



Questions to Ask When Completing the Public School Eligibility Survey (PSES)

Date Certain	Yes (Y) No (N)
Is the date the same date provided in Survey 3?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) Option	Yes (Y) No (N)
Combination of CEP and Non-CEP Schools (using FRPL data and direct certification data)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does the LEA have one or more (but not all) schools participating in CEP?	<input type="checkbox"/>
District-Wide CEP (using direct certification data)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are all schools participating in CEP?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not Participating in CEP (using FRPL data)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are all schools <u>not</u> participating in CEP?	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Ranking Type	Yes (Y)	No (N)
District-Wide Ranking – the LEA ranks all schools without regard to grade spans.		
Is the LEA ranking all schools without regard to grade spans?		
District-Wide Ranking with Split-Funding – the LEA ranks all schools without regard to grade spans and funds only certain grade spans at one or more schools serving multiple grade spans.		
Is the LEA ranking all schools without regard to grade spans?		
Does the LEA plan to fund only certain grade spans at one or more schools serving multiple grade spans (e.g., funding only grades K-5 in a school that serves K-12)?		
District-Wide Ranking with Grade Span Grouping – the LEA ranks all schools at or above 75.01% without regard to grade spans and all schools at or below 75% according to the following grade span order: combination schools, elementary schools, middle schools, and high schools.		
Is the LEA ranking all schools at or above 75.01% without regard to grade spans?		
Is the LEA ranking all schools at or below 75% according to the following grade span order: combination schools, elementary schools, middle schools, and high schools?		
District--Wide Ranking with Grade Span Grouping and Split-Funding – the LEA ranks all schools at or above 75.01% without regard to grade spans and all schools at or below 75% according to the following grade span order: combination schools, elementary schools, middle schools, and high schools. Also, the LEA funds only certain grade spans at one or more schools serving multiple grade spans.		
Is the LEA ranking all schools at or above 75.01% without regard to grade spans?		
Is the LEA ranking all schools at or below 75% according to the following grade span order: combination schools, elementary schools, middle schools, and high schools?		
Does the LEA plan to fund only certain grade spans at one or more schools serving multiple grade spans (e.g., funding only grades K-5 in a school that serves K-12)?		

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Allocation Process		Yes (Y)	No (N)
Does the LEA serve a single grade span or multiple grade spans?			
Which survey data does the LEA use?			
Has the LEA user included the percentage cut-off (floor percentage) for Title I eligibility based on the LEA allocation process?			
Meal Program Type		Yes (Y)	No (N)
CEP			
Is this school participating in CEP?			
What is the baseline year for CEP data?			
Provision 2 (application data must be updated every four years)			
Is this school participating in Provision 2?			
What is the baseline year for Provision 2 data?			
Free and Reduced Price Lunch (FRPL)			
Is this school collecting FRPL applications?			

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PSES Selection Codes	Yes (Y) No (N)
A (Served)	
Does this school have a poverty rate at or above 75.01%?	
B (Served)	
Does this school have a poverty rate greater than the district poverty average (DPA)?	
Does this school have a poverty rate at or below 75%?	
C (Not Served)	
Is this school ineligible <i>only</i> because the school's grade span isn't served according to the LEA's allocation process?	
Is the school's poverty rate at or below 75%?	
D (Served)	
Is the school's poverty rate at least 35%?	
Is the school's poverty rate less than the DPA?	
E (Not Served)	
Is this school currently eligible to receive Title I funds?	
Does the school meet comparability requirements?	
Does the school receive supplemental state/local funds that are used to operate a Title I-like program?	
Do the supplemental state/ local funds meet or exceed the amount that the school would receive under Title I?	

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PSES Selection Codes (continued)		Yes (Y)	No (N)
F – served school that has been selected based on feeder patterns.			
Is this school eligible <i>only</i> because the average poverty rate of the elementary and/or middle school(s) attendance areas that feed into this school meet Title I eligibility requirements and are served with Title I funds?			
G – served school that has been selected on the basis of the Grandfather Clause.			
Is this school ineligible to receive Title I funds this year under the LEA's allocation process and/or NCLB?			
Was this school eligible to receive Title I funds last year?			
Is this school ineligible this year under the LEA's allocation process and/or according to NCLB?			
H – school not served because it has closed.			
Is this school closed?			
I – school not served because the school's poverty rate falls below the cut-off percentage for Title I eligibility based on the LEA's allocation process.			
Does the school have a poverty rate equal to or greater than the DPA?			
Is this school ineligible <i>only</i> because the school's poverty rate falls below the cut-off percentage for Title I eligibility based on the LEA's allocation process?			
J – school not served because its poverty rate is below the DPA, and it is also ineligible based on the LEA's allocation process.			
Is this school ineligible because its poverty rate is below the DPA?			
Is this school also ineligible according to the LEA's allocation process?			
K – school's poverty data is projected based on a school's opening, closing, or an anticipated change in enrollment.			
Is the school's poverty data projected based on a school's opening, closing, or an anticipated change in enrollment?			
Does the LEA plan to revise the enrollment and/or low-income data for this school after the October FTE Survey (Survey 2) so that the PSES reflects accurate data?			
L – school not served because it is not part of the K-12 education system.			
Is this school ineligible to receive Title I funds because it is not part of the K-12 education system (i.e., LEA Office, prekindergarten, or adult education)?			

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PSES Selection Codes (continued)

Yes (Y)
No (N)

M – served school that is a high school with a graduation rate below 60%, is designated as a priority school, and is eligible to receive Title I funds under NCLB. The school will be served out of rank order.

Is this school eligible to receive Title I funds?	
Is this a high school?	
Is this high school's graduation rate below 60%?	
Is this school designated as a priority school?	
Does the LEA plan to serve this school out of rank order?	

Helpful Hints

- The number of children from low-income families multiplied by a school's per-pupil allocation = total school allocation (TSA)
- A school's parental involvement allocation should not be included in the school's TSA.
- The sum of parental involvement allocations for all served schools must be at least 95% of the 1% required reservation for parental involvement.

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