

Maryland Higher Education Commission  
Data Dictionary

***ELEMENT TITLE:***

**Mother's Educational Attainment**

DEFINITION: As reported on the FAFSA, the level of education achieved by the mother.

FORMAT: numeric - 1 digit

CODES: 1 = Middle School/Junior High  
2 = High School  
3 = College or Beyond  
4 = Other/unknown  
Blank is Valid

COMMENTS:

RELATED TO: Father's Educational Attainment, Financial Aid Application Status

GLOSSARY:

SYSTEMS: FAIS

SYSNAME:

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