CONSOLIDATED STATE PERFORMANCE REPORT: Parts I and II

for
STATE FORMULA GRANT PROGRAMS
under the
ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION ACT
As amended by the
No Child Left Behind Act of 2001

For reporting on **School Year 2006-07**

TENNESSEE



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Sections 9302 and 9303 of the *Elementary and Secondary Education Act* (*ESEA*), as amended by the *No Child Left Behind Act* of 2001 (*NCLB*) provide to States the option of applying for and reporting on multiple *ESEA* programs through a single consolidated application and report. Although a central, practical purpose of the Consolidated State Application and Report is to reduce "red tape" and burden on States, the Consolidated State Application and Report are also intended to have the important purpose of encouraging the integration of State, local, and *ESEA* programs in comprehensive planning and service delivery and enhancing the likelihood that the State will coordinate planning and service delivery across multiple State and local programs. The combined goal of all educational agencies—State, local, and Federal—is a more coherent, well-integrated educational plan that will result in improved teaching and learning.

The Consolidated State Application and Report includes the following ESEA programs:

- o Title I, Part A Improving Basic Programs Operated by Local Educational Agencies
- o Title I, Part B, Subpart 3 William F. Goodling Even Start Family Literacy Programs
- o Title I, Part C Education of Migratory Children
- o Title I, Part D Prevention and Intervention Programs for Children and Youth Who Are Neglected, Delinquent, or At-Risk
- o Title I, Part F Comprehensive School Reform
- o Title II, Part A Improving Teacher Quality State Grants (Teacher and Principal Training and Recruiting Fund)
- o Title II, Part D Enhancing Education through Technology
- Title III, Part A English Language Acquisition, Language Enhancement, and Academic Achievement Act
- o Title IV, Part A, Subpart 1 Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities State Grants
- Title IV, Part A, Subpart 2 Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities National Activities (Community Service Grant Program)
- Title IV, Part B 21st Century Community Learning Centers.
- o Title V, Part A Innovative Programs
- o Title VI, Section 6111 Grants for State Assessments and Related Activities
- o Title VI, Part B Rural Education Achievement Program
- o Title X, Part C Education for Homeless Children and Youths

The NCLB Consolidated State Performance Report (CSPR) for school year (SY) 2006-07 consists of two information collections.

PARTI

Part I of the CSPR requests information related to the five *ESEA* Goals, established in the June 2002 Consolidated State Application, and information required for the Annual State Report to the Secretary, as described in Section 1111(h)(4) of the *ESEA*. The five *ESEA* Goals established in the June 2002 Consolidated State Application are:

- **Performance Goal 1:** By SY 2013-14, all students will reach high standards, at a minimum attaining proficiency or better in reading/language arts and mathematics.
- **Performance Goal 2:** All limited English proficient students will become proficient in English and reach high academic standards, at a minimum attaining proficiency or better in reading/language arts and mathematics.
- Performance Goal 3: By SY 2005-06, all students will be taught by highly qualified teachers.
- **Performance Goal 4:** All students will be educated in learning environments that are safe, drug free, and conducive to learning.
- Performance Goal 5: All students will graduate from high school.

Starting with SY 2005-06, collection of data for the Education of Homeless Children and Youths was added to Part I in order to provide timely data for the program's performance measures. This change allowed ED to retire OMB collection 1810-0650. For SY 2006-07, Migrant Education Program child count information that is used for funding purposes is now collected via Part I. This change allowed ED to retire OMB collection 1810-0519

PART II

Part II of the CSPR consists of information related to State activities and outcomes of specific *ESEA* programs. While the information requested varies from program to program, the specific information requested for this report meets the following criteria:

- 1. The information is needed for Department program performance plans or for other program needs.
- 2. The information is not available from another source, including program evaluations.
- 3. The information will provide valid evidence of program outcomes or results.
- The CSPR is the best vehicle for collection of the data.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS AND TIMELINES

All States that received funding on the basis of the Consolidated State Application for the SY 2006-07 must respond to this Consolidated State Performance Report (CSPR). Part I of the Report is due to the Department by **Friday**, **December 28**, **2007**. Part II of the Report is due to the Department by **Friday**, **February 22**, **2008**. Both Part I and Part II should reflect data from the SY 2006-07, unless otherwise noted.

The format states will use to submit the Consolidated State Performance Report has changed to an online submission starting with SY 2004-05. This online submission system is being developed through the Education Data Exchange Network (EDEN) and will make the submission process less burdensome. Please see the following section on transmittal instructions for more information on how to submit this year's Consolidated State Performance Report.

TRANSMITTAL INSTRUCTIONS

The Consolidated State Performance Report (CSPR) data will be collected online from the SEAs, using the EDEN web site. The EDEN web site will be modified to include a separate area (sub-domain) for CSPR data entry. This area will utilize EDEN formatting to the extent possible and the data will be entered in the order of the current CSPR forms. The data entry screens will include or provide access to all instructions and notes on the current CSPR forms; additionally, an effort will be made to design the screens to balance efficient data collection and reduction of visual clutter.

Initially, a state user will log onto EDEN and be provided with an option that takes him or her to the "SY 2006-07 CSPR". The main CSPR screen will allow the user to select the section of the CSPR that he or she needs to either view or enter data. After selecting a section of the CSPR, the user will be presented with a screen or set of screens where the user can input the data for that section of the CSPR. A user can only select one section of the CSPR at a time. After a state has included all available data in the designated sections of a particular CSPR Part, a lead state user will certify that Part and transmit it to the Department. Once a Part has been transmitted, ED will have access to the data. States may still make changes or additions to the transmitted data, by creating an updated version of the CSPR. Detailed instructions for transmitting the SY 2006-07 CSPR will be found on the main CSPR page of the EDEN web site (https://EDEN.ED.GOV/EDENPortal/).

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1965, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is 1810-0614. The time required to complete this information collection is estimated to average 111 hours per response, including the time to review instructions, search existing data resources, gather the data needed, and complete and review the information collection. If you have any comments concerning the accuracy of the time estimates(s) contact School Support and Technology Programs, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Washington DC 20202-6140. Questions about the new electronic CSPR submission process, should be directed to the EDEN Partner Support Center at 1-877-HLP-EDEN (1-877-457-3336).

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CONSOLIDATED STATE PERFORMANCE REPORT: PART I

For reporting on **School Year 2006-07**



PART I DUE DECEMBER 28, 2007

1.1 STANDARDS AND ASSESSMENT DEVELOPMENT

This section requests descriptions of the State's implementation of the *NCLB* academic content standards, academic achievement standards and assessments to meet the requirements of Section 1111(b)(1) of *ESEA*.

1.1.1 Academic Content Standards

In the space below, provide a description and timeline of any actions the State has taken or is planning to take to make revisions to or change the State's academic content standards in mathematics, reading/language arts or science. Indicate specifically in what year your state expects the changes to be implemented.

If the State has <u>not</u> made or is not planning to make revisions or changes, respond "No revisions or changes to content standards taken or planned."

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Tennessee's State Board of Education has adopted challenging content standards in science that are consistent with section 1111 (b)(1). These standards can be found at the Department's website at http://www.state.tn.us/education/ci/standards/

Tennessee has developed Alternate Achievement Standards which are directly linked to general curriculum content standards in reading/language arts, mathematics, and science. These Alternate Achievement Standards can be found at the Department's website at

http://www.state.tn.us/education/speced/seassessment.shtml#DISABILITY

Tennessee's assessment system has been approved for reading, math and science through ED's peer review process as of the end of SY 2005-06 (defined as June 30, 2006 for this process).

The State has undertaken a revision of its K-12 content standards in reading/language arts, math, and science. The State has issued an Request for Proposal for a new assessment for its newly revised contact standards with the intention that both K-8 and new high school assessments that are aligned with the newly revised content standards will be piloted in school year 2008-09 and implemented during school year 2009-10.

Content standards for K-8 science have been revised and approved by the State Board of Education at its meeting on November 2, 2007. First reading of the newly revised mathematics, science, and English language arts standards for high schools were also on the Board's agenda that meeting (http://www.state.tn.us/sbe/pdfNovember/Agenda11_07_links.pdf). First reading of the newly revised K-8 English language arts and mathematics standards was on the Board's agenda for its December 19, 2007 meeting (http://www.state.tn.us/sbe/2007DecemberPDFs/Agenda%2012-07%20(Timed).pdf).

Final approval of K-12 content standards in mathematics and English language arts and high school science standards is scheduled for the State Board of Education's January 25, 2008 meeting.

Tennessee's K-12 content standards are available at http://www.tennessee.gov/education/ci/standards/.

Source - Manual input by the SEA using the online collection tool.

Note: Mathematics and Reading/Language Arts has been added to this data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.1.2 Assessments in Mathematics and Reading/Language Arts

In the space below, provide a description and timeline of any actions the State has taken or is planning to take to make revisions to or change the State's assessments in mathematics or reading/language arts required under Section 1111(b)(3) of *ESEA*. As applicable, include any assessment (e.g., alternate assessments based on alternate achievement standards, alternate assessments based on modified achievement standards, native language assessments, or others) implemented to meet the assessment requirements under Section 1111(b)(3) of *ESEA*. Indicate specifically in what year your state expects the changes to be implemented.

If the State has <u>not</u> made or is not planning to make revisions or changes, respond "No revisions or changes to assessments made or planned."

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

The TN Comprehensive Assessment Program (TCAP) assessment system was implemented in Spring 2004 for all content areas: reading/language arts, math, science, and social studies. The high school test for mathematics, Gateway Math, and the high school tests for language arts, Gateway English and 11th grade writing assessment, have already been implemented. Information about those tests can be found on the Department's website at http://www.state.tn.us/education/assessment/.

Local educational agencies are involved with the development and implementation of our assessments in the following ways:

- 1. they approve and revise all of our criterion-referenced items;
- 2. they review all criterion-referenced items for bias; and,
- they participate in the standards setting process.

The Tennessee Comprehensive Assessment Program (TCAP) is the statewide assessment program developed for all students. The TCAP Alternate Assessment (TCAP-Alt) was developed to include students with the most significant

cognitive/adaptive disabilities in the statewide assessment and accountability program. The TCAP-Alt consists of one type of assessment: the portfolio assessment (PA). The IEP Team must ensure that the student meets the TCAP-Alt

Participation Guidelines prior to the student's participation in the PA. In the 2005-2006 school year the PA option was revised to include alignment with academic content standards and assess the student's progress on alternate

achievement standards for the student's grade level. Upon the deadline for submission no bids were received and a new RFP for another alternate assessment was released December 7, 2007.

In the 2004-2005 school year, an Alternate Writing Assessment (TCAP-Alt Writing) was developed. In February 2005, twenty-five practitioners from across the state met to set the alternate achievement standards for measurement of the TCAP Writing Assessment. Beginning in the 2004-2005 school year, students who met the TCAP-Alt Participation Guidelines were able to participate in the TCAP-Alt Writing Assessment. The TCAP-Alt PA meet federal requirements for No Child Left Behind (NCLB).

Tennessee's assessment system has been approved for reading and math through ED's peer review process as of the end of SY 2005-06 (defined as June 30, 2006 for this process).

The TN Comprehensive Assessment Program (TCAP) Achievement Assessment for Grades 3-8 meeting the requirements of Section 1111(b)(3) of ESEA will be repurposed for the 2010 assessment. Revised curriculum and achievement standards for mathematics and reading/language arts will be the basis for this repurposed grades 3-8 assessment. Additionally, two new alternate assessments will be developed. An alternate assessment based on modified achievement standards will be operational in 2010. An alternate assessment based on grade level standards for ESL students will be operational in 2011.

Source – Manual input by the SEA using the online collection tool.

Note: The subject of science has been removed from this data element.

1.1.3 Academic Achievement Standards in Mathematics and Reading/Language Arts

In the space below, provide a description and timeline of any actions the State has taken or is planning to take to make revisions to or change the State's academic achievement standards in mathematics or reading/language arts implemented to meet the requirements under Section 1111(b)(3) of ESEA. As applicable, include alternate achievement standards for students with significant cognitive disabilities and modified academic achievement standards implemented to meet the requirements of Section 1111(b)(3) of ESEA. Indicate specifically in what year your state expects the changes to be implemented.

If the State has <u>not</u> made or is not planning to make revisions or changes, respond "No revisions or changes to content standards taken or planned."

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Tennessee set its academic achievement standards in mathematics and reading/language arts for grades 3, 5, and 8 in consultation with LEAs in July 2003. Academic achievement standards for science in consultation with LEAs were set in July 2004.

Academic achievement standards for the writing assessment given in grades 5, 8, and 11 have already been set. Academic achievement standards for Gateway Math and Gateway English have also been set. The State always consults with representatives from LEAs in the setting of achievement standards. In February, 2005, the development of Alternate Achievement Standards for Tennessee's students with the most significant cognitive/adaptive disabilities began. The committee which developed these Alternate Achievement Standards included 50 LEA representatives from across the state and the TCAP-Alt Advisory Committee. The Alternate Achievement Standards were completed in September, 2005, after a series of meetings. The TCAP-Alt Portfolio Assessment was revised in September, 2005 to include the Alternate Achievement Standards developed by the State's Alternate Achievement Committee.

Source – Manual input by the SEA using the online collection tool.

Note: The subject of science has been removed from this data element.

1.1.4 Assessments in Science

In the space below, provide a description of the State's progress in developing and implementing assessments in science that meet the requirements of Section 1111(b)(3) of ESEA in the required grade levels, including remaining major milestones (e.g., field testing) and a timeline for them. As applicable, include any assessment (e.g., alternate assessments based on alternate achievement standards, alternate assessments based on modified achievement standards, native language assessments, or others) implemented to meet the assessment requirements under Section 1111(b)(3) of ESEA.

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Tennessee's assessment system has been approved for science through ED's peer review process as of the end of SY 2005-06 (defined as June 30, 2006 for this process). All science assessments in grades 3-8 and high school are implemented and approved.

