L2RPT SIRS-601 Postsecondary Enrollment Summary Report and
SIRS-604 Postsecondary Graduation Summary Report

A new series of informational reports in the Level 2 reporting environment (L2RPT) has been
developed that combines data from the Total Cohort reports used for reporting graduation and
other enrollment outcomes at the end of the 4th year of high school to postsecondary enrollment
and completion data provided to the department by National Student Clearinghouse (NSC). You
can learn more about National Student Clearinghouse, including information about the institutions
that participate in the Clearinghouse (over 3,500 colleges and universities, enrolling over 98% of all
students in public and private U.S. institutions nationwide), the data they collect and services they
provide here: http://www.studentclearinghouse.org/.

These new reports are designed to provide information to public school districts and individual
schools regarding the postsecondary enrollment of cohorts of students who enter grade 9 in the
same year and graduates who are members of those cohorts. As additional years of data become
available, the reports will include postsecondary completion. The longitudinal data may provide
insights that help districts and schools develop or improve upon existing strategies to increase
postsecondary enrollment and persistence. In the near future, we will be distributing additional
reports that make use of these data.

The data presented in the report were extracted from NSC in fall 2013. The report includes data
for the 2013-14 school year that were available at that time. Future extracts of data from NSC will
include additional enrollment and outcome records for the 2013-14 school year.

Please note the following restrictions regarding the sharing and publication of the National Student
Clearinghouse Data: the number of students who attended specific schools by name may not be
displayed, only aggregate data can be shared and displayed to the public and the data must be
acknowledged as sourced from the StudentTracker service of the National Student Clearinghouse.
Student level data is not permitted to be shared outside of the school, district, or state agency.

Each report is available by selecting a cohort (i.e., 2008 Total Cohort is students who entered grade
9 in the 2008–09 school year, with data for that cohort captured as of June 30th four years after
they first entered grade 9), student subgroup (All Students, General Education Students, Students
with Disabilities, etc.), and high school enrollment outcome student group (HS Graduates only, HS
Graduates and Nongraduates, or HS Non-Graduates only) for whom you would like to view postsecondary information. Note that the data for students in these cohorts in these reports are also available in the SIRS-201 Total Cohort Summary Report in L2RPT. Also note that data for the 2008, 2007, and 2006 cohorts in the Postgraduate Enrollment and Graduation Reports are based on one-day enrollment; that is, students are included in the cohort if they were enrolled for at least one day. Publicly released data for students in the 2006 total cohort after 4 years includes students enrolled for 5 months or more. The 2006 Total Cohort Summary Report in L2RPT cohort include students enrolled for 5 or more months as well as students enrolled for at least one day.

Records for students in the cohorts listed above were matched to college enrollment and graduation data provided to the NYSED by NSC. NSC records are provided by college semester for an academic year. Students may have been enrolled in more than one institution during the same academic year. In the summary reports, for students with more than one postsecondary enrollment or graduation record in an academic year, the last record is reported for that academic year. When drilling thru from a given cell in the report, you will retrieve only the student enrollment records provided by NSC that meet the criteria for that cell, with an indicator to identify the record included in the summary report (Included in Summary Count? Y/N). When drilling thru from Total Enrollment in College cell in the summary report, you will retrieve all student enrollment records provided by NSC with an indicator to identify the record included in the summary report (Included in Summary Count? Y/N). This means that a student with an enrollment in a 2-year college in the fall immediately following graduation and an enrollment in a 4-year college in the spring of the same academic year (latest record) will be counted in the summary report as being enrolled in a 4-year college. When drilling through from the 4-year college cell in the summary report, the enrollment record in the 4-year college will be displayed with Included in Summary Count? = Y. When drilling through from the 2-year college cell in the summary report, the enrollment record in 2-year college will be displayed, but Included in Summary Count? = N.

