EMIS Change 25-24: Adds new Retained/Promoted Status option Public Comment open from February 13 through March 13

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This change adds a new Retained/Promoted Status option. HB 33 added a retention exemption for grade 3 students who have not met the requirements for being promoted to grade 4. This exemption from retention is at the request of the parent or guardian in consultation with the student's reading teacher and building principal.

SECTION 2.6: STUDENT ATTRIBUTES-NO DATE (FN) RECORD

A Retained/Promoted Status Element

| Record Field Number | FN070 |
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| Definition | Indicates if a student was retained or promoted at the end of a school |
| | year and whether he/she will advance to the next grade level. |

Valid Options

<u>P</u> Student was retained at the end of the previous school year due to the Third Grade
<u>Reading Guarantee, but was not retained because of parent/guardian request as outlined in Ohio law.</u>

Reporting Instructions. This element is only reported for students in Grade 3. Report the option that best describes the student's retention status as of the first day of the current school year. If a student is subject to retention in grade 3 based on Third Grade Reading Guarantee reading requirements and state assessment results, report the student's retained status with options "A", "D", "N", or option "5".

For any grade 3 student promoted due to adequate performance on a Third Grade Reading Guarantee Alternative Assessment, report the option that identifies the specific alternative assessment taken options "J", "K", "L", "M", or "N". The full names of the Department-approved Third Grade Reading Guarantee Alternative Assessments can be found on the Department's website. For students demonstrating adequate performance on a Third Grade Reading Guarantee Alternative Assessment who are retained for other reasons, report option "5".

Report option "*" only for students who have met the reading requirements in the Third Grade Reading Guarantee by obtaining the required promotion score on any administration of the state 3rd grade reading assessment and have not been retained.

Students who do not meet the reading requirements but are exempt from retention <u>due to a provision</u> in Ohio law should be reported using the option that best identifies why the student is exempt: options "D", "E", "F", or "G", <u>or "P"</u>.