

Homeless (Arizona)

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Tool Search: Homeless

The Homeless tool records basic homeless information. The list of homeless records is sorted by Start Date.

Homeless is defined as children and youth who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence. This includes students who are sharing the housing of other persons due to a loss of housing, economic hardship or similar reason; are living in motels, hotels, trailer parks or campgrounds due to lack of alternative adequate accommodations; are living in emergency or transitional shelters; are abandoned in hospitals. The definition includes migratory students who live in the aforementioned situations.

See the core [Homeless](#) article for information on necessary tool rights, available Ad hoc fields, and guidance on adding and printing Enrollment records.

The screenshot shows the 'Homeless' tool interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with 'Student Information > Program Participation > Homeless'. On the left, there is a student profile picture and the student's name, Daniel Student, with a grade of 04 and a DOB of 10/18/2013. Below the profile, there is a 'VIRTUAL LEARNING CONSENT' checkbox. On the right, there is a 'Related Tools' button. The main area is titled 'Homeless Editor' and contains a table with fields for 'Primary Night Time Residence' (Sheltered), 'Unaccompanied Youth' (No), 'Start Date' (08/15/2023), and 'End Date'. Below this, there is a 'Homeless Detail' section with fields for 'Primary Night Time Residence' (Sheltered), 'Unaccompanied Youth' (No), 'Start Date' (08/15/2023), and 'End Date'. At the bottom of the detail section, it says 'Modified By: Administrator, System 12/20/2023 10:57 AM'. At the very bottom of the interface, there is a 'District Defined Elements' section with a 'Eligibility Date' field.

Student Homeless Record

Visit the Arizona Department of Education website for more information on the [Homeless Education Program](#).

Use the [Federal/State Program Updater](#) to import existing Homeless records for students or to update records for multiple students.

Homeless Student Information

[Primary Night Time Residence](#) | [Unaccompanied Youth](#) | [Start Date](#) | [End Date](#)

Homeless status can be assigned to a student at any point of the enrollment period. When a student is determined to be Homeless at any point in the school year, the student reports as Homeless for the entire enrollment period. The amount of time the student is deemed homeless is not considered.

Start and End Dates for Homeless statuses are reported to the state as well.

Homeless information is reported on the following [Ed-Fi Resources](#):

- Student Needs
- Student Homeless Program Associations

Primary Night Time Residence

Primary Nighttime Residence indicates the student's living situation at the time the student was identified as Homeless.

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Code	Description	Definition
1	Sheltered	Student living in temporary shelters, such as homeless shelters, domestic violence shelters, or transitional housing programs, or temporary foster care placement.
2	Doubled Up	Student temporarily sharing the housing of other persons (friends or relatives) due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason.
3	Unsheltered	Student living in abandoned buildings, campgrounds and vehicles, inadequate trailer parks, bus and train stations, substandard housing or abandoned in the hospital.
4	Hotel/Motel	Student temporarily living in a hotel or motel due to lack of alternate adequate accommodation.

Database Location:

Homeless.primaryNightTimeResidence

Ad Hoc Inquiries:

Student > Learner > Homeless > Homeless > primaryNightTimeResidence
(homeless.primaryNightTimeResidence)

Unaccompanied Youth

Indicates the student is experiencing homelessness and is not in the physical custody of a parent or guardian.

Students can be assigned an Unaccompanied Youth Status Code at any time during the enrollment period.

When a student is assigned an Unaccompanied Youth Status Code, the student **MUST ALSO** be assigned a Homeless Nighttime Residence.

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Database Location:

Homeless.unaccompaniedYouth

Ad Hoc Inquiries:

Student > Learner > Homeless > Homeless > unaccompaniedYouth
(homeless.unaccompaniedYouth)

Start Date

Indicates the date the student was identified as being Homeless.

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Database Location:

Homeless.startDate

Ad Hoc Inquiries:

Student > Learner > Homeless > Homeless > startDate (**homeless.startDate**)

End Date

Indicates the date the student was considered to no longer be Homeless.

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Database Location:

Homeless.endDate

Ad Hoc Inquiries:

Student > Learner > Homeless > Homeless > endDate (**homeless.endDate**)
