# SMB Private Education Loan Trust 2016-A Monthly Servicing Report

# Distribution Date 10/17/2016

# Collection Period 09/01/2016 - 09/30/2016

SMB Education Funding LLC - Depositor Sallie Mae Bank - Servicer and Administrator Deutsche Bank National Trust Company - Indenture Trustee Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas - Trustee

Student Loan Portfolio	Characteristics	Settlement Date 05/26/2016	08/31/2016	09/30/2016
Principal Balance		\$ 585,861,635.84	\$ 575,756,525.41	\$ 571,649,987.6
Interest to be Capitalized	d Balance	32,367,510.93	34,615,164.60	35,999,662.7
Pool Balance		\$ 618,229,146.77	\$ 610,371,690.01	\$ 607,649,650.4
Weighted Average Coup	bon (WAC)			
WAC1 (Contractua	I Interest Rate on the Loan)	8.26%	8.36%	8.36
WAC2 (Average of	Applicable Interest Rate)	8.23%	8.33%	8.32
WAC3 (Average of	Actual Interest Rate)	8.16%	8.25%	8.25
Weighted Average Rem	aining Term	134.18	132.34	131.9
Number of Loans		53,959	53,283	53,01
Number of Borrowers		52,283	51,211	50,95
Pool Factor Since Issued Total Cons	stant Prepayment Rate (1)		0.987290381 5.55%	0.9828874 5.52
Debt Securities	Cusip/Isin	09/15/201	6	10/17/201
A1	78449FAA9	\$122,877,497.6		\$117,795,201.7
A2A	78449FAB7	\$122,077,497.0		\$218,000,000.0
A2B	78449FAC5	\$134,000,000.0		\$134,000,000.0
В	78449FAD3	\$50,000,000.0		\$50,000,000.0
Certificates	Cusip/Isin	09/15/201	6	10/17/201
Residual	78449F101	\$ 100,000.0	0	\$100,000.0
Account Balances		09/15/201	6	10/17/201
Reserve Account Balan	ce	\$ 1,557,854.0	0	\$ 1,557,854.0
Asset / Liability		09/15/201	6	10/17/201
Overcollateralization Pe	rcentage	14.019	6	14.46%
Specified Overcollateral	ization Amount	\$183,111,507.0	0	\$182,294,895.1
Actual Overcollateraliza	tion Americant	\$85,494,192.3	9	\$87,854,448.62

(1) For additional information, see 'Since Issued CPR Methodology' found on page 11 of this report.

### II. 2016-A Trust Activity 09/01/2016 through 09/30/2016

А	Student Loan Principal Receipts	
	Borrower Principal	4,431,409.28
	Consolidation Activity Principal	0.00
	Seller Principal Reimbursement	0.00
	Servicer Principal Reimbursement	0.00
	Delinquent Principal Purchases by Servicer	0.00
	Other Principal Deposits	54,167.00
	Total Principal Receipts	\$ 4,485,576.28
В	Student Loan Interest Receipts	
	Borrower Interest	1,960,478.10
	Consolidation Activity Interest	0.00
	Seller Interest Reimbursement	0.00
	Servicer Interest Reimbursement	0.00
	Delinquent Interest Purchases by Servicer	0.00
	Other Interest Deposits	1,348.22
	Total Interest Receipts	\$ 1,961,826.32
С	Recoveries on Realized Losses	\$ 25,027.36
D	Investment Income	\$ 1,784.53
Е	Funds Borrowed from Next Collection Period	\$ 0.00
F	Funds Repaid from Prior Collection Period	\$ 0.00
G	Loan Sale or Purchase Proceeds	\$ 0.00
Н	Initial Deposits to Distribution Account	\$ 0.00
I	Excess Transferred from Other Accounts	\$ 0.00
J	Borrower Benefit Reimbursements	\$ 0.00
к	Other Deposits	\$ 0.00
L	Other Fees Collected	\$ 0.00
М	AVAILABLE FUNDS	\$ 6,474,214.49
Ν	Non-Cash Principal Activity During Collection Period	\$ 379,038.52
0	Aggregate Purchased Amounts by the Depositor, Servicer or Seller	\$ 55,515.22
Р	Aggregate Loan Substitutions	\$ 0.00