Source – Manual input by the SEA using the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly part of Section 1.1.2 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.1.5 Academic Achievement Standards in Science

In the space below, provide a description of the State's progress in developing and implementing academic achievement standards in science that meet the requirements of Section 1111(b)(3) in the required grade levels, including remaining major milestones and a timeline for them. As applicable, include alternate achievement standards for students with significant cognitive disabilities implemented to meet the requirements of Section 1111(b)(3) of ESEA.

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Tennessee has had its science content and achievement standards and the aligned science assessments that meet the requirements of Section 1111(b)(3) of ESEA approved during Peer Review in 2006. The achievement standards for science were formally established and approved by the State Board of Education in July 2004. The science achievement standards for students with significant cognitive disabilities (1%) were developed the following year and approved by the State Board of Education in July 2005.

Tennessee has just recently revised its K-12 science content standards. The newly revised K-8 science content standards have been approved by the State Board of Education in November 2007. The high school science standards are scheduled for approval by the State Board in January 2008. Aligned assessments based on these new standards are scheduled to be piloted during the Spring 2009 testing. Science achievement standards with corresponding cut scores on these new standards and assessments will be established in Summer 2009 and then presented to the State Board of Education for approval during Fall 2009. The new science assessments based on the revised science content and achievement standards will be administered for the first time during Spring 2010 testing. The process of revising science content and achievement standards will also entail a review of the science alternative achievement standards for students with the most significant cognitive disabilities and revision of those standards if necessary.

Source - Manual input by the SEA using the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly part of Section 1.1.3 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.2 PARTICIPATION IN STATE ASSESSMENTS

This section collects data on the participation of students in the State NCLB assessments.

1.2.1 Participation of All Students in Mathematics Assessment

In the table below, provide the number of students enrolled during the State's testing window for *NCLB* mathematics assessments required under Section 1111(b)(3) of ESEA (regardless of whether the students were present for a full academic year) and the number of students who were tested in mathematics. The percentage of students who were tested for mathematics will be calculated automatically.

The student group "children with disabilities (*IDEA*)" includes children who were tested using regular assessments with or without accommodations and alternate assessments.

The student group "limited English proficient students (LEP)" includes recently arrived students who have attended schools in the United States for fewer than 12 months; and it does not include former LEP students.

Student Group	# Students Enrolled	# Students Tested	Percent of Students Tested
All students	527480	521988	99.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	1269	1260	99.3
Asian or Pacific Islander	7610	7573	99.5
Black, non-Hispanic	139654	137674	98.6
Hispanic	23424	23270	99.3
White, non-Hispanic	354188	352057	99.4
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	67260	65907	98.0
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	9676	9611	99.3
Economically disadvantaged students	260282	257301	98.9
Migratory students	367	366	99.7
Male	269813	267284	99.1
Female	256513	254704	99.3

Comments: LEAs used Out of Level assessements to meet IDEA requirements for students with disabilities. The difference between the number of students tested recorded in this table and tables in section 1.3 are these out of level students. These students were considered Tested and not proficient in 1.3 as agreed upon in the AYP Workbook for TN.

Source – The table above is produced through EDFacts. The SEA submits the data in file N/X081 that includes data group 588, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under *NCLB*, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly Section 1.2.1.1 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR. For the SY 2006-07 CSPR, the total number of students enrolled has been added to this data collection.

1.2.2 Participation of Students with Disabilities in Mathematics Assessment

In the table below, provide the number of children with disabilities (IDEA) tested during the State's testing window for mathematics assessments required under Section 1111(b)(3) of ESEA (regardless of whether the children were present for a full academic year) by the type of assessment. The percentage of children with disabilities (IDEA) who were tested in mathematics for each type of assessment will be calculated automatically. The total number of children with disabilities (IDEA) tested will also be calculated automatically.

The data provided below should include mathematics participation results from all students with disabilities as defined under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act. Do not include results from students covered under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.

	# Children with Disabilities (IDEA) Tested	Percentage of Children with Disabilities (IDEA) Tested, Who Took the Specified Assessment
Regular Assessment without		
Accommodations	36354	55.2
Regular Assessment with Accommodations	24660	37.4
Alternate Assessment Based on Grade-Level Achievement Standards	0	0.0
Alternate Assessment Based on Modified Achievement Standards	0	0.0
Alternate Assessment Based on Alternate Achievement Standards	4893	7.4
Total	65907	

Comments: LEAs used Out of Level assessements to meet IDEA requirements for students with disabilities. The difference between the number of students tested recorded in this table and tables in section 1.3 are these out of level students. These students were considered Tested and not proficient in 1.3 as agreed upon in the AYP Workbook for TN.

Source – Manual input by the SEA using the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly Section 1.2.2.1 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.2.3 Participation of All Students in the Reading/Language Arts Assessment

This section is similar to 1.2.1 and collects data on the State's NCLB reading/language arts assessment.

Student Group	# Students Enrolled	# Students Tested	Percent of Students Tested
All students	518705	513116	98.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	1280	1270	99.2
Asian or Pacific Islander	7816	7737	99.0
Black, non-Hispanic	131122	129440	98.7
Hispanic	22839	22554	98.8
White, non-Hispanic	354358	352000	99.3
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	64404	62866	97.6
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	9123	8946	98.1
Economically disadvantaged students	253010	249985	98.8
Migratory students	367	365	99.5
Male	265539	262891	99.0
Female	252016	250225	99.3

Comments: LEAs used Out of Level assessements to meet IDEA requirements for students with disabilities. The difference between the number of students tested recorded in this table and tables in section 1.3 are these out of level students. These students were considered Tested and not proficient in 1.3 as agreed upon in the AYP Workbook for TN.

Source - The same file specification as 1.2.1 is used, but with data group 589 instead of 588.

Note: This table was formerly Section 1.2.1.2 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR. For the SY 2006-07 CSPR, the total number of students enrolled has been added to this data collection.

1.2.4 Participation of Students with Disabilities in Reading/Language Arts Assessment

This section is similar to 1.2.2 and collects data on the State's NCLB reading/language arts assessment.

The data provided should include reading/language arts participation results from all students with disabilities as defined under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act and do not include results from students covered under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.

Type of Assessment		Percentage of Children with Disabilities (IDEA) Tested, Who Took the Specified Assessment
Regular Assessment without		
Accommodations	21821	34.7
Regular Assessment with Accommodations	36377	57.9
Alternate Assessment Based on Grade-Level		
Achievement Standards	0	0.0
Alternate Assessment Based on Modified		
Achievement Standards	0	0.0
Alternate Assessment Based on Alternate		
Achievement Standards	4668	7.4
Total	62866	

Comments: LEAs used Out of Level assessements to meet IDEA requirements for students with disabilities. The difference between the number of students tested recorded in this table and tables in section 1.3 are these out of level students. These students were considered Tested and not proficient in 1.3 as agreed upon in the AYP Workbook for TN.

Source – Manual input by the SEA using the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly Section 1.2.2.2 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.3 STUDENT ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

This section collects data on student academic achievement on the State NCLB assessments.

1.3.1 Student Academic Achievement in Mathematics

In the format of the table below, provide the number of students who completed the State *NCLB* assessment(s) in mathematics implemented to meet the requirements of Section 1111(b)(3) of ESEA (regardless of whether the students were present for a full academic year) and for whom a proficiency level was assigned, and the number of these students who scored at or above proficient, in grades 3 through 8 and high school. The percentage of students who scored at or above proficient is calculated automatically.

The student group "children with disabilities (*IDEA*)" includes children who were tested using regular assessments with or without accommodations and alternate assessments.

The student group "limited English proficient students (LEP)" does not include recently arrived students who have attended schools in the United States for fewer than 12 months; and does not include monitored former LEP (MFLEP) students.

1.3.2 Student Academic Achievement in Reading/Language Arts

This section is similar to 1.3.1. The only difference is that this section collects data on the State's *NCLB* reading/language arts assessment.

1.3.1 Student Academic Achievement in Mathematics - Grade 3

Grade 3	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	73205	64856	88.6
American Indian or Alaska Native	124	116	93.5
Asian or Pacific Islander	1196	1134	94.8
Black, non-Hispanic	18135	14353	79.1
Hispanic	3783	3147	83.2
White, non-Hispanic	50020	46145	92.3
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	8792	5833	66.3
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	2193	1597	72.8
Economically disadvantaged students	38457	31931	83.0
Migratory students	70	49	70.0
Male	37398	32866	87.9
Female	35807	31990	89.3

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN.

Source – Initially prepopulated by ED Facts in file N/X075 that is data group 583, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under NCLB, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online collection tool.

Note: The addition of the total number of students with an assigned proficiency level is a new data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.3.2 Student Academic Achievement in Reading/Language Arts - Grade 3

Grade 3	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	72982	67487	92.5
American Indian or Alaska Native	124	117	94.4
Asian or Pacific Islander	1151	1103	95.8
Black, non-Hispanic	18120	15955	88.1
Hispanic	3640	3039	83.5
White, non-Hispanic	50000	47319	94.6
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	8800	6917	78.6
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	1984	1369	69.0
Economically disadvantaged students	38313	33972	88.7
Migratory students	70	43	61.4
Male	37285	33772	90.6
Female	35697	33715	94.4

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN. Current LEP proficiency % is correct for the new data.

Source – Initially prepopulated by ED*Facts* in file N/X076, N/X077, or N/X078 that are data group 584, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under NCLB, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online CSPR collection tool.

1.3.3 Student Academic Achievement in Mathematics - Grade 4

Grade 4	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	73205	64856	88.6
American Indian or Alaska Native	151	139	92.1
Asian or Pacific Islander	1120	1082	96.6
Black, non-Hispanic	17785	14364	80.8
Hispanic	3624	3146	86.8
White, non-Hispanic	49037	45431	92.6
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	8680	5539	63.8
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	1558	1168	75.0
Economically disadvantaged students	37057	31163	84.1
Migratory students	60	46	76.7
Male	36714	32308	88.0
Female	34990	31839	91.0

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN. The current year Migratory students % is correct.

Source – Initially prepopulated by ED*Facts* in file N/X075 that is data group 583, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under *NCLB*, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online collection tool.

Note: The addition of the total number of students with an assigned proficiency level is a new data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.3.4 Student Academic Achievement in Reading/Language Arts - Grade 4

Grade 4	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	71535	62901	87.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	149	136	91.3
Asian or Pacific Islander	1093	1027	94.0
Black, non-Hispanic	17770	14047	79.0
Hispanic	3508	2776	79.1
White, non-Hispanic	49028	44929	91.6
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	8686	6017	69.3
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	1384	738	53.3
Economically disadvantaged students	36940	30151	81.6
Migratory students	59	36	61.0
Male	36619	31205	85.2
Female	34916	31696	90.8

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN. The current year Migratory students % is correct.

Source – Initially prepopulated by ED*Facts* in file N/X076, N/X077, or N/X078 that are data group 584, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under NCLB, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online CSPR collection tool.

1.3.5 Student Academic Achievement in Mathematics - Grade 5

Grade 5	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	71197	65905	92.6
American Indian or Alaska Native	135	129	95.6
Asian or Pacific Islander	1092	1070	98.0
Black, non-Hispanic	17627	15301	86.8
Hispanic	3405	2997	88.0
White, non-Hispanic	48932	46402	94.8
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	8652	5799	67.0
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	1300	945	72.7
Economically disadvantaged students	35887	31763	88.5
Migratory students	59	45	76.3
Male	36503	33429	91.6
Female	34694	32476	93.6

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN.

Source – Initially prepopulated by EDFacts in file N/X075 that is data group 583, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under *NCLB*, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online collection tool.

Note: The addition of the total number of students with an assigned proficiency level is a new data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.3.6 Student Academic Achievement in Reading/Language Arts - Grade 5

Grade 5	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	71038	67617	95.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	135	134	99.3
Asian or Pacific Islander	1057	1037	98.1
Black, non-Hispanic	17617	16133	91.6
Hispanic	3305	2975	90.0
White, non-Hispanic	48917	47330	96.8
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	8647	7239	83.7
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	1147	827	72.1
Economically disadvantaged students	35764	33012	92.3
Migratory students	58	37	63.8
Male	36401	34140	93.8
Female	34637	33477	96.7

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN. The current year proficiency % for Hispanic, Children with disabilities, LEP, and Migratory students are correct.

Source – Initially prepopulated by ED*Facts* in file N/X076, N/X077, or N/X078 that are data group 584, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under NCLB, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online CSPR collection tool.

1.3.7 Student Academic Achievement in Mathematics - Grade 6

Grade 6	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	72350	64386	89.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	165	151	91.5
Asian or Pacific Islander	1042	994	95.4
Black, non-Hispanic	18127	14633	80.7
Hispanic	3180	2607	82.0
White, non-Hispanic	49805	45976	92.3
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	8813	5084	57.7
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	1109	642	57.9
Economically disadvantaged students	36164	30138	83.3
Migratory students	52	37	71.2
Male	37140	32432	87.3
Female	35210	31954	90.8

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN. The current year proficiency % for LEP is correct.

Source – Initially prepopulated by ED*Facts* in file N/X075 that is data group 583, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under *NCLB*, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online collection tool.

Note: The addition of the total number of students with an assigned proficiency level is a new data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.3.8 Student Academic Achievement in Reading/Language Arts - Grade 6

Grade 6	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	72192	66321	91.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	165	158	95.8
Asian or Pacific Islander	1005	962	95.7
Black, non-Hispanic	18119	15475	85.4
Hispanic	3074	2598	84.5
White, non-Hispanic	49798	47104	94.6
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	8817	6240	70.8
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	952	507	53.3
Economically disadvantaged students	36051	31413	87.1
Migratory students	49	24	49.0
Male	37038	33213	89.7
Female	35154	33108	94.2

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN. The current year proficiency % for American Indian or Alaska Native, Hispanic, and Children with disiabilities are correct.

Source – Initially prepopulated by ED*Facts* in file N/X076, N/X077, or N/X078 that are data group 584, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under NCLB, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online CSPR collection tool.

