

California Community Colleges  
Management Information System  
Data Element Dictionary

**Student Success Data Elements**

DED#	DATA ELEMENT NAME	FORMAT
<b>SS14</b>	<b>STUDENT-NONCREDIT-INITIAL-ASSESSMENT-EXEMPT-STATUS</b>	<b>X(02)</b>
<p>This element indicates whether the student was directed to, or exempted from, initial noncredit assessment services as part of the student success process at the college.</p>		

Coding	Meaning
<b>Student Directed To Initial Noncredit Assessment Testing Services</b>	
A	Student was directed to initial noncredit assessment testing services.
<b>Student Exempted From Initial Noncredit Assessment Testing Services</b>	
D	Student has completed an Associate or higher degree.
O	Student exempted based on other district criteria.
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Up to two exemption reasons may be coded. Code unused positions with 'Y's, that is, if student was not exempted, code 'AY'. If student was exempted based on both possession of a degree and other criteria, code 'DO'.</li> <li>Both positions must be valid according to these specifications. If one position is invalid, the entire field is considered an exception and the record will be rejected.</li> </ol>	

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<b>Processing Edits</b>	
FIELD CHECK	AY, DY, DO, OD or OY
INTEGRITY CHECK	<p>Initial Noncredit Orientation Exempt Status (SS13), <b>and</b> Initial Noncredit Assessment Exempt Status (SS14), <b>and</b> Noncredit Education Plan Exempt Status (SS15)</p> <p><b>must all</b> be coded with a 'D' or 'O' (not 'A') in order to code:</p> <p>Noncredit Course of Study (SS12) as 'YYYYYY'.</p>

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<b>Change History</b>
<p>Element added May 2016. Optional for Academic Year 2016-17 (Summer Term 165). <b>Mandatory for Academic Year 2017-18 (Summer Term 175).</b></p>