				Loans by	Repayment Stat	us					
				09/30/2016					08/31/2016		
		Wtd Avg Coupon	# Loans	Principal	% of Principal	% of Loans in Repay (1)	Wtd Avg Coupon	# Loans	Principal	% of Principal	% of Loans in Repay (1)
INTERIM:	IN SCHOOL	8.90%	11,091	\$119,045,411.36	20.825%	- %	8.90%	11,636	\$124,271,937.09	21.584%	- %
	GRACE	8.66%	4,582	\$47,343,039.27	8.282%	- %	8.63%	4,170	\$43,573,689.94	7.568%	- %
	DEFERMENT	8.91%	1,368	\$13,078,386.46	2.288%	- %	9.00%	1,194	\$11,327,420.52	1.967%	- %
REPAYMENT:	CURRENT	7.92%	34,173	\$370,927,570.80	64.887%	94.580%	7.92%	34,569	\$376,198,056.06	65.340%	94.860%
	31-60 DAYS DELINQUENT	9.10%	409	\$4,324,461.84	0.756%	1.103%	9.19%	367	\$3,766,753.82	0.654%	0.950%
	61-90 DAYS DELINQUENT	9.49%	158	\$1,944,362.42	0.340%	0.496%	9.42%	148	\$1,535,172.68	0.267%	0.387%
	> 90 DAYS DELINQUENT	9.50%	85	\$867,100.97	0.152%	0.221%	9.33%	78	\$980,459.50	0.170%	0.247%
	FORBEARANCE	8.37%	1,153	\$14,119,654.53	2.470%	3.600%	8.42%	1,121	\$14,103,035.80	2.449%	3.556%
TOTAL			53,019	\$571,649,987.65	100.00%	100.00%		53,283	\$575,756,525.41	100.00%	100.00%

\* Percentages may not total 100% due to rounding

1 Loans classified in "Repayment" include any loan for which interim interest only, \$25 fixed payments or full principal and interest payments are due.

				09/30/2016					08/31/2016		
		Wtd Avg Coupon	# Loans	Principal	% of Principal	% of Loans in P&I Repay (2)	Wtd Avg Coupon	# Loans	Principal	% of Principal	% of Loans i P&I Repay (2
INTERIM:	IN SCHOOL	8.36%	23,713	\$274,857,591.66	48.081%	- %	8.36%	24,847	\$287,059,245.25	49.858%	- 9
	GRACE	8.09%	9,152	\$103,837,445.21	18.165%	- %	8.05%	8,339	\$95,696,575.06	16.621%	_ 0
	DEFERMENT	8.53%	2,614	\$25,567,561.91	4.473%	- %	8.61%	2,265	\$21,780,297.13	3.783%	- 9
P&I REPAYMENT:	CURRENT	8.05%	15,831	\$147,113,622.17	25.735%	87.888%	8.07%	16,204	\$151,646,781.71	26.339%	88.568%
	31-60 DAYS DELINQUENT	9.13%	336	\$3,623,009.18	0.634%	2.164%	9.25%	303	\$3,163,098.97	0.549%	1.8479
	61-90 DAYS DELINQUENT	9.46%	141	\$1,740,653.33	0.304%	1.040%	9.41%	133	\$1,421,183.14	0.247%	0.830%
	> 90 DAYS DELINQUENT	9.58%	79	\$790,449.66	0.138%	0.472%	9.42%	71	\$886,308.35	0.154%	0.518%
	FORBEARANCE	8.37%	1,153	\$14,119,654.53	2.470%	8.435%	8.42%	1,121	\$14,103,035.80	2.449%	8.2379
TOTAL			53,019	\$571,649,987.65	100.00%	100.00%		53,283	\$575,756,525.41	100.00%	100.00%

2 Loans classified in "P&I Repayment" includes only those loans for which scheduled principal and interest payments are due.

WAC reflects WAC3

	<u>9/30/2016</u>	<u>8/31/2016</u>
Pool Balance	\$607,649,650.41	\$610,371,690.01
Total # Loans	53,019	53,283
Total # Borrowers	50,958	51,211
Weighted Average Coupon	8.32%	8.33%
Weighted Average Remaining Term	131.91	132.34
Percent of Pool - Cosigned	91.9%	91.9%
Percent of Pool - Non Cosigned	8.1%	8.1%
Borrower Interest Accrued for Period	\$3,722,980.73	\$3,973,371.98
Outstanding Borrower Interest Accrued	\$38,026,128.43	\$36,695,440.43
Gross Principal Realized Loss - Periodic	\$187,956.42	\$303,496.91
Gross Principal Realized Loss - Cumulative	\$903,382.41	\$715,425.99
Recoveries on Realized Losses - Periodic	\$25,027.36	\$5,413.61
Recoveries on Realized Losses - Cumulative	\$37,429.88	\$12,402.52
Net Losses - Periodic	\$162,929.06	\$298,083.30
Net Losses - Cumulative	\$865,952.53	\$703,023.47
Non-Cash Principal Activity - Capitalized Interest	\$537,440.42	\$512,576.56
Since Issued Total Constant Prepayment Rate (CPR) (1)	5.52%	5.55%
Loan Substitutions	\$0.00	\$0.00
Cumulative Loan Substitutions	\$0.00	\$0.00
Unpaid Servicing Fees	\$0.00	\$0.00
Unpaid Administration Fees	\$0.00	\$0.00
Unpaid Carryover Servicing Fees	\$0.00	\$0.00
Note Interest Shortfall	\$0.00	\$0.00
Loans in Modification	\$2,326,763.91	\$1,711,511.26
% of Loans in Modification as a % of Loans in Repayment (P&I)	1.39%	1.00%
% Annualized Gross Principal Realized Loss - Periodic as a % of Loans in Repayment (P&I) * 12	1.35%	2.13%
	1.0070	2.1370
% Gross Principal Realized Loss - Cumulative as a % of Original Pool Balance	0.15%	0.12%

