2012 11:46 AM
108	LEA Goals for Student Outcomes (RTTT)	Download File	Show Description	09/23/2011 01:36 PM		
7235	2011-12 Limited English Proficient Counts for Title III LEP Allocations	Download File	Show Description	06/08/2012 11:18 AM		
7238	2010-11 Graduation Rate and Diplomas Awarded and Aspirational Performance Measure (APM)	Download File	Show Description	06/08/2012 05:42 PM		
11642	ESEA 2009-10 Revised Performance Indices.xls	Download File	Show Description	07/09/2012 11:11 AM		07/10/2012 11:53 AM
11640	ESEA Student Growth Percentile for Districts.xls	Download File	Show Description	07/09/2012 10:54 AM		07/10/2012 11:49 AM
11641	ESEA Student Growth Percentile for Schools.xls	Download File	Show Description	07/09/2012 11:01 AM		07/10/2012 11:45 AM
11645	ESEA District SGP Files 2010.xls	Download File	Show Description	07/09/2012 12:04 PM		07/10/2012 11:51 AM
11646	ESEA Waiver Data Dictionary	Download File	Show Description	07/09/2012 12:35 PM		07/11/2012 11:08 AM
11643	ESEA 2010-11 Revised Performance Indices.xls	Download File	Show Description	07/09/2012 11:16 AM		07/10/2012 11:52 AM
11639	ESEA Reward Schools Identification.xls	Download File	Show Description	07/09/2012 10:50 AM		07/10/2012 11:49 AM
11647	ESEA District SGP Files 2011.xls	Download File	Show Description	07/09/2012 01:41 PM		07/10/2012 11:50 AM

ESEA 2012-13 Accountability Status File

This file has the accountability status for the district/charter and all schools within the district for the 2012-13 school year. It also has columns that indicate the count of Focus schools a Focus district has to identify and tentative Choice status based on 2011-12 Title I Status.

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
1	2012-13 Accountability Status of Districts and Schools								
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6	Legend:								
7	Focus ^A - Focus school in List A, identified for the highest count of non proficient/non graduate student results								
8	Focus ^B - Focus school in List B, identified for the highest percentage of non proficient/non graduate student results								
9	Focus ^{A&B} - Focus school in List A and B, identified for the highest count and percentage of non proficient/non graduate student results								
10	Choice* - Priority and Focus schools will be required to offer Choice if the school is in Title I status during 2012-13 school year								
11	BEDS	NAME	DBEDS	DNAME	2012-13 Accountability Status	Number of Focus schools in the identified Focus district	Title I 11-12	Choice*	
12		School1			Focus ^{A&B}		Yes	Yes	
13		School2			Focus ^{A&B}		Yes	Yes	
14		School3			Good Standing		Yes	Yes	
15		School4			Good Standing		Yes	Yes	
16		School5			Good Standing		Yes	Yes	
17		District			Focus District	2	Yes		

Focus districts solely identified because of a Priority school will see its Focus schools identified for not meeting Focus district cutpoints. These focus schools are not identified based on non proficient/non graduate count or percentage methodology. SED identifies the schools based on cutpoints.

ESEA Waiver Data Dictionary File

This file provides descriptions to the data elements used in the various identification files, and the District SGP files.

	A	B	C	D
1	<p>Note: This sheet has the data dictionary for the following data files. Scroll down to navigate.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Accountability Status for 2012-13 2. Priority Schools Identification 3. Focus Districts Identification 4. Focus Charters Identification 5. Focus Schools Identification Lowest Achieving 6. Focus Schools Identification Below Cutpoints 7. Reward Schools Identification 8. District SGP File 			
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136	6. Data Dictionary for Focus Schools Identification Below Cutpoints (Focus School identification in Focus Districts with a Priority School)			
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140	Column Label	Variable Name	Variable Description	
141	A	BEDS_CD	School's 12 digit BED's code from SIRS	
142	B	NAME	School Name	
143	C	DBEDS	District's 12 digit BED's code from SIRS	
144	D	DNAME	District Name	
145	E	2011-12 Title I	Schools receiving Title I funds in 2011-12 are indicated with a "Yes"	
146	G	Focus Schools	Schools identified as Focus schools for their performance index (PI) or graduation rate at or below cut points.	
147	I - Q	Schools Identified for bottom 5% in EM & HS Combined ELA & Math PI (at or below PI cut points)	Groups that are identified for being the lowest achieving 5% statewide based on 2010-11 EM & HS combined ELA and math PI are indicated with a "Yes".	

ESEA Focus Schools Identification Below Cut Points File

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	AB	AC	AD	AE	AF	AG	AH	AI	AJ	AK	AL	AM	AN	AO	AP	AQ	AR	AS									
3																																		
4																																		
5																																		
6																																		
7													2010-11 EM and HS Combined ELA & Math PI												2006 4 Yr Grad Rate									
8	BEDS CD	NAME	DBEDS	DNAME	2011- 12 Title I	Focus Schools	SWD	Am Ind	Asian	Black	Hisp	White	LEP	ED	Mix Rac	SWD	Am Ind	Asian	Black	Hisp	White	LEP	ED	Mix Rac										
9		School1		District1	Yes	Focus	67		130	131			129																					
10		School2		District1	Yes	Focus			125	117		107	122																					
11		School3		District1	Yes	Focus	60		121	117	137	101	118																					
12		School4		District1	Yes	Focus	53		124	114	134	65	117		55			68	61	70	31	68												
13		School5		District1	Yes		105		111	140			129																					
14		School6		District1	Yes				148	143		127	140																					
15																																		