1.3.9 Student Academic Achievement in Mathematics - Grade 7

Grade 7	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	72743	64286	88.4
American Indian or Alaska Native	184	162	88.0
Asian or Pacific Islander	1067	1026	96.2
Black, non-Hispanic	18894	15009	79.4
Hispanic	3049	2534	83.1
White, non-Hispanic	49525	45539	92.0
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	8937	4890	54.7
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	1057	657	62.2
Economically disadvantaged students	35554	29200	82.1
Migratory students	39	30	76.9
Male	37614	32245	85.7
Female	35129	32041	91.2

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN. The current year proficiency % for Migratory students is correct.

Source – Initially prepopulated by ED Facts in file N/X075 that is data group 583, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under NCLB, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online collection tool.

Note: The addition of the total number of students with an assigned proficiency level is a new data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.3.10 Student Academic Achievement in Reading/Language Arts - Grade 7

Grade 7	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	72589	65203	89.8
American Indian or Alaska Native	184	163	88.6
Asian or Pacific Islander	1042	997	95.7
Black, non-Hispanic	18885	15616	82.7
Hispanic	2933	2341	79.8
White, non-Hispanic	49521	46070	93.0
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	8936	5808	65.0
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	895	413	46.1
Economically disadvantaged students	35435	29769	84.0
Migratory students	39	18	46.2
Male	37538	32586	86.8
Female	35051	32617	93.1

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN. The current year proficiency % for Migratory students is correct.

Source – Initially prepopulated by ED*Facts* in file N/X076, N/X077, or N/X078 that are data group 584, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under NCLB, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online CSPR collection tool.

1.3.11 Student Academic Achievement in Mathematics - Grade 8

Grade 8	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	72861	64102	88.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	197	176	89.3
Asian or Pacific Islander	1054	1013	96.1
Black, non-Hispanic	18640	14744	79.1
Hispanic	2934	2406	82.0
White, non-Hispanic	50010	45747	91.5
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	8891	4825	54.3
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	1018	597	58.6
Economically disadvantaged students	34707	28246	81.4
Migratory students	60	43	71.7
Male	37020	31750	85.8
Female	35841	32352	90.3

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN. The current year proficiency % for Children with disabilities and Migratory students are correct.

Source – Initially prepopulated by ED*Facts* in file N/X075 that is data group 583, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under *NCLB*, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online collection tool.

Note: The addition of the total number of students with an assigned proficiency level is a new data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.3.12 Student Academic Achievement in Reading/Language Arts - Grade 8

Grade 8	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	72758	67013	92.1
American Indian or Alaska Native	197	187	94.9
Asian or Pacific Islander	1027	990	96.4
Black, non-Hispanic	18633	16121	86.5
Hispanic	2844	2424	85.2
White, non-Hispanic	50030	47273	94.5
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	8906	6394	71.8
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	862	499	57.9
Economically disadvantaged students	34625	30301	87.5
Migratory students	58	33	56.9
Male	36968	33038	89.4
Female	35790	33975	94.9

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN. The current year proficiency % for Children with disabilities and Migratory students are correct.

Source – Initially prepopulated by ED*Facts* in file N/X076, N/X077, or N/X078 that are data group 584, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under NCLB, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online CSPR collection tool.

1.3.13 Student Academic Achievement in Mathematics - High School

High School	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	87860	65217	74.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	304	221	72.7
Asian or Pacific Islander	981	852	86.9
Black, non-Hispanic	28440	16065	56.5
Hispanic	3252	2311	71.1
White, non-Hispanic	54735	45675	83.4
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	13210	6496	49.2
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	1297	702	54.1
Economically disadvantaged students	39425	26155	66.3
Migratory students	25	18	72.0
Male	44875	32692	72.9
Female	42985	32525	75.7

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN. The current year proficiency % for Children with disabilities is correct.

Source – Initially prepopulated by ED*Facts* in file N/X075 that is data group 583, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under *NCLB*, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online collection tool.

Note: The addition of the total number of students with an assigned proficiency level is a new data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.3.14 Student Academic Achievement in Reading/Language Arts - High School

High School	# Students Who Completed the Assessment and for Whom a Proficiency Level Was Assigned	# Students Scoring at or Above Proficient	Percentage of Students Scoring at or Above Proficient
All students	79075	73859	93.4
American Indian or Alaska Native	315	293	93.0
Asian or Pacific Islander	1180	1124	95.3
Black, non-Hispanic	20188	17596	87.2
Hispanic	2678	2402	89.7
White, non-Hispanic	54606	52356	95.9
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	10133	7281	71.9
Limited English proficient (LEP) students	794	581	73.2
Economically disadvantaged students	32176	28686	89.2
Migratory students	25	20	80.0
Male	40516	36960	91.2
Female	38559	36899	95.7

Comments: Current values are correct in comparison to previous years above or below 10% based on a change in the populations in TN.

Source – Initially prepopulated by ED*Facts* in file N/X076, N/X077, or N/X078 that are data group 584, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under NCLB, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online CSPR collection tool.

1.4 SCHOOL AND DISTRICT ACCOUNTABILITY

This section collects data on the Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) status of schools and districts.

1.4.1 All Schools and Districts Accountability

In the table below, provide the total number of public elementary and secondary schools and districts in the State and the total number of those schools and districts that made AYP based on data for the SY 2006-07 school year. The percentage that made AYP will be calculated automatically.

Entity	Total #	# That Made AYP in SY 2006-07	Percentage That Made AYP in SY 2006-07
Schools	1635	1419	86.8
Districts	135	122	90.4
Commen	ts:		

Source – The table above is produced through EDFacts. The SEA submits the data in N/X103 for data group 32.

1.4.2 Title I School Accountability

In the table below, provide the total number of public Title I schools by type and the total number of those schools that made AYP based on data for the SY 2006-07 school year. Include only public Title I schools. Do <u>not</u> include Title I programs operated by local educational agencies in private schools. The percentage that made AYP will be calculated automatically.

		# Title I Schools That Made AYP in	Percentage of Title I Schools That Made AYP in
Title I School	# Title I Schools	SY 2006-07	SY 2006-07
All Title I schools	898	788	87.8
Schoolwide (SWP) Title I			
schools	787	682	86.7
Targeted assistance (TAS)			
Title I schools	111	106	95.5
Comments: Althou	Comments: Although this number is outside of the 10% range in the validation check, the number is correct.		

Source – The table above is produced through EDFacts. The SEA submits the data in N/X101 for data group 22 and N/X103 for data group 32.

Note: New for the SY 2006-07 CSPR is the data collection requirement to report for public schools and to include data for schoolwide (SWP) and targeted assistance (TAS) Title I Schools.

1.4.3 Accountability of Districts That Received Title I Funds

In the table below, provide the total number of districts that received Title I funds and the total number of those districts that made AYP based on data for SY 2006-07. The percentage that made AYP will be calculated automatically.

# Districts That Received Title I Funds	# Districts That Received Title I Funds and Made AYP in SY 2006-07	Percentage of Districts That Received Title I Funds and Made AYP in SY 2006-07
135	122	90.4
Comments:		

Source – Initially, pre-populated by EDFacts file N/X103 that is data group 32 and 582. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly part of Section 1.4.2 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.4.4 Title I Schools Identified for Improvement

1.4.4.1 List of Title I Schools Identified for Improvement

In the following table, provide a list of Title I schools identified for improvement, corrective action, or restructuring under Section 1116 for the SY 2007-08 based on the data from SY 2006-07. For each school on the list, provide the following:

- District Name and NCES ID Code
- School Name and NCES ID Code
- Whether the school missed the proficiency target in reading/language arts as outlined in the State's Accountability Plan
- Whether the school met the participation rate target for the reading/language arts assessment
- · Whether the school missed the proficiency target in mathematics as outlined in the State's Accountability Plan
- Whether the school met the participation rate target for the mathematics assessment
- Whether the school missed the other academic indicator for elementary/middle schools (if applicable) as outlined in the State's Accountability Plan
- Whether the school missed the graduation rate for high schools (if applicable) as outlined in the State's Accountability Plan
- Improvement status for SY 2007-08 (Use one of the following improvement status designations: School Improvement Year
 1, School Improvement Year 2, Corrective Action, Restructuring Year 1 (planning), or Restructuring Year 2 (implementing))¹
- Whether the school is a Title I school (This column is optional and is used only by States that choose to list all schools in improvement.)

See attached for blank template that can be used to enter School Data. Download template: Question 1.4.4.1_0607.xls (Get MS Excel Viewer)

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: Identification as Title I school is a new data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

¹ The school improvement statuses are defined in *LEA* and *School Improvement Non-Regulatory Guidance*. This document may be found on the Department's Web page at http://www.ed.gov/policy/elsec/guid/schoolimprovementguid.doc.

1.4.4.2 Actions Taken for Title I Schools Identified for Improvement

In the space below, describe the measures being taken to address the achievement problems of schools identified for improvement, corrective action, and restructuring. Include a discussion of the technical assistance provided by and supported by the State, including a description of the statewide systems of support under *NCLB* (e.g., the number of schools served, the nature and duration of assistance provided, etc.).

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

The Department has initiated three major measures to directly assist the schools identified for improvement, corrective action, and restructuring. First, the Department has increased the number of Exemplary Educators that work directly with the identified schools to improve student performance and to help the school make adequate yearly progress. This program trains exemplary retired educators to work directly with schools on revising their school improvement plans and implementing those revisions. The Exemplary Educator program is a collaborative program between the Department and the federally funded comprehensive center, Edvantia. Second, the Department has opened nine regional offices across the state that are staffed by consultants from No Child Left Behind, IDEA, and vocational education. The staff members from these offices have been provided on-going training by Edvantia to work directly with schools that are struggling with meeting adequate yearly progress. Finally, the Department is prioritizing resources and targeting those resources to schools identified for improvement. Those resources include school improvement funds under Title I.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: The inclusion of the discussion of technical assistance provided by and supported by the State is a new data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.4.4.3 Corrective Action

In the table below, for schools in corrective action, provide the number of schools for which the listed corrective actions under *NCLB* are being implemented.

Corrective Action	# of Schools in Corrective Action in Which the Corrective Action Is Being Implemented
Required implementation of a new research-based curriculum	
or instructional program	4
Extension of the school year or school day	1
Replacement of staff members relevant to the school's low performance	3
Significant decrease in management authority at the school level	0
Replacement of the principal	1
Restructuring the internal organization of the school	0
Appointment of an outside expert to advise the school	11
Comments:	

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.4.4.4 Restructuring – Year 2

In the table below, for schools in restructuring – year 2 (implementation year), provide the number of schools for which the listed restructuring actions under *NCLB* are being implemented.

Restructuring Action	# of Schools in Restructuring in Which Restructuring Action Is Being Implemented
Replacement of all or most of the school staff (which may include the principal)	1
Reopening the school as a public charter school	0
Entering into a contract with a private entity to operate the school	0
Take over the school by the State	0
Other major restructuring of the school governance	1
Comments:	

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.4.5 Districts That Received Title I Funds Identified for Improvement

1.4.5.1 List of Districts That Received Title I Funds and Were Identified for Improvement

In the following table, provide a list of districts that received Title I funds and were identified for improvement or corrective action under Section 1116 for the SY 2007-08 based on the data from SY 2006-07. For each district on the list, provide the following:

- · District Name and NCES ID Code
- Whether the district missed the proficiency target in reading/language arts as outlined in the State's Accountability Plan
- Whether the district met the participation rate target for the reading/language arts assessment
- Whether the district missed the proficiency target in mathematics as outlined in the State's Accountability Plan
- Whether the school met the participation rate target for the mathematics assessment
- Whether the district met the other academic indicator for elementary/middle schools (if applicable) as outlined in the State's Accountability Plan
- Whether the district met the graduation rate for high schools (if applicable) as outlined in the State's Accountability Plan
- Improvement status for SY 2007-08 (Use one of the following improvement status designations: Improvement or Corrective Action²)
- Whether the district is a district that received Title I funds (This column is optional and is used only by States that choose to list all districts in improvement.)

See attached for blank template that can be used to enter School Data. Download template: Question 1.4.5.1_0607.xls (Get MS Excel Viewer)

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: Identification of a district as receiving Title I funds is a new data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

² The district improvement statuses are defined in *LEA* and *School Improvement Non-Regulatory Guidance*. This document may be found on the Department's Web page at http://www.ed.gov/policy/elsec/guid/schoolimprovementguid.doc.

1.4.5.2 Actions Taken for Districts That Received Title I Funds Identified for Improvement

In the space below, describe the measures being taken to address the achievement problems of districts identified for improvement or corrective action. Include a discussion of the technical assistance provided by the State (e.g., the number of districts served, the nature and duration of assistance provided, etc.).

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Tennessee is providing technical assistance to the 4 districts identified for improvement in a variety of ways.

First, the districts that are identified as in LEA Improvement and Corrective Action are assigned Exemplary Educators to work at the district level with the district staff on improvement efforts.

Second, Tennessee requires all districts to engage in a comprehensive district improvement planning process that results in their submission of a consolidated application for their NCLB funds. This process is referred to as the Tennessee Comprehensive Systemwide Planning Process (TCSPP). All districts have been offered technical assistance on their TCSPPs in light of academic and non-academic data from school year 2006- 2007. All LEAs in Improvement and Corrective Action submitted their TCSPPs for review and approval by the State in November 2007. LEAs that are identified as in improvement must ensure that they have addressed the additional components required in Title IA of NCLB for LEA improvement.

In addition, the State monitors district expenditures to ensure that the required setaside of 10% of Title I for professional development is budgeted and expended for activities which will help the LEAs meet adequate yearly progress.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: The inclusion of the discussion of technical assistance provided by the State is a new data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.4.5.3 Corrective Action

In the table below, for districts in corrective action, provide the number of districts in corrective action in which the listed corrective actions under *NCLB* are being implemented.

