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Tuition Guarantee

Kent State University

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KSU Tuition Guarantee Policy

- Begins Fall of 2018, all new freshman and transfer students who have never attended KSU and are seeking a degree are assigned a cohort (rate).
- New freshman are guaranteed a base tuition, room, and board rates for 4 years or 12 terms (includes fall, spring, and summer regardless of a student's enrollment status). If a student starts in the summer, they are assigned to the next fall term cohort.
- Transfer students are assigned a cohort based upon how many credit hours they transfer in. They are guaranteed at least one year at the tuition guaranteed rate.

KSU Tuition Guarantee Policy

- Returning students who have previously been assigned a cohort will be assessed at the originally assigned rate until it expires, otherwise students who attended prior to Fall 2018 will be ineligible to receive the cohort rate.
- KSU has 8 campuses. There are lower tuition guarantee rates established for the regional campuses and whether the course is an upper or lower division course. Students are assessed based upon the cohort rate of the campus and level of the course for which the student is enrolled.

KSU Tuition Guarantee Policy

- Fees not included: Non-resident surcharge, course fees, health insurance, textbooks, supplies, charges, and fines, as well as additional tuition over the allowable 18 credit hour cap.
- After a student's rate code expires, they will be assessed at the next lowest rate code.
- An appeals committee will be established to evaluate requests for exceptions such as needing an additional term to finish their degree program, or an extended leave of absences.

KSU Tuition Guarantee Policy

<https://www.kent.edu/bursar/tuition-guarantee-program-faq>

Credits Transferred	Cohort	Years Guarantee Available
< 30 credits	Current cohort	4 years available
30 - 59 credits	Prior cohort	3 years available
60 - 89 credits	2 years prior	2 years available
90 credits or more	3 years prior	1 year available

Tuition Guarantee Implementation

Options for tracking rate code

What is available on SFARGFE (Fee Assessment rules)?

Student Rate Code vs Student Attribute

SGASTDN – Student Rate Code

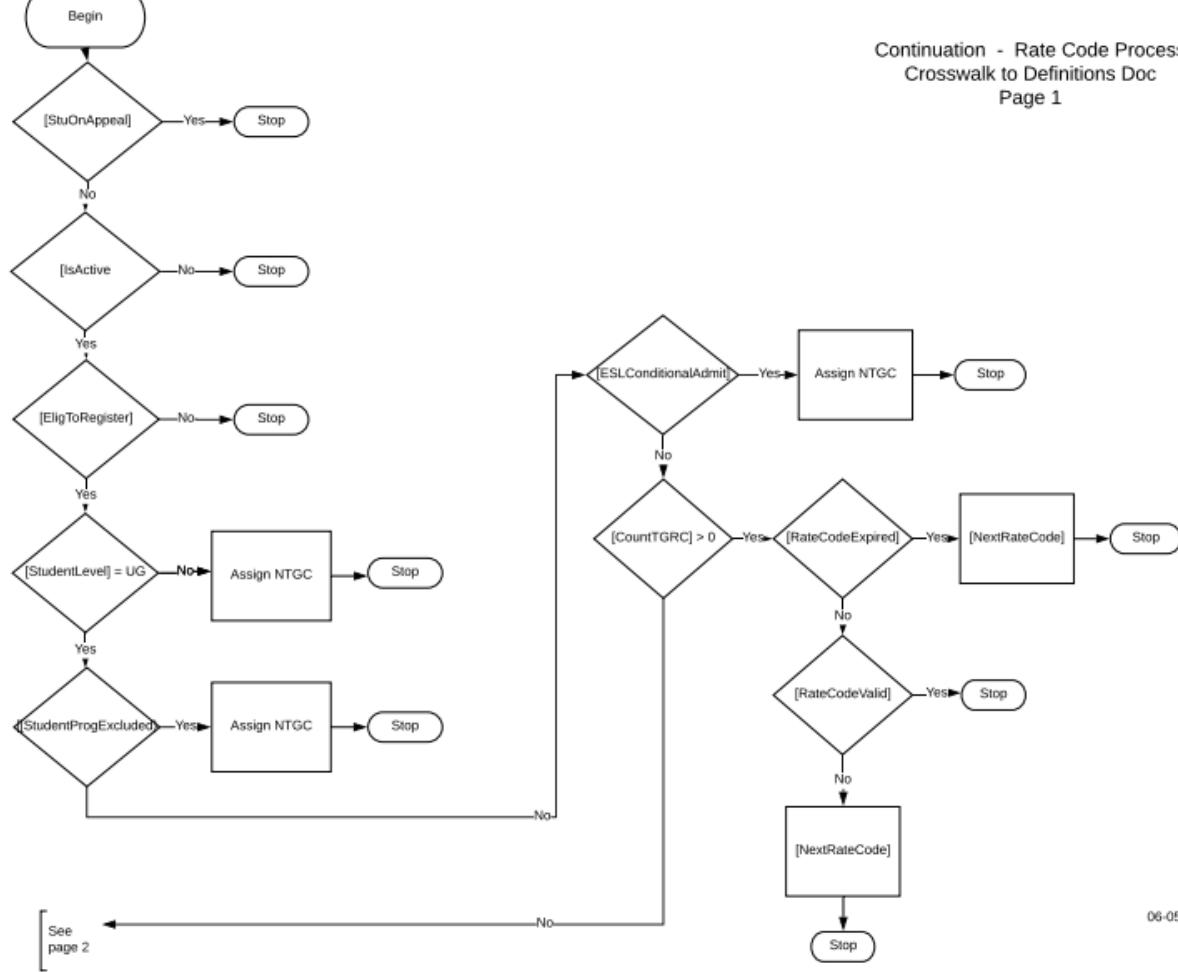
SGASADD – too much access (Student Attribute)