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	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	AT	AU	AV	AW	AX	AY	AZ	BA	BB	BC	BD	BE	BF	BG	BH	BI	BJ				
3																												
4								2006 4 yr Grad Rate - State Avg																				
5								44	59	83	58	57	84	40	64	75												
6																												
7								2006 4 Yr Grad Rate above State Avg										Combined 2009-10 & 2010-11 ELA & Math SGP										C
8	BEDS CD	NAME	DBEDS	DNAME	2011- 12 Title I		Focus Schools	SWD	Am Ind	Asian	Black	Hisp	White	LEP	ED	Mix Rac	SWD	Am Ind	Asian	Black	Hisp	White	LEP	ED	S			
9		School1		District1	Yes	Focus														44	43				38			
10		School2		District1	Yes	Focus															45			43	41			
11		School3		District1	Yes	Focus											28		41	37	36	42	35	36				
12		School4		District1	Yes	Focus	Yes			Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes														
13		School5		District1	Yes															56	39				37			
14		School6		District1	Yes																24			22	25			
15																												

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	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	BK	BL	BM	BN	BO	BP	BQ	BR	BT	BU	BV	BW	BX	BY	BZ	CA
3								SPG State Avg for 2 yrs															
4								42 46 61 43 47 52 50 47															
5																							
6																							
7								Combined 2009-10 & 2010-11 ELA & Math SGP above State Avg								Change in Grad rate from 2004 to 2006 cohort for schools identified for Grad Rate only							
8	BEDS CD	NAME	DBEDS	DNAME	2011-12 Title I		Focus Schools	SWD	Am Ind	Asian	Black	Hisp	White	LEP	ED	SW D	Am Ind	Asian	Black	Hisp	White	LEP	ED
9		School1		District1	Yes		Focus				Yes	No			No								
10		School2		District1	Yes		Focus					No		No	No								
11		School3		District1	Yes		Focus	No		No	No	No	No	No	No								
12		School4		District1	Yes		Focus																
13		School5		District1	Yes						Yes	No			No								
14		School6		District1	Yes							No		No	No								
15																							

ESEA Focus Schools Identification Below Cut Points File

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	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	CB	CC	CD	CE	CF	CG	CH	CI	CJ	CK
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4																	
5																	
6																	
7								2006 5 yr Grad Rate above state average for schools identified for Grad Rate only									
8	BEDS CD	NAME	DBEDS	DNAME	2011-12 Title I		Focus Schools	SW D	Am Ind	Asi an	Bla ck	His p	Whi te	LE P	ED	Mix Rac	Groups eligible for removal based on 5 yr Grad Rate or 4 Yr Grad Rate 10 point gain from 2004 to 2006
9		School1		District1	Yes		Focus										
10		School2		District1	Yes		Focus										
11		School3		District1	Yes		Focus										
12		School4		District1	Yes		Focus										
13		School5		District1	Yes												
14		School6		District1	Yes												
15																	

2012-2013 Focus School Selection Form

The form may be downloaded at: <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/accountability/SEAMaterials.html>.

Each year, the district will be provided a new rank ordering of the schools in the district based on the performance of the district's accountability groups, and may choose to continue to serve the school(s) identified in 2011-12 or use the new lists to identify new schools within the district on which to focus.

District Name:

District BEDS Code:

Please choose one of the following Focus Schools lists to indicate the district's choice. Instructions to complete the form are enclosed. For details pertaining to schools on List A and List B, please check the "FocusSchoolsIdentification.xls" file in the district's portal.			
Option 1 – List A Based on count of non-proficient/non-graduate student results.	Option 2 – List B Based on percentage of non-proficient/non-graduate student results.	Option 3 – District Recommended List Provide the district's recommended school list and justification in the table below.	Option 4 – All Schools District will identify all its schools as Focus Schools.
District Recommended Focus Schools List for 2012-13 (Use additional sheets if necessary)			
	School Name	BEDS Code	Justification

*Superintendent or NYC Chancellor's signature required for certification.

Note: Charter Schools will not need to complete this form.

Submitting an Appeal for the District & School Accountability Status

To appeal an accountability determination for the 2012–13 school year, districts must submit a complete, signed, and dated *2012–13 Appeal Form* for School and District Accountability Status, with all required supporting evidence. The form may be downloaded at: <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/accountability/ESEAMaterials.html>.

Districts must submit the appeal by July 20, 2012.

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District Name:		
District BEDS Code:		
<p>Please provide the school details and check the accountability status and the reason(s) for your appeal. If the appeal is for multiple schools, please use a separate form for each school. Attach any data and/or supporting material to this form. Must be submitted via e-mail to accountinfo@mail.nysed.gov by July 20, 2012.</p>		
School Name:		
BEDS Code:		Title I Non-Title I
2012-13 Accountability Status	Reason for Appeal	
<input type="checkbox"/> Focus School	<input type="checkbox"/> 2007 4 Year Graduation Rate is 60% or above (for Priority HS identified for graduation rate only) <input type="checkbox"/> Extenuating or Extraordinary Circumstances <input type="checkbox"/> Data Issue <input type="checkbox"/> Other (e.g., school closure)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Priority School		
<input type="checkbox"/> Focus District (check if the appeal is regarding the District's status)		
Please explain briefly the rationale for this appeal (use additional sheets if necessary).		

**Superintendent (for New York City, the Chancellor and for Charter Schools, the Principal) signature required for certification.*

For Further Information about
Focus Districts, Focus Schools and Priority Schools, Please
Email:

eseathnktank@mail.nysed.gov

*To view the technical documentation on the identification of
Focus Districts, Focus Schools, Priority Schools and Reward
Schools, please visit:*

<http://www.p12.nysed.gov/accountability/ESEAMaterials.html>

To view past webinars regarding the ESEA waiver, please visit:

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