Corrective Action	# of Districts in Corrective Action in Which Corrective Action Is Being Implemented
Implementing a new curriculum based on State standards	0
Authorized students to transfer from district schools to higher performing schools in a neighboring district	0
Deferred programmatic funds or reduced administrative funds	2
Replaced district personnel who are relevant to the failure to make AYP	0
Removed one or more schools from the jurisdiction of the district	0
Appointed a receiver or trustee to administer the affairs of the district	0
Restructured the district	1
Abolished the district (list the number or districts abolished between the SYs 2005-06 and 2006-07 as a corrective action)	0
Comments:	

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.4.6 Dates of AYP and Identification Determinations

In the table below, provide the dates (MM/DD/YY) when your State provided final school and district AYP and identification for improvement, corrective action, or restructuring to schools and districts based on SY 2006-07 assessments. If applicable, also provide the dates for preliminary determinations provided to schools and districts.

	Districts	Schools
Final AYP and identification determinations	07/24/07	07/24/07
Preliminary school AYP and identification determinations (if applicable)	07/02/07	07/02/07
Comments:		

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.4.7 Appeal of AYP and Identification Determinations

In the table below, provide the number of districts and schools that appealed their AYP designations based on 2006-07 data and the results of those appeals.

	# Appealed Their AYP Designations	# Appeals Resulted in a Change in the AYP Designation
Districts	36	0
Schools	131	2
Comments:		

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

Date (MM/DD/YY) that processing appeals based on SY 2006-07	
data was complete	07/24/07

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.4.8 Section 1003(a) Funds

In the space below, describe your State's use of Section 1003(a) of ESEA funds. Specifically, address the following:

- Describe briefly any priorities the State uses in allocating these funds to schools.
- Describe briefly the State's methods for distributing these funds (e.g., formula, competitive, etc.).
- Describe briefly the types of activities supported by the Section 1003(a) funds.

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Tennessee uses the 95% of Section 1003(a) to award school improvement grants to districts with Title I schools in improvement, corrective action, and restructuring. The State uses a formula to award these grants based on the number of Title I schools that are identified and the stage of school improvement for each school. Schools that are further in the school improvement stages, i.e. in corrective action or beyond, are allocated more of these funds than schools that are in the first years of school improvement.

The State uses a method to distribute these funds to districts based on the formula allocation as described above. The allocation process, application, and approval process for these grants are available on the State's website at http://www.tennessee.gov/education/fedprog/fpschlimprove.shtml. Districts are allocated funds based primarily on a formula process; however, they receive approval of their application by the State before they receive grant awards.

Districts are using these funds for a variety of activities. These include: differentiated pay plans for teachers and principals who improve student performance, professional development for teachers in the schools, resources to support out-of-school tutoring for students either after-school, on the weekends, or during the summer, additional support positions placed in the schools such as drop-out counselors, academic coaches, and parent liaisons, and enhancing educational technology.

Source – Manual input by the SEA into the online collection tool.

1.4.9 Public School Choice and Supplemental Educational Services

This section collects data on public school choice and supplemental educational services.

1.4.9.1 Public School Choice

This section collects data on public school choice. FAQs related to the public school choice provisions are at the end of this section.

1.4.9.1.1 Schools Using Public School Choice

In the table below, provide the number of public schools from which and to which students transferred under the provisions for public school choice in Section 1116 of ESEA.

	# Schools
Title I schools <i>from which</i> students transferred for public school choice	66
Public Schools to which students transferred for public school choice	115
Comments:	

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly part of section 1.4.5.1 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.4.9.1.2 Public School Choice - Students

In the table below, provide the number of students who were eligible for public school choice, the number of eligible students who applied for public school choice, and the number who transferred under the provisions for public school choice in Section 1116 of ESEA.

Students who are eligible for public school choice includes:

- (1) Students currently enrolled in a school identified for improvement
- (2) Students who transferred in the current school year under the public school choice provisions of section 1116, and
- (3) Students who previously transferred under section 1116 and are continuing to transfer for the current school year under section 1116.

	# Students
Eligible for public school choice	53012
Who applied to transfer	2456
Who transferred to another school under Title I public school choice provisions	2312

Indicate in the table below the categories of students that are included in the count of eligible students.

	Yes/No
1. Enrolled in a school identified for improvement	No Response
2. Transferred in the current school year, only	No Response
3. Transferred in a prior year and in the current year	No Response
Comments: Data for the categories of students included in the count of eligible students are currently not collected.	

Source – Initially, pre-populated by ED Facts file N/X010 that includes data groups 579, 574 and 544. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online CSPR collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly part of section 1.4.5.1 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.4.9.1.3 Funds Spent on Public School Choice

In the table below, provide the total dollar amount spent by LEAs on transportation for public school choice in Section 1116 of ESEA.

	Amount
Dollars spent by LEAs on transportation for public school choice	\$ 1837006
Comments:	

Source – Initially, pre-populated by EDFacts file N/X102 that includes data group 652. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online CSPR collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.4.9.1.4 Availability of Public School Choice Options

In the table below provide the number of LEAs in your State that are unable to provide public school choice options to eligible students due to any of the following reasons:

- 1. All schools at a grade level are in school improvement, corrective action, or restructuring.
- 2. LEA only has a single school at the grade level of the school at which students are eligible for public school choice
- 3. LEA's schools are so remote from one another that choice is impracticable.

	# LEAs
LEAs Unable to Provide Public School Choice	
Comments: Data on LEAs unable to provide public school choice currently are not collected.	

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

FAQs about public school choice:

- a. How should States report data on Title I public school choice for those LEAs that have open enrollment and other choice programs? An LEA may consider a student as eligible for and participating in Title I public school choice, and may consider costs for transporting that student towards its funds spent on transportation for public school choice, if the student meets the following conditions:
 - Has a "home" or "neighborhood" school (to which the student would have been assigned, in the absence of a choice
 program) that receives Title I funds and has been identified, under the statute, as in need of improvement, corrective
 action, or restructuring; and
 - Has elected to enroll, at some point since July 1, 2002 (the effective date of the Title I choice provisions), and after the
 home school has been identified as in need of improvement, in a school that has not been so identified and is attending
 that school; and
 - Is using district transportation services to attend such a school.³
- b. How do States report on public school choice for those LEAs that are not able to offer public school choice (e.g., LEAs in which all schools in a grade level are in school improvement, LEAs that have only a single school at that grade level, or LEAs whose schools are so remote from one another that choice is impracticable)? For those LEAs, States should count as eligible all students who attend identified Title I schools. States should report that no eligible schools or students were provided the option to transfer and should provide an explanation why choice is not possible within the LEA in the Comment Section.

³ Adapted from OESE/OII policy letter of August 2004. The policy letter may be found on the Department's Web page at http://www.ed.gov/policy/elsec/guid/stateletters/choice/choice081804.html.

1.4.9.2 Supplemental Educational Services

This section collects data on supplemental educational services.

1.4.9.2.1 Schools with Students Eligible for Supplemental Educational Services

In the table below, provide the number of Title I schools identified as in need of improvement, corrective action, or restructuring whose students received supplemental educational services under Section 1116 of ESEA. A Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) section related to supplemental educational services is below the table.

	# Schools
Title I schools whose students received supplemental educational services	50
Comments:	

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly part of section 1.4.5.2 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

FAQ about supplemental education services

How should a State define the phrase "students who received supplemental educational services"? States should consider students who "received" supplemental educational services as those students who enrolled and participated in some hours of services. States have the discretion to determine the minimum number of hours of participation necessary for a student to have "received" services.

1.4.9.2.2 Supplemental Educational Services - Students

In the table below, provide the number of students who were eligible for, who applied for, and who received supplemental educational services under Section 1116 of ESEA.

	# Students
Eligible for supplemental educational services	31210
Who applied for supplemental educational services	5533
Who received supplemental educational services 5065	
Comments:	

Source – Initially, pre-populated by EDFacts file N/X102 that includes data groups 578, 575, and 546. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online CSPR collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly part of Section 1.4.5.2 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.4.9.2.3 Funds Spent on Supplemental Educational Services

In the table below, provide the total dollar amount spent by LEAs on supplemental educational services under Section 1116 of ESEA.

	Amount
Dollars spent by LEAs on supplemental educational services	\$ 3119228
Comments:	

Source – Initially, pre-populated by EDFacts file N/X102, which includes data group 651. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online collection tool.

1.5 TEACHER QUALITY

This section collects data on "highly qualified" teachers as the term is defined in Section 9101(23) of the ESEA.

1.5.1 Core Academic Classes Taught by Teachers Who Are Highly Qualified

In the table below, provide the number of core academic classes for each of the school types listed and the number of those core academic classes taught by teachers who are highly qualified (as the term is defined in section 9101(23) of the *ESEA*) and the number taught by teachers who are not highly qualified. The percentage of core academic classes taught by teachers who are highly qualified and the percentage taught by teachers who are not highly qualified will be calculated automatically. Below the table are FAQs about these data. The percentages used for high- and low-poverty schools and the poverty metric used to determine those percentages are reported in 1.5.3.

School Type	# of Core Academic Classes (Total)	# of Core Academic Classes Taught by Teachers Who Are Highly Qualified	Percentage of Core Academic Classes Taught by Teachers Who Are Highly Qualified	# of Core Academic Classes Taught by Teachers Who Are NOT Highly Qualified	Percentage of Core Academic Classes Taught by Teachers Who Are NOT Highly Qualified	
All schools	175878	171387	97.4	4491	2.6	
Elementary level						
High-poverty schools	15114	14824	98.1	290	1.9	
Low-poverty schools	23947	23740	99.1	207	0.9	
All elementary schools	84002	83044	98.9	958	1.1	
Secondary level						
High-poverty schools	21830	20447	93.7	1383	6.3	
Low-poverty schools	27330	26762	97.9	568	2.1	
All secondary schools	91876	88343	96.2	3533	3.8	

Comments: The numbers in this table are considerably different from the previous year due to a change in the state definition of elementary vs. secondary levels. This change was done in collaboration with Elizabeth Witt from the US DOE. Since there is huge variation in grade level configurations at schools across the state, we have implemented a definition for Elementary and Secondary that the state believes gives a better indication of the separation of these two levels. (While the general determination is K-6 for Elementary and 7-12 for Secondary, many individual schools contain a sizable number of students in both levels.)

Do the data in Table 1.5.1 above include classes taught by special education teachers who provide direct instruction core academic subjects?

Data table includes classes taught by special education teachers who provide	
direct instruction core academic subjects.	<u>Yes</u>

If the answer above is no, please explain:

Does the State count elementary classes so that a full-day self-contained classroom equals one class, or does the State use a departmentalized approach where a classroom is counted multiple times, once for each subject taught?

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Some LEAs enter elementary classes as one "course code" for all subjects and other LEAs enter their elementary classes using multiple course codes (separate ones for each content subject area). This varies from one LEA to another.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: The data collection requirement to submit data for core classes taught by teachers who are NOT highly qualified has been



FAQs about highly qualified teachers and core academic subjects:

a. What are the core academic subjects? English, reading/language arts, mathematics, science, foreign languages, civics and government, economics, arts, history, and geography [Title IX, Section 9101(11)]. While the statute includes the arts in the core academic subjects, it does not specify which of the arts are core academic subjects; therefore, States must make this determination.

- b. How is a teacher defined? An individual who provides instruction in the core academic areas to kindergarten, grades 1 through 12, or ungraded classes, or individuals who teach in an environment other than a classroom setting (and who maintain daily student attendance records) [from NCES, CCD, 2001-02]
- c. How is a class defined? A class is a setting in which organized instruction of core academic course content is provided to one or more students (including cross-age groupings) for a given period of time. (A course may be offered to more than one class.) Instruction, provided by one or more teachers or other staff members, may be delivered in person or via a different medium. Classes that share space should be considered as separate classes if they function as separate units for more than 50 percent of the time [from NCES Non-fiscal Data Handbook for Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education, 2003].
- d. Should 6th-, 7th-, and 8th-grade classes be reported in the elementary or the secondary category? States are responsible for determining whether the content taught at the middle school level meets the competency requirements for elementary or secondary instruction. See Question A-14 in the August 3, 2006, Non-Regulatory Guidance for additional information. Report classes in grade 6 though 8 consistent with how teachers have been classified to determine their highly qualified status, regardless of whether their schools are configured as elementary or middle schools.
- e. How should States count teachers (including specialists or resource teachers) in elementary classes? States that count self-contained classrooms as one class should, to avoid over-representation, also count subject-area specialists (e.g., mathematics or music teachers) or resource teachers as teaching one class. On the other hand, States using a departmentalized approach to instruction where a self-contained classroom is counted multiple times (once for each subject taught) should also count subject-area specialists or resource teachers as teaching multiple classes.
- f. How should States count teachers in self-contained multiple-subject secondary classes? Each core academic subject taught for which students are receiving credit toward graduation should be counted in the numerator and the denominator. For example, if the same teacher teaches English, calculus, history, and science in a self-contained classroom, count these as four classes in the denominator. If the teacher were Highly Qualified to teach English and history, he/she would be counted as Highly Qualified in two of the four subjects in the numerator.
- g. What is a "high-poverty school"? Section 1111(h)(1)(C)(viii) defines "high-poverty" schools as schools in the top quartile of poverty in the State. The poverty quartile breaks are reported later in this section.
- h. What is a "low-poverty school"? Section 1111(h)(1)(C)(viii) defines "low-poverty" schools as schools in the bottom quartile of poverty in the State. The poverty quartile breaks are reported later in this section.

1.5.2 Reasons Core Academic Classes Are Taught by Teachers Who Are Not Highly Qualified

In the table below, estimate the percentages for each of the reasons why teachers who are not highly qualified teach core academic classes. For example, if 900 elementary classes were taught by teachers who are not highly qualified, what percentage of those 900 classes falls into each of the categories listed below? If the three reasons provided at each grade level are not sufficient to explain why core academic classes at a particular grade level are taught by teachers who are not highly qualified, use the row labeled "other" and explain the additional reasons. The total of the reasons is calculated automatically for each grade level and must equal 100% at the elementary level and 100% at the secondary level.

Note: Use the numbers of core academic classes taught by teachers who are **NOT** highly qualified from 1.5.1 for both elementary school classes (1.5.2.1) and for secondary school classes (1.5.2.2) as your starting point.