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# A Loan Program

	Weighted Average Coupon	# LOANS	\$ AMOUNT	% *
- Smart Option Interest-Only Loans	7.09%	12,400	\$ 123,237,825.75	21.558%
- Smart Option Fixed Pay Loans	8.29%	14,535	\$ 183,474,980.50	32.096%
- Smart Option Deferred Loans	8.72%	26,084	\$ 264,937,181.40	46.346%
- Other Loan Programs	0.00%	0	\$ 0.00	0.000%
Total	8.25%	53,019	\$ 571,649,987.65	100.000%

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Index Type				
	Weighted Average Coupon	# LOANS	\$ AMOUNT	% *
- Fixed Rate Loans	9.46%	9,118	\$ 103,821,199.79	18.162%
- LIBOR Indexed Loans	7.98%	43,901	\$ 467,828,787.86	81.838%
- Other Index Rates	0.00%	0	\$ 0.00	0.000%
Total	8.25%	53,019	\$ 571,649,987.65	100.000%

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## Weighted Average Recent FICO

0 - 639	2,522	\$ 21,580,895.93	3.7759
640 - 669	3,088	\$ 29,412,008.12	5.1459
670 - 699	6,687	\$ 67,079,139.51	11.7349
700 - 739 740 +	13,066	\$ 140,038,744.72	24.497
	27,645	\$ 313,479,714.86	54.8389
N/A(1)	11	\$ 59,484.51	0.010
Total	53,019	\$ 571,649,987.65	100.000

WAC reflects WAC3

V.	2016-A Reserve Account, Principal Distribution, and R-2 Certificate Calculations	
A.	Reserve Account	
	Specified Reserve Account Balance	\$ 1,557,854.00
	Actual Reserve Account Balance	\$ 1,557,854.00
В.	Principal Distribution Amount	
	i. Class A Notes Outstanding	\$ 299,924,728.00
	ii. Pool Balance	\$ 607,649,650.41
	iii. First Priority Principal Distribution Amount (i - ii)	\$ 0.00
	iv. Class A and B Notes Outstanding	\$ 524,877,497.62
	v. First Priority Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00
	vi. Pool Balance	\$ 607,649,650.41
	vii. Specified Overcollateralization Amount	\$ 182,294,895.12
	viii. Available Funds (after payment of waterfall items A through H)	\$ 0.00
	ix. Regular Principal Distribution Amount (if (iv > 0, (iv - v) - (vi - vii))	\$ 99,522,742.33
	x. Pool Balance	\$ 607,649,650.41
	xi. 10% of Initial Pool Balance	\$ 61,822,914.68
	xii. First Priority Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00
	xiii. Regular Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 99,522,742.33
	xiv. Available Funds (after payment of waterfall items A through J)	\$ 0.00
	xv. Additional Principal Distribution Amount (if(x <= ix,min(xiv, x - xii - xiii)))	\$ 0.00
C.	R-2 Certificate	
	Previous Notional Balance	\$ 37,490,591.00
	Shortfall of Principal	\$ 0.00
	Shortfall of Interest	\$ 0.00
	Current Notional Balance	\$ 37,490,591.00
	Excess Distribution Allocated (1)	\$ 0.00

1. Until the notional amount of the R-2 Certificate is reduced to zero and if there is excess cash through the distribution available it will be distributed to the R-2 Certificate, otherwise the amount will be zero

		Paid	Funds Balance
Total	Available Funds		\$ 6,474,214.49
A	Trustee Fees	\$ 0.00	\$ 6,474,214.49
В	Servicing Fees	\$ 383,837.68	\$ 6,090,376.81
С	i. Administration Fees	\$ 8,333.00	\$ 6,082,043.81
	ii. Unreimbursed Administrator Advances plus any Unpaid	\$ 0.00	\$ 6,082,043.81
D	Class A Noteholders Interest Distribution Amount	\$ 865,335.54	\$ 5,216,708.27
Е	First Priority Principal Payment	\$ 0.00	\$ 5,216,708.27
F	Class B Noteholders Interest Distribution Amount	\$ 134,412.44	\$ 5,082,295.83
G	Reinstatement Reserve Account	\$ 0.00	\$ 5,082,295.83
н	Regular Principal Distribution	\$ 5,082,295.83	\$ 0.00
I	Carryover Servicing Fees	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
J	Additional Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
К	Unpaid Expenses of Trustee	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
L	Unpaid Expenses of Administrator	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
М	i. Remaining Funds to the R-1 Certificateholder(s)	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
	ii. Remaining Funds to the R-2 Certificateholder(s)	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

