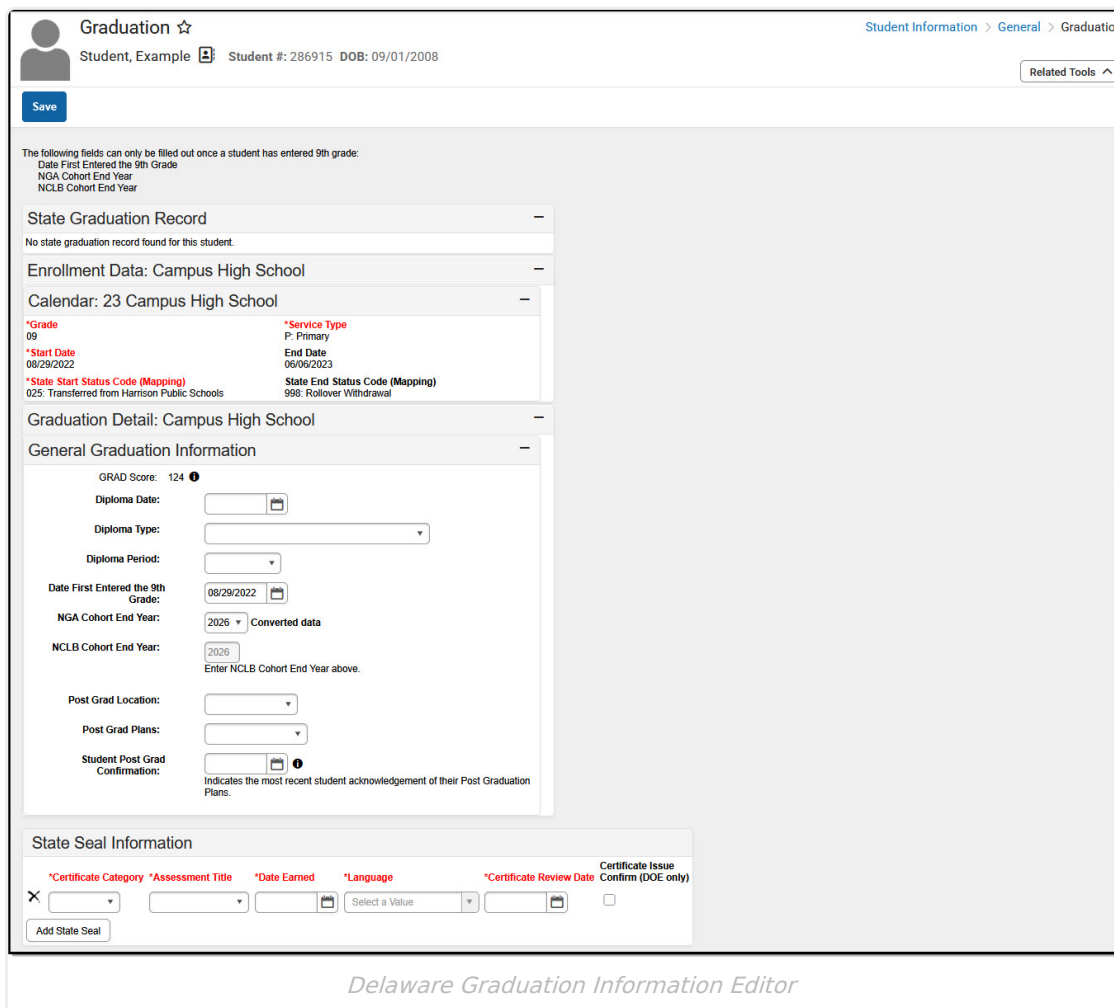# Graduation (Delaware)

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Tool Search: Graduation

The Graduation tool allows districts to track graduation information used in state reporting, AYP (Average Yearly Progress) determinations, and NCLB (No Child Left Behind) report cards. Districts can track when a student first entered ninth grade and calculate his/her expected graduation date. Collected graduation data varies by state. This article contains information specific to **Delaware**.

Refer to the core Graduation article for general information on the Graduation tool.

Delaware Graduation Information Editor

Enrollment Data Fields

The Enrollment Data section repeats the information from the student's General Enrollment Information editor. It cannot be modified using the Graduation tool. See the core Graduation article for more information.