	Percentage
Elementary School Classes	
Elementary school classes taught by certified general education teachers who did not pass a subject-knowledge test or (if eligible) have not demonstrated subject-matter competency through HOUSSE	55.0
Elementary school classes taught by certified special education teachers who did not pass a subject-knowledge test or have not demonstrated subject-matter competency through HOUSSE	35.0
Elementary school classes taught by teachers who are not fully certified (and are not in an approved alternative route program)	10.0
Other (please explain)	0.0
Total	100.0

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

	Percentage
Secondary School Classes	-
Secondary school classes taught by certified general education teachers who have not demonstrated subject-matter knowledge in those subjects (e.g., out-of-field teachers)	65.0
Secondary school classes taught by certified special education teachers who have not demonstrated subject- matter competency in those subjects	25.0
Secondary school classes taught by teachers who are not fully certified (and are not in an approved alternative route program)	10.0
Other (please explain)	0.0
Total	100.0
Comments: None	

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.5.3 Poverty Quartiles and Metrics Used

In the table below, provide the poverty quartiles breaks used in determining high- and low-poverty schools and the poverty metric used to determine the poverty quartiles. Below the table are FAQs about the data collected in this table.

	High-Poverty Schools	Low-Poverty Schools
	(more than what %)	(less than what %)
Elementary schools	77.0	43.0
Poverty metric used	Free or Reduced Price Lunch Eligible	
Secondary schools	63.0 30.0	
Poverty metric used	Free or Reduced Price Lunch Eligible	
Comments: None		

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

FAQs on poverty quartiles and metrics used to determine poverty

- a. How are the poverty quartiles determined? Separately rank order elementary and secondary schools from highest to lowest on your percentage poverty measure. Divide the list into four equal groups. Schools in the first (highest group) are high-poverty schools. Schools in the last group (lowest group) are the low-poverty schools. Generally, States use the percentage of students who qualify for the free or reduced-price lunch program for this calculation.
- b. Since the poverty data are collected at the school and not classroom level, how do we classify schools as either elementary or secondary for this purpose? States may include as elementary schools all schools that serve children in grades K through 5 (including K through 8 or K through 12 schools) and would therefore include as secondary schools those that exclusively serve children in grades 6 and higher.

1.6 TITLE III AND LANGUAGE INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS

This section collects annual performance and accountability data on the implementation of Title III programs.

Throughout this section:

 "AYP grades" is sometimes used to reference grades used for accountability determinations (grades 3 through 8 and one year of high school)

"Non-AYP grades" is used to reference grades not used for accountability determinations.

1.6.1 Language Instruction Educational Programs (formerly 1.1. of the Title III Biennial Collection)

In the table below, provide the number of Title III subgrantees that use each type of language instruction educational program, as defined in Section 3301(8).

Note: Numbers reflected in 1.6.1 can be duplicative due to subgrantees' use of more than one type of program. The number for each type of program should be equal to or less than the total number of subgrantees in 1.6.4.1.

Table 1.6.1 Definitions:

- # Using Program = Number of subgrantees that reported using a specific type of language instruction educational program. Subgrantees may use multiple programs. (a.) If multiple programs are used, count one for each program type used. (b.) Consortium is always counted as one if all members used the same type of program. If consortium members used different types of programs, count all members using the same type of program as one for each type. Do not count the members of the consortium individually as one, unless each member used a different type of program (e.g., use the same method of counting as one subgrantee using multiple types of programs in (a.))
- 2. **Type of Program =** Type of programs described in the subgrantee's local plan (as submitted to the State or as implemented) that is closest to the descriptions in http://www.ncela.gwu.edu/expert/glossary.html.
- 3. Other Language = Name of the language of instruction, other than English, used in the program.
- **4. % Language of Instruction =** Average percentages of English and the other language used as a language of instruction in the program or use the percentage of the most common practice in the State (applies **only** to the first five bilingual program types).

5. OLOI = Other Language of Instruction used in the bilingual language instruction educational program.

# Using Program	Type of Program	Other Language	% Langu Instru	_
			English	OLOI
0	Dual language	N/A	0.0	0.0
0	Two-way immersion	N/A	0.0	0.0
0	Transitional bilingual	N/A	0.0	0.0
0	Developmental bilingual	N/A	0.0	0.0
0	Heritage language	N/A	0.0	0.0
12	Sheltered English instruction			
4	Structured English immersion			
5	Specially designed academic instruction delivered in English (SDAIE)			
18	Content-based ESL			
53	Pull-out ESL			
13	Other (explain)			

Comments: Tennessee has traditionally been a state that used pull out as the model for LEP instructions. However, we are working to change LEP program design across the State. Since our population in some areas has grown so much, other design are more practical. Many subgrantees have multiple program types within the LEA. 6 Subgrantees listed push-in as the model used. 3 subgrantees listed English Langauge Development classes as the method used. 1 subgrantee listed inclusion. 2 subgrantees were unspecified.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.6.2 Student Demographic Data

1.6.2.1 Number of LEP Students Who Received Title III Language Instruction Educational Program Services

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of the number of LEP students who received services in Title III language instructional education programs.

	#
LEP students who received services in a Title III language instruction educational program in grades K through 12 for this	
reporting year.	22787
Comments: This data was collected from individual school districts.	

Source – The SEA submits the data in file N/X116 that contains data group 648, category set A.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.6.2.2 Most Commonly Spoken Languages in the State

In the table below, provide the five most commonly spoken languages, other than English, in the State. The top five languages should be determined by the highest number of students speaking each of those languages listed.

Language	# LEP Students
Spanish	16826
Arabic	862
Vietnamese	417
Kurdish	397
Korean	310

For additional significant languages please use comment box.

Comments: In adddition to the language listed above, Tennessee also had 274- Chinese; 224- Japanese; 176 - Russian; 58 - Ukranian; 45 - Portuguese; 39 - Nuer; 25 - Hmong; 2272 - Other.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly in Section 1.6.3.2 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.6.3 Student Performance Data

This section collects data on LEP student English language proficiency and LEP academic content performance data (e.g., LEP tested in native language tables and MFLEP/AYP Grades results table).

1.6.3.1 Student English Language Proficiency Testing Status

This section collects data on the number of ALL LEP students and Title III-served LEP students in the State by testing status for English language proficiency.

1.6.3.1.1 ALL LEP Student English Language Proficiency Testing Status

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of ALL LEP students in the State by testing status for English language proficiency. ALL LEP students includes the following students:

- Newly enrolled and continually enrolled LEP students in the State for the year of this report, whether or not they receive services in a Title III language Instruction educational program;
- All students assessed for English language proficiency (ELP) using an annual State English Language proficiency (ELP) assessment as required under Section 1111(b)(7) of the ESEA in the reporting year and who meet the LEP definition in Section 9101 (25).

Table 1.6.3.1.1. Definitions:

- **Tested/State Annual ELP** = Number of LEP students who took the annual State English language proficiency assessment as required under Section 1111(b)(7) of the *ESEA* in this reporting year.
- Not Tested/State Annual ELP = Number of LEP students enrolled at the time of testing but did not take the annual State English language proficiency assessment.
- Subtotal = Sum of "Tested/State Annual ELP" and "Not Tested/State Annual ELP" (i.e., the number of LEP students enrolled at the time of testing).
- **LEP/One Data Point** = Number of LEP students who took the annual State English language proficiency assessment as required under Section 1111(b)(7) for the first time in this reporting year. Note that "LEP/One Data Point" is a subset of those students reported as Tested on the annual State English Language proficiency assessment.

ALL LEP Testing Status	#
Tested/State annual ELP	22353
Not tested/State annual ELP	582
Subtotal	22935
LEP/One Data Point	1711
Comments: The information above was taken from the ELP assessment which is the ELDA data files.	

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.6.3.1.2 Title III Student English Language Proficiency Testing Status

In the table below, provide the <u>unduplicated</u> number of Title III-served LEP students in the State by testing status for English language proficiency.

Table 1.6.3.1.2. Definitions:

- **Tested/State Annual ELP** = Number of LEP students in Title III language instruction educational programs who took the annual State English language proficiency assessment.
- Not Tested/State Annual ELP = Number of LEP students in Title III language instruction educational programs enrolled at the time of testing but did not take the annual State English language proficiency assessment.
- **Subtotal** = Sum of "Tested/State Annual ELP" and "Not Tested/State Annual ELP" (i.e., the number of LEP students in Title III language instruction educational programs enrolled at the time of testing).
- **LEP/One Data Point** = Number of LEP students in Title III language instructional programs who took the annual State English language proficiency assessment for the first time in this reporting year. Note that "LEP/One Data Point" is a subset of those students reported as Tested on the annual State English Language proficiency assessment.

Title III LEP Testing Status	#
Tested/State annual ELP	22172
Not tested/State annual ELP	480
Subtotal	21692
LEP/One Data Point	1573

Comments: The information above was taken from the ELP assessment which is the ELDA data files. This number differs from the number used to figure the AMAOs because there were for 1.6.3.2.2 used only matched scores from the two assessments used in 2005-2006 (CELLA) and 2006-2007 (ELDA). However, both sets of data are correct to the best of our ability.

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.6.3.2 Student English Language Proficiency Results

This section collects data on the results from the annual State English language proficiency assessment(s) for LEP students. Before completing Table 1.6.3.2.2 or 1.6.3.2.3, please indicate your State's use of the flexibility to apply annual measurable achievement objectives (AMAOs) to all LEP students.

1.6.3.2.1 Application of Title III English Language Proficiency Annual Assessment and AMAOs (formerly 1.6.8 of the Title III Biennial Collection, reformatted)

In the table below, indicate the State application of the following:

State applied the Title III English language proficiency annual assessment to all LEP students in LEAs receiving Title III funds.	Yes
State applied the annual measurable achievement objectives (AMAOs) to ALL LEP students in LEAs receiving Title III funds.	Yes
Comments:	

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.6.3.2.2 All LEP English Language Proficiency Results

Please report information in this section **ONLY** if the State checked "Yes" in section 1.6.3.2.1 (row 2), that annual measurable achievement objectives are applied to all LEP students in LEAs receiving Title III funds.

Report the results from the annual State English language proficiency assessment(s) for ALL LEP students in grades K through 12.

Table 1.6.3.2.2 Definitions:

- 1. **Making Progress =** Number of LEP students who met the definition of "Making Progress" as defined by the State and submitted to OELA in the State Consolidated Application (CSA), or as amended.
- 2. No Progress = Number of LEP students who did not meet the State definition of "Making Progress."
- 3. **ELP Attainment =** Number of LEP students who attained English language proficiency as defined by the State and submitted to OELA in the State Consolidated Application (CSA), or as amended.
- **4. Target** = AMAO target for the year as established by the State and submitted to OELA in the CSA (September 2003 submission), or as amended, for each of "Making Progress" and "Attainment" of ELP.
- **5. Results =** Number and percent of LEP students who met the State definition of "Making Progress" and the definition of "Attainment" of English language proficiency.
- 6. **Met/Y** = Met the annual target, "Met/N" = did not meet annual target. This cell will be automatically populated, based on the Target % and the Results %.

	Target	Resu	ılts	Met
	%	#	%	Y/N
Making progress	51.0	7864	70.5	Υ
No progress		3299		
ELP attainment	39.1	5159	50.4	Υ

Comments: To figure the AMAOs, TN could only use information for students that could be matched between the 2005-2006 English language proficiency assessment (administration of the Comprehensive English Language Learner Assessment (CELLA)) and the 2006-2007 English language proficiency assessment (administration of the English Language Development Assessment (ELDA)).

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

If a State does <u>not</u> count "ELP attainment" students as also "Making Progress", the number for "No Progress" should be the "Subtotal" in 1.6.3.1.1 minus the number "Making Progress" <u>and</u> "Attainment." If a State counts "ELP attainment" students as also "Making Progress", the number for "No Progress" should be the "Subtotal" in 1.6.3.1.1 minus "Making Progress".

1.6.3.2.3 Title III LEP English Language Proficiency Results

Please report information in this section **ONLY** if the State checked "No" in section in 1.6.3.2.1 (row 2), reporting that annual measurable achievement objectives (AMAOs) are applied to LEP students served by Title III.

In the table below, provide the results from the annual State English language proficiency assessment for Title III LEP students who participated in a Title III language instruction educational program in grades K through 12.

Table 1.6.3.2.3 Definitions:

- 1. **Making Progress** = Number of Title III LEP students who met the definition of "Making Progress" as defined by the State and submitted to OELA in the State Consolidated Application (CSA), or as amended.
- 2. No Progress = Number of Title III LEP students who did not meet the State definition of "Making Progress."
- 3. **ELP Attainment =** Number of Title III LEP students who attained English language proficiency as defined by the State and submitted to OELA in the State Consolidated Application (CSA), or as amended.
- **4.** Target = AMAO target for the year as established by the State and submitted to OELA in the CSA (September 2003 submission), or as amended, for each of "Making Progress" and "Attainment" of ELP.
- **5. Results =** Number and percent of Title III LEP students who met the State definition of "Making Progress" and the definition of "Attainment" of English language proficiency.
- **6. Met/Y** = Met the annual target, "Met/N" = did not meet annual target. This cell will be automatically populated, based on the Target % and the Results %.

	Target	ı	Results	Met
	%	#	%	Yes/No
Making progress	0.0	0	0.0	Υ
No progress		0		
ELP attainment	0.0	0	0.0	Υ
Comments: Tennessee checked "yes" on 1.6.3.2.1; therefore, this section is not needed.				

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

If a State does <u>not</u> count "ELP attainment" students as also "Making Progress", the number for "No Progress" should be the "Subtotal" in 1.6.3.1.2 minus the number "Making Progress" <u>and</u> "Attainment." If a State counts "ELP attainment" students as also "Making Progress", the number for "No Progress" should be the "Subtotal" in 1.6.3.1.2 minus "Making Progress".

1.6.3.4 LEP Subgroup Academic Content Assessment Results (formerly 3.2.3/MFLEP of the Title III Biennial Collection)

This section collects data on the academic content assessment results for LEP students.

1.6.3.4.1 LEP Subgroup Flexibility

In the table below, report whether the State exercises the LEP flexibility afforded States through the new regulation for monitored former LEP (MFLEP), in AYP determination.

