

**EMIS Change 24-116**

HB 33 (the budget bill of the 135th General Assembly) includes provisions about different grad rates. To assist with this, districts will report the total count of credits a student has earned towards graduation as of the start of the current school year. This data will be collected via a new element on the Student Attributes – No Date (FN) Record.

Updated (Aug. 4, 2023). In the file layout, the position for this new element was wrong. It has been corrected. See the **highlighted text** below.

**SECTION 2.6: STUDENT ATTRIBUTES–NO DATE (FN) RECORD**

**Required Collections**

The Student Attributes–No Date (FN) Record and the relevant elements are to be reported as follows.

Record Field Number	Data Element	S All	S Traditional			S CS/STEM		G
		Retention	Initial	Mid	Final	Initial	Final	
FN440	<a href="#">Count of Graduation Credits at Entry</a>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

 **[Count of Graduation Credits at Entry](#)**

<a href="#">Record Field Number</a>	FN440
<a href="#">Definition</a>	<a href="#">The total count of credits a student has earned toward graduation.</a>

**Valid Options**

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**Reporting Instructions.** Report the total count of credits a student has earned towards graduation as of the start of the current school year. For continuing students, this includes all credits earned as of the end of the prior school year and any credits earned over the summer. For students new to a school or district in the current school year, the count includes all credits earned by the student at prior schools and districts. Report for all students. Students who have not earned any credit toward graduation are reported with the default of 0000. Students who have earned any credit toward graduation are reported with something other than 0000, regardless of grade level.

**2.6 STUDENT ATTRIBUTES–NO DATE (FN) RECORD FILE LAYOUT**

Number	Position	Name	PIC/Size
FN430	155	Military Student Identifier	PIC X
FN440	<b>160-163</b>	<a href="#">Count of Graduation Credits at Entry</a>	<a href="#">PIC 99v99</a>