Overview of reports:

Common variables in the reports and their definitions

- **District and School**: Select the district and school for which you wish to retrieve records.
- **Data Refresh Date**: Month\Day\Year format of the date when the data presented in the report was last refreshed in L2RPT.
- **Cohort**: 4-year cohort of students included in the reports (2008 Total Cohort - 4 Year Outcome, 2007 Total Cohort - 4 Year Outcome, or 2006 Total Cohort - 4 Year Outcome).
- **Subgroup**: This feature provides the user with options for disaggregating the data in the report to show all students, or by the following subgroups of students: Female, Male, American Indian/Alaskan Native, Black, Hispanic, Asian/Pacific Islander, White, Multiracial, General Education Students, Students with Disabilities, Former Students with Disabilities,

- **By HS Enrollment Outcome**: This feature provides the user with options for disaggregating the data in the report to show HS Graduates only, HS Graduates (as of June of year 4) and Non-Graduates (as of June of year 4).

**SIRS-601 Postsecondary Enrollment Summary Report**

The Postsecondary Enrollment Summary Report provides information on the number and percentage of students within a particular cohort of entering high school students who have enrolled in a postsecondary education institution as well as the types of postsecondary education institution these students enrolled in.

Users have the option of disaggregating the data in this report in the following ways:

- **By Subgroup**: This feature provides the user with options for disaggregating the data in the table to show all students, or by the following subgroups of students: Female, Male, American Indian/Alaskan Native, Black, Hispanic, Asian/Pacific Islander, White, Multiracial, General Education Students, Students with Disabilities, Former Students with Disabilities, Not Limited English Proficient, Limited English Proficient, Former Limited English Proficient, Economically Disadvantaged, Not Economically Disadvantaged, Migrant, Not Migrant.

- **By HS Enrollment Outcome**: This feature provides the user with options for disaggregating the data in the table to show all students, or by the following subgroups of students: all who enrolled (Total Enrollment), 4 Year Graduates, 4 Year NonGraduates.

The report summarizes student data on the following variables obtained from the NSC:

**Postsecondary Academic Year**: Indicates the postsecondary academic year of enrollment being reported.

**Total Cohort Count**: The number of students in the cohort subgroup being reported as of June 30 of the 4th year after first entering grade 9. (This count will match what is reported in the Total Cohort Report for the same cohort and reporting date.)

**Total Enrolled in Postsecondary**: The number and percentage of students in the cohort who enrolled in postsecondary education in a specific academic year, as indicated by a matching record from the NSC. For students with more than one postsecondary enrollment record in an academic year, the last record is reported in the summary report for that academic year. When drilling through from this cell, you will retrieve all student enrollment records provided by NSC with an indicator to identify the record included in the summary report (Included in Summary Count? Y/N).
By Institutional Level: This section of data separately displays the number and percentage of students enrolled in postsecondary by 4-year institutions, 2-year institutions, or other types of institutions.

By Institution Location: This section of data separately displays the number and percentage of students enrolled in postsecondary inside the state of New York and the number/percentage enrolled in institutions outside of New York.

By Institution Type: This section of data displays the number and percentage of students enrolled in postsecondary in public and private institutions.

When drilling through from any location on this report, the Postsecondary Enrollment of Students Detail Report will open, displaying information from the Student Information Repository System (SIRS) as was reported in the Total Cohort report as well as college enrollment information as provided by NSC.

Student and High School Related Variables

Student ID & NYSSIS ID: District level ID and New York State Student Information System (NYSSIS) ID associated with the student.

Included in Summary Count (Y/N)?: Indicates the postsecondary enrollment record that is included in the summary report.

Student Name and Demographic Information: The following five data fields contain demographic information for the student, including disability status, gender, race/ethnicity, limited English proficiency status, and economically disadvantaged status. Student demographic data are sourced from SIRS and are the same as appear in the Total Cohort Report.

Year 4 Graduate: A yes/no indicator of whether the student was a four-year graduate from the district or school. High school graduation data are sourced from SIRS and are the same as appear in the Total Cohort Report.

Diploma & Date: High school diploma earned and date attained. If no high school diploma has been earned, date reflects the last date of high school enrollment. Diploma data are sourced from SIRS and are the same as appear in the Total Cohort Report.

College Related Variables: The following data are from the National Student Clearing House.

College Name: Name of the college attended by the student.

Enrollment Begin and End Data: Dates students were enrolled in the college.
College Information (College State, 2/4 Year, Public/Private): This section of data presents general information about the student’s college, including the state in which the student’s college is located, whether the college is a two- or four-year institution, and whether it is a public or private institution.