MFLEP	No
Comments:	

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.6.3.4.3 Status of Monitored Former LEP Students (MFLEP) (formerly 3.1 of the Title III Biennial Collection, modified)

In the table below, report the unduplicated count of MFLEP students in K-12 for each of the two years monitored during the SY 2006-07, which includes both MFLEP students in AYP grades and in non-AYP grades in row 1 and MFLEP students only in AYP grades in row 2.

Table 1.6.3.4.3 Definitions:

1. Monitored Former LEP (MFLEP) includes:

- Students that have transitioned into classrooms that are not designed for LEP students;
- · Students that are no longer receiving LEP services; and who are being monitored for academic content achievement for 2 years after transition.
- 2. Total MFLEP = State aggregated number of all MFLEP students in grades K through 12.
- 3. MFLEP/AYP Grades = State aggregated number of MFLEP students in grades used for accountability determinations (3 through 8 and once in high school). These students may be included in the LEP subgroup AYP calculations.

	#
Total MFLEP	5973
MFLEP/AYP grades	3184
Comments: Information gotten from State Assessment department. The numbers in the final box a	are from the number of MFLEP
students tested.	

Source - Initially, pre-populated by EDFacts file N/X126, which contains data group 668, category set A. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.6.3.4.4 LEP Students in Non-AYP Grades (formerly 2.3 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

In the table below, report the total number of LEP students in grade ranges that were not tested for AYP in SY 2006-07.

Table 1.6.3.4.4 Definitions:

- 1. **LEP K-2 =** All LEP students in these grades. Do not include pre-K students.
- 2. LEP HS/Non-AYP = High school students (grades 9 through 12 or 10 through 12 [State specific]) who are in the high school grades that are not tested for AYP in the State (e.g., if the State tested grade 10 for AYP, then the State should provide the aggregated number of LEP students in grades 9, 11 and 12).
- 3. LEP Other Grades = Number of LEP students enrolled in public schools but not in grades K through 12. Students in nongraded grades or grade spans. Do not report LEP students in grades used for NCLB accountability determinations (3 through 8 and once in high school) in this row.

Grade	#
LEP K-2	10613
LEP	
HS/Non-	
AYP	2151
LEP other	
grades	0
Comments	: Pulled information from ELDA testing data. We do not have ungraded systems in Tennessee; therefore the number for

LEP other grades is 0.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.6.3.5 Native Language Assessments

This section collects data on LEP students assessed in their native language.

1.6.3.5.1 LEP Students Assessed in Native Language (formerly 2.4.1 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

State offers the State mathematics or reading/language arts content tests in the students' native language(s).	No
Comments: The State of Tennessee assesses in English.	

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.6.3.5.2 Native Language of Mathematics Tests Given (formerly 2.4.2 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

In the table below, report the language(s) in which native language assessments are given at each grade used for NCLB accountability determinations for mathematics.

Grade	Language
3	N/A
4	N/A
5	NA/
6	N/A
7	N/A
8	N/A
HS	N/A
Comments: The State of Tennessee assesses in I	English

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.6.3.5.3 Native Language of Reading/Language Arts Tests Given (formerly 2.4.2 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

In the table below, report the language(s) in which native language assessments are given at each grade used for NCLB accountability determinations for reading/language arts.

Grade	Language
3	N/A
4	N/A
5	N/A
6	N/A
7	N/A
8	N/A
HS	N/A
Comments: The State of Tennessee assesses in	English.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

^{*} If "No", proceed to 1.6.3.6.

1.6.3.5.4 Native Language Version of State *NCLB* **Mathematics Assessment Results** (formerly 2.4.3 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

In the table below, report the number of LEP students who took a mathematics assessment in their native language across all grades used for NCLB accountability determinations (3 through 8 and once in high school).

Table 1.6.3.5.4 Definitions:

- 1. **# Tested =** Number of LEP students in grades used for NCLB accountability determinations (3 through 8 and once in high school) who took the native language version of the mathematics assessment.
- 2. # At or Above Proficient = Number of students tested through the <u>native language</u> version of the mathematics assessment who scored at or above proficient.
- 3. % Results = Automatically calculated based on the number who scored at or above proficient divided by the number tested.

# Tested	# At or Above Proficient	% Results
0	0	0.0
Comments: Tennessee use	s English to assess all students.	

Source – Initially pre-populated by ED*Fact*s file N/X049 that is data group 272, category set A. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.6.3.5.5 Native Language Version of State NCLB Reading/Language Arts Assessment Results (formerly 2.4.3 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

In the table below, report the number of LEP students who took a reading/language arts assessment in their native language across all grades used for NCLB accountability determinations (3 through 8 and once in high school).

Table 1.6.3.5.5 Definitions:

- 1. **# Tested =** Number of LEP students in grades used for NCLB accountability determinations (3 through 8 and once in high school) who took the native language version of the reading/language arts assessment.
- 2. # At or Above Proficient = Number of students tested through the <u>native language version</u> of the reading/language arts assessment who scored at or above proficient.
- 3. % Results = Automatically calculated based on the number who scored at or above proficient divided by the number tested.

# Tested	# At or Above Proficient	% Results
0	0	0.0
Comments: Tennessee use	s English for all assessments.	

Source – Initially pre-populated by ED*Facts* file N/X049 that is data group 272, category set A. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online collection tool.

1.6.3.6 Title III Served Monitored Former LEP Students

This section collects data on the performance of former LEP students.

1.6.3.6.1 Title III Served MFLEP Students by Year Monitored (formerly 3.1 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

In the table below, report the unduplicated count of monitored former LEP students during the two consecutive years of monitoring, which includes both MFLEP students in AYP grades and in non-AYP grades.

Table 1.6.3.6.1 Definitions:

- 1. # Year One = Number of former LEP students in their first year of being monitored.
- 2. # Year Two = Number of former LEP students in their second year of being monitored.
- 3. Total = Number of monitored former LEP students in year one and year two. This is automatically calculated.

# Year One	# Year Two	Total
3208	2695	5903
Comments: This information was taken from the C	hild Count for 2006-2007.	

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.6.3.6.2 Monitored Former LEP (MFLEP) Students in AYP Grades Results for Mathematics (formerly 3.2 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

In the table below, report the number of monitored former LEP (MFLEP) students who took the annual mathematics assessment.

Table 1.6.3.6.2 Definitions:

- 1. #Tested = State-aggregated number of MFLEP students who were tested in mathematics for AYP.
- 2. # At or Above Proficient = State-aggregated number of MFLELP students who scored at or above proficient on the State annual mathematics assessment.
- 3. % Results = Automatically calculated based on number who scored at or above proficient divided by the number tested.
- 4. # Below proficient = State-aggregated number of MFLEP students in grades used for NCLB accountability determinations (3 through 8 and once in high school) who did not score proficient on the State NCLB mathematics assessment. This will be automatically calculated.

# Tested	# At or Above Proficient	% Results	# Below Proficient
3411	3169	92.9	242

The number tested should be the same or near the total in 1.6.3.4.3 row 2, if not explain the difference in the comment box below.

Comments: This indicates that our exit procedures are reliable.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.6.3.6.3 Monitored Former LEP (MFLEP) Students in AYP Grades Results for Reading/Language Arts (formerly 3.2 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

In the table below, provide the number of monitored former LEP (MFLEP) students who took the annual reading/language arts assessment.

Table 1.6.3.6.3 Definitions:

- 1. # Tested = State-aggregated number of MFLEP students who were tested in reading/language arts for AYP.
- 2. # At or Above Proficient = State-aggregated number of MFLEP students who scored at or above proficient on the State annual reading/language arts assessment.
- 3. % Results = Automatically calculated based on number who scored at or above proficient divided by the total number tested.
- 4. # Below proficient = State-aggregated number MFLEP students in grades used for NCLB accountability determinations (3 through 8 and once in high school) who did not score proficient on the State annual reading/language arts assessment. This will be automatically calculated.

# Tested	# At or Above Proficient	% Results	# Below Proficient
3454	3269	94.6	185

The number tested should be the same or near the total in 1.6.3.4.3 row 2, if not explain the difference in the comment box below.

Comments: This indicates that our exit procedures are reliable.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.6.4 Title III Subgrantees

This section collects data on the performance of Title III subgrantees.

1.6.4.1 Title III Subgrantee Performance (formerly 4.1 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

In the table below, report the number of Title III subgrantees meeting the criteria described in the table. Use the same method of counting consortia as in 1.6.1 (consortia regardless of number of members is only counted as one). Do <u>not</u> leave items blank. If there are zero subgrantees, who met the condition described, put a zero in the number (#) column. Do <u>not</u> double count subgrantees by category. The total of the # met all three AMAOs + # met 2 AMAOs only + # Met one AMAO + # Met zero AMAOs=total # of subgrantees for the year.

Note: Do <u>not</u> include number of subgrants made under Section 3114(d)(1) reserved funds for education programs and activities for immigrant children and youth. (Report Section 3114(d)(1) subgrants in 1.6.5.1 ONLY.)

	#
Total number of subgrantees for the year	55
Number of subgrantees that met all three Title III AMAOs	40
Number of subgrantees that met only 2 AMAOs	13
Number of subgrantees that met AMAOs of Making Progress and ELP Attainment	11
Number of subgrantees that met AMAOs of Making Progress and AYP	1
Number of subgrantees that met AMAOs of ELP Attainment and AYP	1
Number of subgrantees that met only 1 AMAO	2
Number of subgrantees that met AMAO of Making Progress	0
Number of subgrantees that met AMAO of Attainment of ELP	2
Number of subgrantees that met AMAO AYP	0
Number of subgrantees that did not meet any AMAOs	0
Number of subgrantees that did not meet AMAOs for two consecutive years	8
Number of subgrantees with an improvement plan for not meeting Title III AMAOs	3
Number of subgrantees who have not met Title III AMAOs for four consecutive years (beginning in SY 2007-08)	0
Comments:	

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly in section 1.6.10 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.6.4.2 State Accountability (formerly 4.2 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

In the table below, indicate whether the State met all three Title III AMAOs.

Note: Meeting all three Title III AMAOs means meeting <u>each</u> State-set target for <u>each</u> objective: Making Progress, Attaining Proficiency, and Making AYP for the LEP subgroup.

State met all three Title III AMAOs	Yes
Comments:	

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly in Section 1.6.10 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.6.4.3 Termination of Title III Language Instruction Educational Programs (formerly 6.1 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

Any Title III language instruction educational programs or programs and activities for immigrant children and youth terminated for failure to		
reach program goals.	<u>No</u>	
If yes, provide the number of language instruction educational programs <u>or</u> programs and activities for immigrant children and youth terminated.		
Comments: The State of Tennessee has not terminated any Title III language instruction educatonal programs due to failure to		
reach program goals.		

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.6.5 Education Programs and Activities for Immigrant Students (formerly 5.1 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

This section collects data on education programs and activities for immigrant students.

1.6.5.1 Immigrant Students

In the table below, report the <u>unduplicated</u> number of immigrant students enrolled in the State and in qualifying educational programs under Section 3114(d)(1).

Table 1.6.5.1 Definitions:

- 1. **Immigrant Students Enrolled =** Number of students who meet the definition of immigrant children and youth in Section 3301 (6) and enrolled in the elementary or secondary schools in the State.
- 2. Students in 3114(d)(1) Program = Number of immigrant students who participated in programs for immigrant children and youth funded under Section 3114(d)(1), using the funds reserved for immigrant education programs/activities. This number should not include immigrant students who receive services in Title III LIEPs under Sections 3114(a) & 3115(a) ONLY.
- 3. 3114(d)(1) Subgrants = Number of subgrants made in the State under Section 3114(d)(1), with the funds reserved for immigrant education programs/activities. Do <u>not</u> include Title III LIEP subgrants made under Sections 3114(a) & 3115(a) that have immigrant students enrolled in them.

# Immigrant Students Enrolled	# Students in 3114(d)(1) Program	# of 3114(d)(1) Subgrants
14605	2482	4

If state reports zero (0) students in programs or zero (0) subgrants, explain in comment box below.

Comments:

Source – Initially, the first column of the table is pre-populated by ED*Facts* file N/X045 that contains data group 519, grand total. The second and third columns are manual entry by the SEA.

Note: This table was formerly in section 1.6.4 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.6.5.2 Distribution of Immigrant Funds (formerly 5.3 of the Title III Biennial Collection, reformatted)

In the table below, report how the State distributes the funds reserved for the education of immigrant children and youth to subgrantees.

Subgrant award cycle					
Annual Yes Multi-year No					
Type of subgrant awarded					
Competitive No Formula Yes					

If the State checked more than one item in each category, explain in the comment box.

Comments:

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.6.6 Teacher Information and Professional Development

This section collects data on teachers in Title III language instruction education programs.

1.6.6.1 Teacher Information (formerly 7.1 of the Title III Biennial Collection, modified)

In the table below, report the number of teachers who are working in the Title III language instruction educational programs as defined in Section 3301(8) and reported in table 1.6.1 (Types of language instruction educational programs).

Note: Section 3301(8) – The term 'Language instruction educational program' means an instruction course – (A) in which a limited English proficient child is placed for the purpose of developing and attaining English proficiency, while meeting challenging State academic content and student academic achievement standards, as required by Section 1111(b)(1); and (B) that may make instructional use of both English and a child's native language to enable the child to develop and attain English proficiency and may include the participation of English proficient children if such course is designed to enable all participating children to become proficient in English and a second language.

	#
Number of all certified/licensed teachers currently working in Title III language instruction educational programs.	844
Number of certified/licensed/endorsed ESL/BE teachers in the state currently working with LEP students (e.g., ESL/BE teachers for ALL LEP students), if the State has such requirements. Or number of teachers with professional development points or course work in ESL/BE, if the State does not require such certification/licensure/endorsement.	824
Estimate number of <u>additional</u> certified/licensed teachers that will be needed for Title III language instruction educational programs in the next 5 years*.	1266

Explain in the comment box below if there is a zero for any item in the table above.