Distribution Amounts			
	A1	A2A	A2B
Cusip/Isin		78449FAB7	78449FAC5
Beginning Balance	\$ 122,877,497.62	\$ 218,000,000.00	\$ 134,000,000.00
Index	LIBOR	FIXED	LIBOR
Spread/Fixed Rate	0.70%	2.70%	1.50%
Record Date (Days Prior to Distribution)	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY
Accrual Period Begin	9/15/2016	9/15/2016	9/15/2016
Accrual Period End	10/17/2016	10/15/2016	10/17/2016
Daycount Fraction	0.08888889	0.08333333	0.08888889
Interest Rate*	1.22428%	2.70000%	2.02428%
Accrued Interest Factor	0.001088249	0.002250000	0.001799360
Current Interest Due	\$ 133,721.30	\$ 490,500.00	\$ 241,114.24
Interest Shortfall from Prior Period Plus Accrued Interest	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total Interest Due	\$ 133,721.30	\$ 490,500.00	\$ 241,114.24
Interest Paid	\$ 133,721.30	\$ 490,500.00	\$ 241,114.24
Interest Shortfall	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Principal Paid	\$5,082,295.83	\$ -	\$ -
Ending Principal Balance	\$ 117,795,201.79	\$ 218,000,000.00	\$ 134,000,000.00
Paydown Factor	0.034109368	0.00000000	0.00000000
Ending Balance Factor	0.790571824	1.00000000	1.00000000

\* Pay rates for Current Distribution. For the interest rates applicable to the next distribution date, please see https://www.salliemae.com/about/investors/data/SMBabrate.txt.

VII. 2016-A Distributions

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Distribution Amounts	
	В
Cusip/Isin	78449FAD3
Beginning Balance	\$ 50,000,000.00
Index	LIBOR
Spread/Fixed Rate	2.50%
Record Date (Days Prior to Distribution)	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY
Accrual Period Begin	9/15/2016
Accrual Period End	10/17/2016
Daycount Fraction	0.0888889
Interest Rate*	3.02428%
Accrued Interest Factor	0.002688249
Current Interest Due	\$ 134,412.44
Interest Shortfall from Prior Period Plus Accrued Interest	\$ -
Total Interest Due	\$ 134,412.44
Interest Paid	\$ 134,412.44
Interest Shortfall	\$ -
Principal Paid	\$ -
Ending Principal Balance	\$ 50,000,000.00
Paydown Factor	0.00000000
Ending Balance Factor	1.00000000

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#### 2016-A Methodology VIII.

### Since Issued Total CPR

$$\textbf{TOTAL CPR} = 1 - \left(\frac{APB}{PPB}\right)^{\left(\frac{12}{MSC}\right)}$$

APB = Actual period-end Pool Balance PPB = Projected period-end Pool Balance assuming no prepayments and no defaults Pool Balance = Sum(Principal Balance + Interest Accrued to Capitalize Balance) MSC = Months Since Cut-Off

### Since-Issued Total Constant Prepayment Rate (CPR)

Since-Issued Total CPR measures prepayments, both voluntary and involuntary, for a trust student loan pool over the life of a transaction. For each trust distribution, the actual month-end pool balance is compared against a month-end pool balance originally projected at issuance assuming no prepayments and defaults. For purposes of Since-Issued Total CPR calculations, projected period end pool balance assumes in-school status loans have up to a six month grace period before moving to repayment, grace status loans remain in grace status until their status end date and then to move to full principal and interest repayment, loans subject to interim interest or fixed payments during their in-school and grace period continue paying interim interest or fixed payments until full principal and interest repayment begins, all other trust loans are in full principal and interest repayment status, and that no trust loan in full principal and interest repayment moves from full principal and interest repayment status to any other status.

### Weighted Average Coupon

WAC1 =  $((CIR)^*(APB))$ APR



APB = Actual period-end Pool Balance

CIR = Average of the Contractual Interest Rate (1)

APCL = Average of the Applicable Interest Rate (2)

ACTL = Average of the Actual Interest Rate (3)

### Weighted Average Coupon (WAC)

(1) Contractual Interest Rate represents the interest rate indicated in the Promissory Note

(2) Appliclable Interest Rate represents the interest rate after rate reductions, if applicable, are applied

(3) Actual Interest Rate represents the interest rate when borrower incentive programs and rate reductions, if applicable, are applied