Tuition Guarantee Implementation

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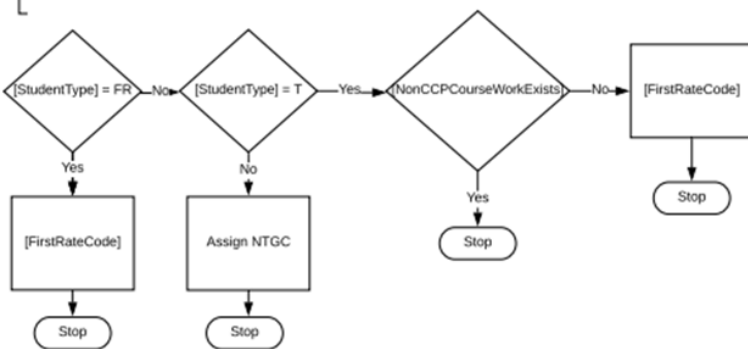
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Student Curriculum	Registration Criteria	Student/Course
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Student Rate	2015	
Residence	R	



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Tuition Guarantee Implementation

Project Phases

- Happy Path – Deadline to have ready for Financial Aid. Quick decisions, not long term solution. Ok for first term.
- Non-Happy path – Sad 😞
Long term solution. Identified and resolved challenges
- Next phase: Appeals, Support

Tuition Guarantee Financial Modifications

1 – Fee Assessment

SFAFMAX – Registration Fees Minimum/Maximum Charge Control (Banner Core), Set at highest rate of all Rate Codes because it does not allow for multiple rates.

TWPKSTG – Kent State Tuition Guarantee (Custom Job), assigns Student Rate Code. Inserts or updates SGASTDN Learner record.

SFARGFE – Registration Fee Assessment Rules (Banner Core), requires a set of fee rules for each Student Rate Code assigned.

TWPCTRL – Accounts Receivable Control (Custom Job), exports/loads a table containing the tuition and fee caps by term and cohort rate as well as the per credit hour rate for additional tuition above the allowable 18 credit hours per term.

TWPFCAP – Student AR Tuition Cap (Custom Job), sums students tuition, compares to caps, and inserts a cap adjustment if needed. Was modified to pull cap based upon the student's rate code

Tuition Guarantee Financial Modifications

TWPFADD – Student Addl Credit Hour Fee (Custom Job), modified to pull additional credit hour charge based upon the student's rate code.

TWPCSFC – Career Services Fee Cap Process (Custom Job), modified to pull cap from the control table based upon the student's rate code.

Challenges: Fee Rules, Caps, Regional Campuses

2 – Distribution of Revenue to Finance

FWPTIDP – Tuition Income Distribution Process (KSU custom job)

Challenges: Smooth, except tried to change a few other things at the same time and there were complications

Quick deadlines for quick implementation.

Tuition Guarantee Implementation Challenges

Audit and Update mode

- Initially, we tried to run job nightly to update SGASTDN.
- Impact to Admissions – daily insert to SGASTDN caused problems, changed this to only update once per term.
- Running job in Audit mode updates custom table.
- Running job in Update mode will update SGASTDN.
- Financial Aid and other areas can view code on custom table.

Tuition Guarantee Implementation Challenges

- Synching issue between admissions record and learner record
- ESL Conditionally Admitted
- Appeals process
- SSB for student to view Rate Code – need to add description for expiration term
- Communication and Training for users

Tuition Guarantee Project Team

Admissions

Bursar

Financial Aid

Information Services

Office of Global Education and ESL Department

Registrar

Thank You!

