

Field Description	Field Abbreviation	Field Length	Field Type	Field Version
Employment activity	XACTIV02	2	Char	1.3.1

VALID ENTRIES

01	Full-time work
02	Part-time work
03	Primarily in work and also studying
04	Primarily studying and also in work
05	Full-time study
06	Part-time study
07	Due to start work
08	Unemployed
09	Other
XX	Ineligibility or explicit refusal

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

This field describes the activity of a leaver in the DLHE return, based on a matrix of Status of data collection (Student.STATUS), Most important activity (Student.MIMPACT) and All activities (Student.ALLACT).

Ineligibility or explicit refusal code XX includes those who are returned in Student.STATUS as explicitly refusing to provide information, are deceased, or are returned in Student.MIMPACT or Student.ALLACT as either ineligible to return data in these fields or explicitly refuse to do so.

Where more than one activity is returned for a leaver in Student.ALLACT, Student.MIMPACT identifies the most important activity. Where the most important activity is not identified by the leaver, and the higher education provider (HEP) is unable to contact the leaver to establish it, the HEP may judge which activity is the most important.

Schema validation exists to enforce that Student.MIMPACT is completed and returned once for all leavers (Minimum occurrences 1 and Maximum occurrences 1). The specification assumes that the activity code returned in Student.MIMPACT for a leaver has been returned in Student.ALLACT1, ALLACT2, ALLACT3, ALLACT4, ALLACT5, ALLACT6, ALLACT7 or ALLACT8.

DEPENDENT FIELDS

none

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

The technical specification is to be completed top down, for example:

Where Student.STATUS = 01, 02, 03, 04, 05 or 06 and Student.MIMPACT = 4 then:

If **any** of Student.ALLACT1, ALLACT2, ALLACT3, ALLACT4, ALLACT5, ALLACT6, ALLACT7 or ALLACT8 are coded 1, then return 01 as XACTIV02.

Else if **any** of Student.ALLACT1, ALLACT2, ALLACT3, ALLACT4, ALLACT5, ALLACT6, ALLACT7 or ALLACT8 are coded 2 (with code 1 not already found by previous row), then return 02 as XACTIV02.

Else if **any** of Student.ALLACT1, ALLACT2, ALLACT3, ALLACT4, ALLACT5, ALLACT6, ALLACT7 or ALLACT8 are coded 5 (with code 1 or code 2 not already found by previous rows), then return 05 as XACTIV02.

Otherwise return 07 as XACTIV02 (i.e. any of Student.ALLACT1, ALLACT2, ALLACT3, ALLACT4, ALLACT5, ALLACT6, ALLACT7 or ALLACT8 are only coded 4, 6, 7, 8, 9 or X).

Note:

Validation rules exist to prevent Student.MIMPACT and Student.ALLACT being returned as X 'Ineligibility or explicit refusal' other than when Student.STATUS is coded 07 'Deceased' or 08 'Reply received explicitly refusing to provide information'. However this validation is switchable (statutory customer approval required) and therefore the technical specification has been written to account for this (however slight) possibility.

(Complete top down)

Student.STATUS (CHAR 2)	Student.MIMPACT (CHAR 1)	Any of Student.ALLACT1, ALLACT2, ALLACT3, ALLACT4, ALLACT5, ALLACT6, ALLACT7, ALLACT8 (CHAR 1)	XACTIV02
01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06	1	5, 6	03
		Otherwise	01
	2	5, 6	03
		Otherwise	02
	4	1	01
		2	02
		5	05
		Otherwise	07
	5	1, 2	04
		Otherwise	05
	6	1, 2	04
		Otherwise	06
	7, 8		09
	9		08
X		XX	
07, 08			XX

Revision 1.3.1 2014-08-29 (Technical specification updated to take account of removal of valid entry 3 'Unemployed and looking for work' from both MIMPACT and ALLACT and its replacement with valid entry 9 'Unemployed'. Higher education profile (HEP) name change applied to field)