

## LIST OF FREQUENTLY USED EDUCATION ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

<b>ADM</b>	Average Daily Membership (a measure of student headcount)
<b>AIG</b>	Academically or Intellectually Gifted
<b>AP</b>	Advanced Placement
<b>Approps / Ed Approps</b>	Appropriations Committee / Education Appropriations Committee
<b>ARPA</b>	American Rescue Plan Act
<b>ASU</b>	Appalachian State University
<b>ATR</b>	Advanced Teaching Roles
<b>BOG</b>	University of North Carolina Board of Governors
<b>CARES Act</b>	Coronavirus Aid, Relief & Economic Security Act
<b>CC</b>	Community College
<b>CIHS</b>	Cooperative and Innovative High School
<b>Con Ed</b>	Continuing Education
<b>CPFF</b>	Civil Penalty and Forfeiture Fund
<b>CRF</b>	Coronavirus Relief Fund
<b>CRRSAA</b>	Coronavirus Response & Relief Supplemental Appropriations
<b>CTE</b>	Career & Technical Education
<b>CWD</b>	Children with Disabilities (often called exceptional children)
<b>DPI</b>	Department of Public Instruction
<b>DSSF</b>	Disadvantaged Student Supplemental Funding
<b>EC</b>	Exceptional Children (current term for children with disabilities)
<b>ECSU</b>	Elizabeth City State University
<b>ECU</b>	East Carolina University
<b>Ed</b>	Education
<b>EPSA</b>	Excellent Public Schools Act
<b>ERP</b>	Enterprise Resource Planning
<b>ESA</b>	Education Savings Account
<b>ESEA</b>	Elementary and Secondary Education Act
<b>ESSA</b>	Every Student Succeeds Act
<b>ESSER / ESSERF</b>	Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund
<b>EVAAS</b>	Education Value-Added Assessment System
<b>FRD / Fiscal</b>	Fiscal Research Division
<b>FSU</b>	Fayetteville State University
<b>FTE</b>	Full-Time Equivalent (either referring to students or employees)
<b>FY</b>	Fiscal Year
<b>GEER / GEERF</b>	Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund
<b>G.S.</b>	General Statute
<b>HEER / HEERF</b>	Higher Education Emergency Relief Funds
<b>IB</b>	International Baccalaureate
<b>IDEA</b>	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act
<b>IEP</b>	Individualized Educational Plan
<b>IPEDS</b>	Integrated Post-secondary Education Data System
<b>ISD</b>	Innovative School District
<b>LEA</b>	Local Education Agency (local school district)

<b>LEP</b>	Limited English Proficiency
<b>LMS</b>	Learning Management System
<b>MOE</b>	Maintenance of Effort <b>or</b> Months of Employment
<b>NAEP</b>	National Assessment of Educational Progress
<b>NBPTS</b>	National Board for Professional Teaching Standards
<b>NCA&amp;T</b>	NC Agricultural and Technical State University
<b>NCCAT</b>	North Carolina Center for the Advancement of Teaching
<b>NCCCS</b>	North Carolina Community College System
<b>NCCU</b>	North Carolina Central University
<b>NCGA/GA</b>	NC General Assembly
<b>NCICU</b>	North Carolina Independent Colleges and Universities
<b>NCLB</b>	No Child Left Behind
<b>NCSU</b>	North Carolina State University
<b>NCVPS</b>	North Carolina Virtual Public School
<b>NR</b>	Nonrecurring
<b>OPS/OSP</b>	Opportunity Scholarship Program
<b>OSBM</b>	Office of State Budget and Management
<b>PESA</b>	Personal Education Student Accounts
<b>PET</b>	Program Enhancement Teachers
<b>PP</b>	Pay Period
<b>PPE</b>	Per Pupil Expenditure <b>or</b> Personal Protective Equipment
<b>R</b>	Recurring
<b>RtA</b>	Read to Achieve
<b>PSU</b>	Public School Unit
<b>RttT</b>	Race to the Top
<b>SBCC</b>	State Board of Community Colleges
<b>SBE</b>	State Board of Education
<b>SCH</b>	Student Credit Hour
<b>SEAA</b>	NC State Education Assistance Authority
<b>Sec.</b>	Section number (in a bill)
<b>S.L.</b>	Session Law
<b>SP</b>	Special Provision
<b>SRO</b>	School Resource Officer / School Safety Officer
<b>TAs</b>	Teacher Assistants
<b>UERS</b>	Uniform Education Reporting System
<b>UNC</b>	University of North Carolina System
<b>UNCA</b>	University of North Carolina at Asheville
<b>UNCC</b>	University of North Carolina at Charlotte
<b>UNC-CH</b>	University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
<b>UNCG</b>	University of North Carolina at Greensboro
<b>UNCP</b>	University of North Carolina at Pembroke
<b>UNCSA</b>	University of North Carolina School of the Arts
<b>UNCSO</b>	University of North Carolina System Office
<b>UNCW</b>	University of North Carolina at Wilmington
<b>WCU</b>	Western Carolina University
<b>WSSU</b>	Winston-Salem State University