Enrollment Data

General Graduation Information Fields

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Field Name	Description	Ad hoc Path Database Location
GRAD Score	Populated by the Early Warning tool.	Student > Early Warning > gradScore earlyWarningScore.gradScore

Field Name	Description	Ad hoc Path Database Location
Diploma Date	Entered date (MMDDYY format) indicates when the student received their high school diploma or equivalent measure of achievement (GED).	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > diplomaDate graduation.diplomaDate
Diploma Type	Selection indicates the measure of achievement the student received upon high school graduation.	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > diplomaType graduation.diplomaType
Diploma Period	Selection indicates the time of year the student received the diploma.	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > diplomaPeriod graduation.diplomaPeriod
Date First Entered the 9th Grade	Date (MMDDYY format) indicates when the student first entered the ninth grade.	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > grade9Date graduation.grade9Date
NGA Cohort End Year	This field is part of the National Governors' Association graduation calculation rate. The selected year is often four years after the ninth-grade start year; if a student has not graduated from high school in four years (could be less than or more than four years), this selection can be changed. The **NGA Cohort Years after NCLB** system preference allows users to dictate how many additional years are available for selection when entering NGA Cohort End Year values on the student Graduation tool.	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > cohortYearNGA graduation.cohortYearNGA

Field Name	Description	Ad hoc Path Database Location
NCLB Cohort End Year	Read-only field that is auto-populated when the Date First Entered the 9th Grade field is set. Shows the expected graduation year for the student for use in NCLB calculations. **This field cannot be edited.**	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > cohortYearNCLB graduation.cohortYearNCLB
Post Grad Location	Where the student participates in after-high school activities, either IS: In-State or OS: Out-of-State. These activities are based on the selection for the Post Grad Plans fields.	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > postGradLocation graduation.postGradLocation
Post Grad Plans	Indicates what the student plans to do after high school graduation.	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > postGradLocation graduation.postGradPlans
Student Post Grad Confirmation	Indicates the most recent student acknowledgement of their post-graduation plans.	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > postSecondarySignedPlanDate graduation.postSecondarySignedPlanDate

State Seal Information

The Delaware Department of Education awards the Certificate of Multiliteracy to honor and recognize high school students who have attained a high level of proficiency in one or more languages in addition to English. A student's Delaware Certificate of Multiliteracy data is documented in the State Seal Information section of the Graduation tool.

Certificate of Multiliteracy data is reported in the Student Education Organization Associations Ed-Fi resource.

State Seal Information

Field Name	Description	Ad hoc Path Database Location
Certificate Category *Required*	Identifies the multiliteracy certificate level: • **Diamond**: Certificate of Multiliteracy for Advanced-Low Level of Proficiency • **Gold**: Certificate of Multiliteracy for Intermediate-Mid Level of Proficiency Specific criteria for each level of the Certificate are outlined in the Criteria for the Delaware Certificate of Multiliteracy.	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > Graduation Seal > stateSea graduationSeal.stateSeal
Assessment Title *Required*	Identifies the name of the assessment used to determine the student's language proficiency. For additional information, see the Commonly Used Assessments of World Languages Proficiency document. The Criteria for the Delaware Certificate of Multiliteracy outline acceptable English assessments.	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > Graduation Seal > assessmentTitle graduationSeal.assessmentTitle
Date Earned *Required*	Date the student earned the state seal or certificate.	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > Graduation Seal > earnedDate graduationSeal.earnedDate

Field Name	Description	Ad hoc Path Database Location
Language *Required*	Language associated with the state seal or certificate. A record should be created for each language.	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > Graduation Seal > language graduationSeal.language
Certificate Review Date *Required* *(Completed by Delaware DOE)*	Date the certificate was reviewed by the Delaware DOE.	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > Graduation Seal > certificateReviewDate graduationSeal.certificateReviewDate
Certificate Issue Confirm *(Completed by Delaware DOE)*	Confirmation checkbox for Delaware DOE use only.	Student > Learner > Graduation Elements > Graduation Seal > certificateIssueConfirm graduationSeal.certificateIssueConfirm