Student Information (College Major, Full/Part Time Status): This section of data contains information on the student’s status, including the selected major and whether the student is enrolled part or full time.

SIRS-604 Postsecondary Graduation Summary Report

The Postsecondary Graduation of students by high school cohort report provides information on the number of students within a particular cohort of entering high school students and the percentage who have enrolled in and graduated from a postsecondary education institution, as well as the types of postsecondary education institutions from which they graduated.

Users have the option of disaggregating the data in this report in the following ways:

- **By Subgroup**: This feature provides the user with options for disaggregating the data in the table to show all students, or by the following subgroups of students: Female, Male, American Indian/Alaskan Native, Black, Hispanic, Asian/Pacific Islander, White, Multiracial, General Education Students, Students with Disabilities, Former Students with Disabilities, Not Limited English Proficient, Limited English Proficient, Former Limited English Proficient, Economically Disadvantaged, Not Economically Disadvantaged, Migrant, Not Migrant.

- **By HS Enrollment Outcome**: This feature provides the user with options for disaggregating the data in the table to show all students, or by the following subgroups of students: all who enrolled (Total Enrollment), 4 Year Graduates, 4 Year NonGraduates.

The report summarizes student data on the following variables obtained from the NSC:

**Postsecondary Academic Year**: Indicates the postsecondary academic year of enrollment being reported.

**Total Cohort Count**: The number of students in the cohort subgroup being reported as of June of year 4 after first entry in grade 9. (This count will match what is reported in the Total Cohort Report for the same cohort and reporting date.)

**Total Enrolled in Postsecondary**: The number and percentage of students in the cohort who enrolled in postsecondary education in a specific academic year, as indicated by a matching record from the NSC. For students with more than one postsecondary enrollment record in an academic year, the last record is reported in the summary report for that academic year. When drilling
through from this cell, you will retrieve all student enrollment records provided by NSC with an indicator to identify the record included in the summary report (Included in Summary Count? Y/N).

**Total Graduates from Postsecondary:** The number and percentage of students in the cohort who graduated from a postsecondary institution, as indicated by a matching record from the NSC.

**By Institutional Level:** This section of data separately displays the number and percentage of students graduating from 4-year institutions, 2-year institutions, or other types of institutions.

**By Institution Location:** This section contains the number and percentage of students graduating from institutions inside the state of New York and the number/percentage graduating institutions outside of New York.

**By Institution Type:** This section presents the number and percentage of students graduating from public and private institutions separately.

When drilling through from any location on this report, the Postsecondary Graduation of Students Detail Report will open, displaying information from SIRS as was reported in the Total Cohort report as well as college enrollment information as provided by NSC.

*Student and High School Related Variables*

**Student ID & NYSSIS ID:** District level ID and New York State Student Information System (NYSSIS) ID associated with the student.

**Included in Summary Count (Y/N)?:** Indicates the postsecondary enrollment record that is included in the summary report.

**Student Name and Demographic Information:** These data fields contain demographic information for the student, including disability status, gender, race/ethnicity, limited English proficiency status, and economically disadvantaged status. Student demographic data are sourced from SIRS and are the same as appear in the Total Cohort Report.

**Year 4 Graduate:** A yes/no indicator of whether the student was a four-year graduate from the district or school. High school graduation data are sourced from SIRS and are the same as appear in the Total Cohort Report.

**Diploma & Date:** High school diploma earned and date attained. If no high school diploma has been earned, date reflects the last date of high school enrollment. Diploma data are sourced from SIRS and are the same as appear in the Total Cohort Report.

*College Related Variables: The following data are from the National Student Clearing House.*

**College Name:** Name of the college attended by the student.
**College Information (College State, 2/4 Year, Public/Private):** This section of data presents general information about the student’s college, including the state in which the student’s college is located, whether the college is a two- or four-year institution, and whether it is a public or private institution.

**Student Information (College Major, Full/Part Time Status, Diploma Awarded):** This section contains information on the student’s status, including selected major, whether the student is enrolled part or full time, and the diploma or credential awarded to the student, if applicable.