



IDEA Part B Federal Reporting Years Reference

This reference illustrates the differences between a school year (SY) and a federal fiscal year (FFY) as they relate to data that Arizona collects and reports to meet their Part B IDEA federal reporting requirements.

For reporting on Indicators 1 through 6 and Indicators 15 and 16, Arizona uses data from specific school years; for reporting on Indicators 7 through 14 and Indicator 17, Arizona uses data from specific federal fiscal years. For each SPP/APR indicator, Table 1 lists the type of year and the specific year of data that Arizona will use for reporting on each indicator in their FFY 2021 SPP/APR, which is due February 1, 2023.

Table 1. SPP/APR Indicator Data Years for FFY 2021

Indicator	Year Type	Year
1. Graduation	SY	2020–21
2. Dropout	SY	2020–21
3. Assessment	SY	2021–22
4. Suspension and Expulsion	SY	2020–21
5. Educational Environments	SY	2021–22
6. Preschool Environments	SY	2021–22
7. Preschool Outcomes	FFY	2021
8. Parent Involvement	FFY	2021
9. Disproportionate Representation	FFY	2021
10. Disproportionate Representation in Specific Disability Categories	FFY	2021
11. Child Find	FFY	2021
12. Early Childhood Transition	FFY	2021
13. Secondary Transition	FFY	2021
14. Post School Outcomes	FFY	2021
15. Resolution Sessions	SY	2021–22
16. Mediation	SY	2021–22
17. State Systemic Improvement Plan	FFY	2021

Additionally, using a January 2020 through June 2022 timeline, Figure 1 illustrates how the school year and federal fiscal year differ from each other.

Figure 1. Year Type Comparison Chart

