# SMB Private Education Loan Trust 2017-B Monthly Servicing Report

Distribution Date 10/15/2021

Collection Period 09/01/2021 - 09/30/2021

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

А	Student Loan Portfolio	Characteristics	Settlement Date 11/08/2017	08/31/2021	09/30/2021
	Principal Balance		\$ 701,477,893.40	\$ 372,516,644.58	\$ 364,618,879.16
	Interest to be Capitalize	d Balance	46,726,543.99	17,192,111.54	17,206,324.64
	Pool Balance		\$ 748,204,437.39	\$ 389,708,756.12	\$ 381,825,203.80
	Weighted Average Cour		8.86%	7.86%	7.86%
	Weighted Average Rem		135.09	127.42	127.41
	Number of Loans		66,252	35,542	35,024
	Number of Borrowers		63,554	34,269	33,766
	Pool Factor			0.520858654	0.510322025
	Since Issued Total Cons	stant Prepayment Rate (1)		11.53%	11.56%
в	Debt Securities	Cusip/Isin	09/15/2021		10/15/2021
	A2A	83189DAB6	\$149,273,406.62		\$145,576,020.58
	A2B	83189DAC4	\$73,522,722.66		\$71,701,622.08
	В	83189DAD2	\$50,000,000.00		\$50,000,000.00
С	Certificates	Cusip/Isin	09/15/2021		10/15/2021
	Residual	83189D100	\$ 100,000.00		\$100,000.00
D	Account Balances		09/15/2021		10/15/2021
	Reserve Account Balan	ce	\$ 1,891,480.00		\$ 1,891,480.00
E	Asset / Liability		09/15/2021		10/15/2021
	Overcollateralization Pe	ercentage	30.00%		30.00%
	Specified Overcollateral		\$116,912,626.84		\$114,547,561.14
	Actual Overcollateraliza		\$116,912,626.84		\$114,547,561.14

(1) For additional information, see 'Since Issued CPR Methodology' found in section VIII of this report .

## II. 2017-B Trust Activity 09/01/2021 through 09/30/2021

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Student Loan Principal Receipts	
Borrower Principal	7,590,019.19
Seller Principal Reimbursement	0.00
Servicer Principal Reimbursement	0.00
Other Principal Deposits	104,844.80
Total Principal Receipts	\$ 7,694,863.99

## B Student Loan Interest Receipts

508.13
0.00
0.00
2,014,083.80

С	Recoveries on Realized Losses	\$ 53,019.83
D	Investment Income	\$ 228.83
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	\$ 9,762,704.58
Ν	Non-Cash Principal Activity During Collection Period	\$(202,901.43)
0	Aggregate Purchased Amounts by the Depositor, Servicer or Seller	\$ 105,352.93
Р	Aggregate Loan Substitutions	\$ 0.00

	Loans by Repayment Status										
				09/30/2021					08/31/2021		
		Wtd Avg Coupon	# Loans	Principal and Interest Accrued to Capitalize	% of Principal	% of Loans in Repay (1)	Wtd Avg Coupon	# Loans	Principal and Interest Accrued to Capitalize	% of Principal	% of Loans in Repay (1)
INTERIM:	IN SCHOOL	8.86%	1,080	\$16,490,909.74	4.319%	- %	8.83%	1,146	\$17,212,454.27	4.417%	- %
	GRACE	8.92%	704	\$10,598,938.26	2.776%	- %	8.96%	659	\$10,060,113.71	2.581%	- %
	DEFERMENT	8.62%	2,674	\$34,447,955.82	9.022%	- %	8.61%	2,545	\$33,047,385.44	8.480%	- %
REPAYMENT:	CURRENT	7.67%	29,046	\$299,173,417.53	78.354%	93.408%	7.67%	29,667	\$308,038,603.60	79.043%	93.518%
	30-59 DAYS DELINQUENT	8.22%	437	\$6,317,973.29	1.655%	1.973%	8.21%	414	\$5,630,548.05	1.445%	1.709%
	60-89 DAYS DELINQUENT	7.87%	189	\$2,668,002.12	0.699%	0.833%	8.17%	201	\$2,922,973.07	0.750%	0.887%
	90+ DAYS DELINQUENT	8.02%	139	\$2,142,071.94	0.561%	0.669%	8.24%	119	\$1,896,745.56	0.487%	0.576%
	FORBEARANCE	8.10%	755	\$9,985,935.10	2.615%	3.118%	7.95%	791	\$10,899,932.42	2.797%	3.309%
TOTAL			35,024	\$381,825,203.80	100.00%	100.00%		35,542	\$389,708,756.12	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.

