

**Attachment-NSLDS Reporting Requirements
Academic Level Codes**

NSLDS has received numerous calls regarding Table B-13 referred to in the Perkins Technical Update, PK 2007-02, recently reposted on IFAP on February 29, 2008. Table B-13 will be used with Field Code 270 – Student Academic Level. A future Technical Update will provide replacement pages for the Perkins Data Provider Instructions (DPI) for fields referenced in PK 2007-02. However, to assist schools in planning system changes, Table B-13 is posted below:

Table B–13: Academic Level Codes	
Code	Grade Level
1	Freshman / First Year (Including proprietary institution programs that are less than 1 year in duration.)
2	Sophomore / Second Year
3	Junior / Third Year
4	Senior / Fourth Year
5	Fifth Year / Other Undergraduate (May include sixth year undergraduate and continuing education students.)
A	First Year Graduate / Professional
B	Second Year Graduate / Professional
C	Third Year Graduate / Professional
D	Beyond Third Year Graduate / Professional
G	Graduate / Professional, Year of Study Unknown
N	Not Available (Used only for loans with Date of First Disbursement prior to July 1, 2008.)