Comments: According to demographics we are growing at a 300 to 400 percent rate every 10 years. 844 X 150%(5 years of 10) = 1266

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

^{*} This number should be the total <u>additional</u> teachers needed for the next 5 years, not the number needed for each year. Do <u>not</u> include the number of teachers <u>currently</u> working in Title III English language instruction educational programs.

1.6.6.2 Professional Development (PD) Activities of Subgrantees Related to the Teaching and Learning of LEP Students (formerly 7.4 of the Title III Biennial Collection)

In the table below, provide the number of professional development activities that specifically address <u>only</u> the teaching of LEP students or are related to the learning of LEP students. These professional development activities must meet the requirements of the Title III subgrantee required activities.

Table 1.6.6.2 Definitions:

- 1. Types of Professional Development Activity = Subgrantee activities for professional development required under Title III.
- 2. **#Subgrantees** = Number of subgrantees who conducted each type of professional development activity. A subgrantee may conduct more than one professional development activity. (Use the same method of counting subgrantees, including consortia, as in 1.6.1.1 and 1.6.4.1.)
- 3. **Total Number of Participants =** Number of teachers, administrators and other personnel who participated in each type of the professional development (PD) activities reported.
- 4. Total = Number of all participants in PD activities.

Type of Professional Development Activity	# Subgrantees	
Instructional strategies for LEP students	43	
Understanding and implementation of assessment of LEP students	29	
Understanding and implementation of ELP standards and academic content standards for LEP students	22	
Alignment of the curriculum in language instruction educational programs to ELP standards	19	
Subject matter knowledge for teachers	18	
Other (Explain in comment box)	12	
Participant Information	# Subgrantees	# Participants
PD provided to content classroom teachers	43	5266
PD provided to LEP classroom teachers	43	4277
PD provided to principals	43	100
PD provided to administrators/other than principals	12	800
PD provided to other school personnel/non-administrative	12	100
PD provided to community-based organization personnel	0	0
Total		10543

Comments: The State of Tennessee sent a survey to LEAs to attain information needed for professional development and program design. The survey used did not collect the data as needed. The profesional development provided to principals, to administrators other than principals, and to other school personnel is an estimate based on attendance at training offered by the State. There were no subgrantee numbers reported for the administrators, school personnel and community based personnel. TN plans to collect this data for 2007-2008

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.6.7 State Subgrant Activities

This section collects data on State grant activities.

1.6.7.1 State Subgrant Process

In the table below, report the time between when the State receives the Title III allocation from ED, normally on July 1 of each year for the upcoming school year, and the time when the State distributes these funds to subgrantees for the <u>intended school year</u>. Dates must be in the format MM/DD/YY.

Table 1.6.7.1 Definitions:

- Date State Received Allocation = Annual date the State receives the Title III allocation from US Department of Education (ED).
- 2. Date Funds Available to Subgrantees = Annual date that Title III funds are available to approved subgrantees.
- 3. # of Days/\$\$ Distribution = Average number of days for States receiving Title III funds to make subgrants to subgrantees beginning from July 1 of each year, except under conditions where funds are being withheld.

Example: State received SY 2006-07 funds July 1, 2006, and then made these funds available to subgrantees on August 1, 2006, for SY 2006-07 programs. Then the "# of days/\$\$ Distribution" is 30 days.

Date State Received Allocation	Date Funds Available to Subgrantees	# of Days/\$\$ Distribution
07/01/06	07/08/06	9

Comments: The state awards the money as of July 1 of the current grant year. The application has to be approved but the availability period is from July 1-Sept 30 2 years hence.

The money once requested on FACTS is usually in the LEA's office/bank within 7-11 days. Sometimes money arrives faster. Only once this year was money delayed since it is a direct deposit into their account. The awards are on FACTS as soon as the consortiums and stand-alones are determined but all funding dates are July 1 of the current year so systems can begin planning and spending ready for reimbursement once posted.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.6.7.2 Steps To Shorten the Distribution of Title III Funds to Subgrantees

In the comment box below, describe how your State can shorten the process of distributing Title III funds to subgrantees.

The State of Tennessee is working to move the money quicker than the expected 7 to 11 days. Occassionally the money reaches the LEA quicker than the expected 7 day minimum.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.7 PERSISTENTLY DANGEROUS SCHOOLS

In the table below, provide the number of schools identified as persistently dangerous, as determined by the State, by the start of the school year. For further guidance on persistently dangerous schools, refer to section B "Identifying Persistently Dangerous Schools" in the Unsafe School Choice Option Non-Regulatory Guidance, available at: http://www.ed.gov/policy/elsec/guid/unsafeschoolchoice.pdf.

Persistently Dangerous Schools	0
Comments:	

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.8 GRADUATION RATES AND DROPOUT RATES

This section collects graduation and dropout rates.

1.8.1 Graduation Rates

In the table below, provide the graduation rates calculated using the methodology that was approved as part of the State's accountability plan for the **previous school year** (SY 2005-06). Below the table are FAQs about the data collected in this table.

Student Group	Graduation Rate
All Students	80.8
American Indian or Alaska Native	58.4
Asian or Pacific Islander	86.5
Black, non-Hispanic	66.1
Hispanic	66.3
White, non-Hispanic	83.1
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	
Limited English proficient	
Economically disadvantaged	
Migratory students	
Male	74.9
Female	82.4

Comments: We have a very small number of American Indian students. That is why the rate bounces around. We do not have our students accurately tagged and therefore cannot calculate the numbers and rates for the following subgroups: children with disabilities, limited English proficient students, economically disadvantaged students, and migratory students.

Source – Initially, pre-populated by EDFacts file N/X041 that is data group 563, category sets A, B, C, D, E, and F. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online collection tool. If the SEA has additional racial/ethnic groups or combinations of racial/ethnic groups in its accountability plan under *NCLB*, the SEA will report the above data for those groups through the online CSPR collection tool.

FAQs on graduation rates:

- a. What is the graduation rate? Section 200.19 of the Title I regulations issued under the No Child Left Behind Act on December 2, 2002, defines graduation rate to mean:
 - The percentage of students, measured from the beginning of high school, who graduate from public high school with a regular diploma (not including a GED or any other diploma not fully aligned with the State's academic standards) in the standard number of years; or,
 - Another more accurate definition developed by the State and approved by the Secretary in the State plan that more
 accurately measures the rate of students who graduate from high school with a regular diploma; and
 - · Avoids counting a dropout as a transfer.
- b. What if the data collection system is not in place for the collection of graduate rates? For those States that are reporting transitional graduation rate data and are working to put into place data collection systems that will allow the State to calculate the graduation rate in accordance with Section 200.19 for all the required subgroups, please provide a detailed progress report on the status of those efforts.

1.8.2 Dropout Rates

In the table below, provide the dropout rates calculated using the annual event school dropout rate for students leaving a school in a single year determined in accordance with the National Center for Education Statistic's (NCES) Common Core of Data (CCD) for the **previous school year** (SY 2005-06). Below the table is an FAQ about the data collected in this table.

Student Group	Dropout Rate	
All Students	2.6	
American Indian or Alaska Native	3.4	
Asian or Pacific Islander	1.7	
Black, non-Hispanic	4.2	
Hispanic	4.5	
White, non-Hispanic	2.0	
Children with disabilities (IDEA)		
Limited English proficient		
Economically disadvantaged		
Migratory students		
Male	3.0	
Female	2.2	
Comments: We have a very small number of American Indian students. That is why the rates bounce around from year to year.		

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

FAQ on dropout rates:

What is a dropout? A dropout is an individual who: 1) was enrolled in school at some time during the previous school year; and 2) was not enrolled at the beginning of the current school year; and 3) has not graduated from high school or completed a State- or district-approved educational program; and 4) does not meet any of the following exclusionary conditions: a) transfer to another public 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.

1.9 EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN AND YOUTHS PROGRAM

This section collects data on homeless children and youths and the McKinney-Vento grant program.

In the table below, provide the following information about the number of LEAs in the State who reported data on homeless children and youths and the McKinney-Vento program. The totals will be automatically calculated.

	#	# LEAs Reporting Data
LEAs without subgrants	127	121
LEAs with subgrants	14	14
Total	141	135
Comments: The state's special schools account for the difference in these totals.		

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly Section 1.9.1.2 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.9.1 All LEAs (with and without McKinney-Vento subgrants)

The following questions collect data on homeless children and youths in the State.

1.9.1.1 Homeless Children And Youths

In the table below, provide the number of homeless children and youths by grade level enrolled in public school at any time during the regular school year. The totals will be automatically calculated:

Age/Grade	# of Homeless Children/Youths Enrolled in Public School in LEAs Without Subgrants	# of Homeless Children/Youths <u>Enrolled</u> in Public School in LEAs <u>With</u> Subgrants
Age 3 through 5 (not		
Kindergarten)	23	184
K	76	616
1	99	594
2	72	537
3	76	537
4	87	491
5	68	496
6	42	467
7	59	487
8	46	435
9	49	317
10	39	243
11	21	200
12	44	160
Ungraded	<n< td=""><td><n< td=""></n<></td></n<>	<n< td=""></n<>
Total		

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly section 1.9.1.3 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.9.1.2 Primary Nighttime Residence of Homeless Children and Youths

In the table below, provide the number of homeless children and youths by primary nighttime residence enrolled in public school at any time during the regular school year. The primary nighttime residence should be the student's nighttime residence when he/she was identified as homeless. The totals will be automatically calculated.

	# of Homeless Children/Youths - LEAs <u>Without</u> Subgrants	# of Homeless Children/Youths - LEAs <u>With</u> Subgrants
Shelters, transitional housing, awaiting foster care	83	1890
Doubled-up (e.g., living with another family)	592	3352
Unsheltered (e.g., cars, parks, campgrounds, temporary trailer, or abandoned buildings)	42	130
Hotels/Motels	85	393
Total	802	5765
Comments:		

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly section 1.9.1.4 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.9.2 LEAs with McKinney-Vento Subgrants

The following sections collect data on LEAs with McKinney-Vento subgrants.

1.9.2.1 Homeless Children and Youths Served by McKinney-Vento Subgrants

In the table below, provide the number of homeless children and youths by grade level who were served by McKinney-Vento subgrants during the regular school year. The total will be automatically calculated.

Age/Grade	# Homeless Children/Youths Served by Subgrants
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)	173
K	611
1	580
2	515
3	523
4	485
5	493
6	457
7	447
8	395
9	313
10	242
11	199
12	160
Ungraded	0
Total	5593
Comments:	

Source – Initially, pre-populated by EDFacts file N/X043 that is data group 560, category set A. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online collection tool.

1.9.2.2 Subpopulations of Homeless Students Served

In the table below, please provide the following information about the homeless students served during the regular school year.

	# Homeless Students Served
Unaccompanied youth	156
Migratory children/youth	14
Children with disabilities (IDEA)	893
Limit English proficient students	259
Comments:	·

Source – Initially, pre-populated by EDFacts file N/X043 that is data group 560, category sets B, C, D, and E. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly Sections 1.9.2.3, 1.9.2.4, and 1.9.2.5 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR. For the SY 2006-07 CSPR, the data collection has been changed to show the total number of students served.

1.9.2.3 Educational Support Services Provided by Subgrantees

In the table below, provide the number of subgrantee programs that provided the following educational support services with McKinney-Vento funds.

	# McKinney-Vento Subgrantees That Offer
Tutoring or other instructional support	13
2. Expedited evaluations	5
3. Staff professional development and awareness	12
4. Referrals for medical, dental, and other health services	12
5. Transportation	13
6. Early childhood programs	5
7. Assistance with participation in school programs	11
8. Before-, after-school, mentoring, summer programs	11
9. Obtaining or transferring records necessary for enrollment	11
10. Parent education related to rights and resources for children	11
11. Coordination between schools and agencies	10
12. Counseling	9
13. Addressing needs related to domestic violence	11
14. Clothing to meet a school requirement	13
15. School supplies	14
16. Referral to other programs and services	12
17. Emergency assistance related to school attendance	11
18. Other (optional)	0
19. Other (optional)	0
20. Other (optional)	0
Comments:	

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly Section 1.9.2.6 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR.

1.9.2.4 Barriers To The Education Of Homeless Children And Youth

In the table below, provide the number of subgrantees that reported the following barriers to the enrollment and success of homeless children and youths.

	# Subgrantees Reporting
Eligibility for homeless services	1
2. School Selection	0
3. Transportation	3
4. School records	2
5. Immunizations	1
6. Other medical records	0
7. Other Barriers	4

Comments: Primary night time residence

Immediate and accurate id of all eligible homeless students

Lack of affordable housing for low income families

Lack of available preschool programs

Low literacy level of parents seeking employment

School climates

State Dept. interpretation in use of funds for maintaining school attendance of Homeless students

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly Section 1.9.2.7 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR. Immunizations and Other Medical Records have been changed to two separate data collections for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.9.2.5 Academic Progress of Homeless Students

The following questions collect data on the academic achievement of homeless children and youths served by McKinney-Vento subgrants.

1.9.2.5.1 Reading Assessment

In the table below, provide the number of homeless children and youths served who were tested on the State *NCLB* reading/language arts assessment and the number of those tested who scored at or above proficient. Provide data for grades 9 through 12 only for those grades tested for *NCLB*.

	# Homeless Children/Youths Served by McKinney-	# Homeless Children/Youths Served by McKinney-
Grade	Vento Taking Reading Assessment Test	Vento Who Scored At or Above Proficient
3	341	285
4	366	260
5	363	283
6	344	254
7	355	249
8	274	228
High		
School	238	163
Comment	Comments:	

Source – Initially, pre-populated by EDFacts file N/X076, N/X077, or N/X078 that are data group 584, category set G. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: This table was formerly part of section 1.9.2.9 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR. Grades 9 through 12 have been changed to High School for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.9.2.5.2 Mathematics Assessment

This section is similar to 1.9.2.5.1. The only difference is that this section collects data on the State *NCLB* mathematics assessment.

Grade	# Homeless Children/Youths Served by McKinney-Vento Taking Mathematics Assessment Test	# Homeless Children/Youths Served by McKinney- Vento Who Scored At or Above Proficient
3	337	254
4	352	249
5	359	262
6	328	207
7	333	216
8	293	201
High		
School	276	144
Commen	ts:	

Source – Similar to 1.9.2.5.1 but the file specification is N/X075 that is data group 583, category set G.

Note: This table was formerly part of section 1.9.2.9 of the SY 2005-06 CSPR. Grades 9 through 12 have been changed to High School for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

1.10 MIGRANT CHILD COUNTS

This section collects the Title I, Part C, Migrant Education Program (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 reporting period of September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2007. This section also collects a report on the procedures used by States to produce true, accurate, and valid child counts.

To provide the child counts, each SEA should have sufficient procedures in place 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 migrant children are counted for funding purposes and are served. If an SEA has reservations about the accuracy of its child counts, it must inform the Department of its concerns and explain how and when it will resolve them in Section 1.10.3.4 *Quality Control Processes*.

Please note that in submitting this information, the Authorizing State Official must certify that, to the best of his/her knowledge, 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:

How is "out-of-school" defined? Out-of-school means youth 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 could include students who have dropped out of school, youth who are working on a GED outside of a K-12 institution, and youth who are "here-to-work" only. It does not include preschoolers, who are counted by age grouping.

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. In some cases, ungraded students may also include special education children, transitional bilingual students, students working on a GED through a K-12 institution, or those in a correctional setting. (Students working on a GED outside of a K-12 institution are counted as out-of-school youth.)

1.10.1 Category 1 Child Count

In the table below, enter the <u>unduplicated</u> statewide number by age/grade of **eligible** migrant 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 reporting period of September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2007. This figure includes all eligible migrant children who may or may not have participated in MEP services. Count a child who moved from one age/grade level to another during the reporting period only once in the highest age/grade that he/she attained during the reporting period. The unduplicated statewide total count is calculated automatically.

Do not include:

- · Children age birth through 2 years
- Children served by the MEP (under the continuation of services authority) after their period of eligibility has expired when other services are not available to meet their needs
- Previously eligible secondary-school children who are receiving credit accrual services (under the continuation of services authority).

Age/Grade	12-Month Count of Eligible Migrant Children Who Can be Counted for Funding Purposes
Age 3 through 5 (not Kindergarten)	398
K	194
1	175
2	148
3	152
4	130
5	128
6	107
7	108
8	124
9	114
10	72
11	55
12	31
Ungraded	1836
Out-of-school	0
Total	3772
Comments:	

Source – Initially, pre-populated by EDFacts file N/X121 that is data group 634, Subtotal 1. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online collection tool.

1.10.1.1 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%.

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

This year Tennessee had an extremely cold spring. Frost occured as early as Easter morning which is very rare for TN. The effects of the cold spring were compounded by the extreme record breaking summer drought. All agriculture crops were affected. All of the state's fruit crops were destroyed in the spring and the crops such as tomatoes cotton and tobacco were hit hard in the summer. This resulted in fewer migrants coming to the state and many of those who did come stayed for a shorter period of time. These crop failures made recruiting a challenge. Our limited staff would normally have 3-4 months to find a qualifying child but in some places this time period was reduced by half during this reporting perod. This is the cause of the decrease of migrants in TN during the 06-07 year.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.10.2 Category 2 Child Count

In the table below, enter by age/grade the <u>unduplicated</u> statewide number of **eligible** migrant 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 reporting period of September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2007. Count a child who moved from one age/grade level to another during the reporting period only once in the highest age/grade that he/she attained during the reporting 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 served by the MEP (under the continuation of services authority) after their period of eligibility has expired when other services are not available to meet their needs
- Previously eligible secondary-school children who are receiving credit accrual services (under the continuation of services authority).

Age/Grade	Summer/Intersession Count of Eligible Migrant Children Who Are Participants and Who Can Be Counted for Funding Purposes
Age 3 through 5 (not	
Kindergarten)	80
K	73
1	56
2	45
3	49
4	50
5	47
6	41
7	43
8	35
9	30
10	11
11	12
12	<n< td=""></n<>
Ungraded	<n< td=""></n<>
Out-of-school	<n< td=""></n<>
Total	578
Comments:	<u>'</u>

Source – Initially, pre-populated by EDFacts file N/X122 that is data group 635, Subtotal 1. If necessary, it is updated through manual entry by the SEA into the online collection tool.

1.10.2.1 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%.

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Tennessee's focus during the 2006-2007 year was on serving students in the summer through summer school programs. The services listed here are the services provided through summer programs to migrant students. Summer programs in TN are usually 4 weeks long and between 6-8 hours a day during the week. We did not consider any of the services given at the time of recruitment in this count since most of those services are given on a one time basis and not of sufficient duration to be able to be counted in our A2 count.

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.10.3 Child Count Calculation and Validation Procedures

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

1.10.3.1 Student Information System

In the space below, respond to the following questions: What system(s) did your State use to compile and generate the Category 1 and Category 2 child count for this reporting period (e.g., NGS, MIS 2000, COEStar, manual system)? Were child counts for the last reporting period generated using the same system(s)? If the State's category 2 count was generated using a different system from the category 1 count, please identify each system.

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Both counts are generated using MIS2000. The counts for last reporting period were also generated using this system.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.10.3.2 Data Collection and Management Procedures

In the space below, respond to the following questions: How was the child count data collected? What data were collected? What activities were conducted to collect the data? When were the data collected for use in the student information system? If the data for the State's category 2 count were collected and maintained differently from the category 1 count, please describe each set of procedures.

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

The A1 child count data is collected on the states Certificate of Eligibility (COE) at the time of recruitment of a migrant child. The following information is collected at that time: the child/youth's parent or guardian information address phone number age grade date of birth place of birth school name where they attend where they moved from current residency date last qualifying move and type of agriculture work sought by parent guardian spouse or self. All information is recorded on the COE and then sent to the State ID&R coordinator. The information is reviewed and then a number of the COE's are re-interviewed. Once this process is finished and the information has been reviewed and signed for approval the COE is sent to the State database specialist for entry into the database.

The A2 count is collected via a set of forms that are required of all districts that offer summer programs. Forms are collected at the end of the summer program. The data collected includes the student's name grade date of birth days enrolled in the program days attended State standards taught to the child during the summer program pre and post test scores when applicable along with a summary of additional services such as transportation and food. This information is sent to the State migrant education coordinator for review who then sends this to the State data database specialist for entering into the state database.

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

In the space below, describe how the child count data are inputted, updated, and then organized by the student information system for child count purposes at the State level

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

When approved COEs are received school age (PK through 12) migrants are compared to lists of students from the State's student database system EIS and from information on the State's Limited English Proficiency test the English Language Development Assessment(ELDA). This information is used to confirm grade and school enrollment information and to verify accuracy of Qualifying Arrival Date provided. The COE is entered into the MIS2000 Database. In order to prevent duplications the migrant's name is checked against the existing enrollment then the birth date is checked in case of spelling differences. Once the information has been entered lists are printed that include all the enrolled migrants by County and/or District. These lists are sorted alphabetically. Monthly copies of the list are forwarded to the LEAs for confirmation of the data. Should there be differences in grade and/or school information this is corrected within the database.

Enrollments for the regular school year are given a code of either R P or G. Enrollments for summer term or intersession are given a code of S T or L.

For reporting purposes MSEdD has created several reports that print out the information necessary for the CSPR. The information compiled in the report is checked on a monthly basis to ascertain accuracy (our reports are called an Overview for count accuracy and 12 Month Contact Report for a complete list by district). The report looks for migrants between the ages of 3 and 22 years that have enrolled between the Start and End date of the program year. The list is then sorted by grade. Our checks and balances include exporting the information to Excel and manually sorting the information.

If the data for the State's category 2 count were collected and maintained differently from the category 1 count, please describe each set of procedures.

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

The data were not collected and maintained in a different manner.

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.10.3.3 Methods Used To Count Children

In the space below, respond to the following question: How was each child count calculated? Please describe the compilation process and edit functions that are built into your student information system(s) specifically to produce an accurate child count. In particular, describe how your system includes and counts only:

- children who were between age 3 through 21;
- children who met the program eligibility criteria (e.g., were within 3 years of a last qualifying move, had a qualifying activity);
- children who were resident in your State for at least 1 day during the eligibility period (September 1 through August 31);
- children who-in the case of Category 2-received a MEP-funded service during the summer or intersession term; and
- children once per age/grade level for each child count category.

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

The following has been copied directly from MIS2000's Overview report:

School History.QA3Date >= !StartDate

((Student.TwentySecondBDay >= !StartDate) and

(Student.ThirdBDay <= !EndDate))

((School History.WithdrawDate is between !StartDate and

!EndDate) or (School History.EnrollDate is between

!StartDate and !EndDate))

((School History.Type <> S) and (School History.Type <>

T) and (School History.Type <> L) and (((School History.Type

= P) or (School History.Type = R) or (School History.Type =

G))))

((School History.TermType <> N) or (School

History.TermType is null))

The !StartDate is 9/1/2006 and the !EndDate is 8/31/2007 (for the current reporting period).

The School History.TermType <> N indicates that only qualifying migrants are selected. P G and R are considered regular year enrollment types and S T and L are Summer or Intersession enrollments. The above report specifically selects "P G or R" enrollment types and omits "S T and L" enrollment types.

For Summer Intersession the report looks only for those students that have an enrollment type of S T or L.

In order to ensure unduplicated counts a Variable is attached to the formatted report that looks for duplicated students (the same StudentSeq) and suppresses their count to one for the final count. The actual report contains two columns one duplicated and one unduplicated.

If your State's category 2 count was generated using a different system from the category 1 count, please describe each system separately.

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

The data were not generated using a differnet system from the category 1 count.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

1.10.3.4 Quality Control Processes

In the space below, respond to the following question: What steps are taken to ensure your State properly determines and verifies the eligibility of each child included in the child counts for the reporting period of September 1 through August 31 before that child's data are included in the student information system(s)?

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

When COEs are recieved by the State Identification and Recruitment Coordinator a review is done of each COE and the information it contains. The Coordinator checks for errors in the completion of the COEs such as correct addresses necessary comments and complete information. During this process the Coordinator puts a number of COEs out to be re-interviewed. Any COEs that appear to have discrepancies are always re-interviewed and typically at least one in ten COEs is sent to a part-time re-interviewer who then recontacts families to ensure that the family is indeed eligible. If any problems are found the recruiter is contacted to provide additional information if applicable. If a family or youth is found to be ineligible they are never entered into the database our counted in the state count. If problems are found in the quality of review another COE is reviewed by the same recruiter to ensure that this mistake or situation was unique and that the recruiter understands all of the regulations and requirements for eligibility in the program. If a family cannot be contacted another COE is chosen to be re-interviewed from that same recruiter. All recruiters are notified of problems with COEs so they can learn from any mistakes they make or any made by others. If significant numbers of problems are found in a batch of COEs for re-interview all of the COEs are re-interviewed.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

In the space below, describe specifically the procedures used and the results of any re-interview processes used by the SEA during the reporting period to test the accuracy of the State's MEP eligibility determinations. In this description, please include the number of eligibility determinations sampled, the number for which a test was completed, and the number found eligible.

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

In the review conducted during the past year - conducted prior to any new student being entered or provided services after recruitment the results were as follows.

We re-interviewed a total of 367 newly recruited migrant students. Of those students 172 qualified 89 didn't and 140 couldn't be recontact during the post recruitment re-interview period. This was a quality control measure used to help us re-train in the areas where recruiters were making incorrect eligiblity determinations before the student was ever enrolled into the program. We have done this procedure for the past four years year for all students as they are enrolled into the program. We have also asked disricts to review the list of migrant students after they are enrolled and to let us know if the information we have correctly alligns to what they know about the student.

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

In the space below, respond to the following question: Throughout the year, what steps are taken by staff to check that child count data are inputted and updated accurately (and–for systems that merge data–consolidated accurately)?

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

After a batch of COEs has been entered into the database a report is run to ascertain accuracy of spelling and data. Monthly reports are forwarded to LEAs listing all identified migrants in their districts. Errors are reported back to the data entry specialist and corrected. Twice a year an internal audit is completed. During the audit a report is printed that contains every migrant enrolled in the program for the program year. This report is then compared against the physical COE. This procedure catches duplications omissions and errors.

During the preparation of the monthly reports reports are exported to Excel and the information is analyzed for priority duplication and accuracy of entering. All of the newly enrolled migrants are highlighted allowing further inspection of the entry.

The supervisor of the data entry specialist also has a copy of the database and consistanty refers to it thereby providing another source of audit.

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

In the space below, respond to the following question: What final steps are taken by State staff to verify the child counts produced by your student information system(s) are accurate counts of children in Category 1 and Category 2 prior to their submission to ED?

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

The final steps taken by the staff to verify the child count is an audit of the entire year just prior to the submission to ED. This audit is a comparison of each hard copy COE to the information stored in the database.

Finally during the preparation of the figures for reporting not only does the database produce the count of students per grade but a complete listing of enrolled migrants is sorted in Excel and compared to the computer generated count.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

Describe those corrective actions or improvements that will be made by the SEA to improve the accuracy of its MEP eligibility determinations in light of the prospective re-interviewing results.

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

This year we implemented a certification test for our recruiters that was situationally based. This test allows us to see on an individual basis what recruiters know and to be able to identify any areas of the recruitment process that need to be reviewed on an individual basis. As areas that have shown to need clarification are identified this information is then applied to future trainings and conversations with recruiters. We have found that we encounter more errors when we hire new recruiters. It takes longer for some new hires to be able to apply all of the needed knowledge related to recruitment than it does for others.

All of our recruiters understand that the re-interview process is ongoing throughout the year. Recruiters do not have quotas but are required to show us daily activity through daily reports. The emphasis is on quality recruitment and a system of checks and balances. We feel that we must continue to do this type of pro-active re-interviewing before students receive services from the program. We will continue this approach into the future.

Source - Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.

Note: New data collection for the SY 2006-07 CSPR.

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.

The response is limited to 8,000 characters.

Tennessee feels confident in the accuracy of both counts.

Source – Manual entry by SEA into the online collection tool.