				09/30/2021		<u> </u>			08/31/2021		
		Wtd Avg Coupon	# Loans	Principal and Interest Accrued to Capitalize	% of Principal	% of Loans in P&I Repay (2)	Wtd Avg Coupon	# Loans	Principal and Interest Accrued to Capitalize	% of Principal	% of Loans in P&I Repay (2)
INTERIM:	IN SCHOOL	8.45%	2,006	\$29,184,726.88	7.643%	- %	8.43%	2,157	\$31,137,151.19	7.990%	- %
	GRACE	8.47%	1,303	\$19,530,221.95	5.115%	- %	8.48%	1,207	\$18,431,480.46	4.730%	- %
	DEFERMENT	8.28%	4,732	\$58,280,677.08	15.264%	- %	8.28%	4,501	\$55,747,681.82	14.305%	- %
P&I REPAYMENT:	CURRENT	7.63%	25,486	\$253,942,836.04	66.508%	92.400%	7.64%	26,177	\$263,329,404.88	67.571%	92.594%
	30-59 DAYS DELINQUENT	8.21%	420	\$6,150,726.14	1.611%	2.238%	8.23%	396	\$5,404,571.27	1.387%	1.900%
	60-89 DAYS DELINQUENT	7.87%	186	\$2,631,579.26	0.689%	0.958%	8.15%	195	\$2,857,141.97	0.733%	1.005%
	90+ DAYS DELINQUENT	8.01%	136	\$2,118,501.35	0.555%	0.771%	8.26%	117	\$1,868,207.04	0.479%	0.657%
	FORBEARANCE	8.10%	755	\$9,985,935.10	2.615%	3.634%	7.93%	792	\$10,933,117.49	2.805%	3.844%
TOTAL			35,024	\$381,825,203.80	100.00%	100.00%		35,542	\$389,708,756.12	100.00%	100.00%

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Pool Balance Total # Loans	<u>9/30/2021</u> \$381,825,203.80	<u>8/31/2021</u>
Total # Loans		\$389,708,756.12
	35,024	35,542
Total # Borrowers	33,766	34,269
Weighted Average Coupon	7.86%	7.86%
Weighted Average Remaining Term	127.41	127.42
Percent of Pool - Cosigned	92.7%	92.7%
Percent of Pool - Non Cosigned	7.3%	7.3%
Borrower Interest Accrued for Period	\$2,365,319.88	\$2,491,103.76
Outstanding Borrower Interest Accrued	\$20,471,155.50	\$20,560,001.19
Gross Principal Realized Loss - Periodic *	\$595,590.63	\$410,926.70
Gross Principal Realized Loss - Cumulative *	\$21,653,384.66	\$21,057,794.03
Recoveries on Realized Losses - Periodic	\$53,019.83	\$67,283.48
Recoveries on Realized Losses - Cumulative	\$2,633,264.93	\$2,580,245.10
Net Losses - Periodic	\$542,570.80	\$343,643.22
Net Losses - Cumulative	\$19,020,119.73	\$18,477,548.93
Non-Cash Principal Activity - Capitalized Interest	\$394,455.92	\$599,774.80
Since Issued Total Constant Prepayment Rate (CPR) (1)	11.56%	11.53%
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	\$27,900,040.47	\$28,647,330.20
% of Loans in Modification as a % of Loans in Repayment (P&I)	10.54%	10.48%
% Annualized Gross Principal Realized Loss - Periodic as a % of Loans in Repayment (P&I) * 12	2.70%	1.80%
% Gross Principal Realized Loss - Cumulative as a % of Original Pool Balance	2.89%	2.81%

\* In accordance with the Servicer's current policies and procedures, after September 1, 2017 loans subject to bankruptcy claims generally will not be reported as a charged- off unless and until they are delinquent for 120 days.

(1) For additional information, see 'Since Issued CPR Methodology' found in section VIII of this report .

# A Loan Program

	Weighted Average	# LOANS	\$ AMOUNT	% *
- Smart Option Interest-Only Loans	6.84%	7,580	\$ 57,580,085.01	15.080%
- Smart Option Fixed Pay Loans	7.84%	8,504	\$ 112,923,782.05	29.575%
- Smart Option Deferred Loans	8.16%	18,940	\$ 211,321,336.74	55.345%
- Other Loan Programs	0.00%	0	\$ 0.00	0.000%
Total	7.86%	35,024	\$ 381,825,203.80	100.000%

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Index Type

	Weighted Average	# LOANS	\$ AMOUNT	% *
- Fixed Rate Loans	8.17%	7,592	\$ 94,084,957.10	24.641%
- LIBOR Indexed Loans	7.76%	27,432	\$ 287,740,246.70	75.359%
- Other Index Rates	0.00%	0	\$ 0.00	0.000%
Total	7.86%	35,024	\$ 381,825,203.80	100.000%

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# Weighted Average Recent FICO

\$ 23,372,907.76 \$ 22,782,280.24 \$ 41,081,019.34 \$ 83,158,821.13	6.121% 5.967% 10.759% 21.779%
\$ 41,081,019.34	10.759%
\$ 83,158,821.13	21.779%
\$ 211,430,175.33	55.374%
\$ 0.00	0.000%
\$ 381,825,203.80	100.000%
	\$ 381,825,203.80

V.	2017-B Reserve Account, Principal Distribution, and R-2 Certificate Calculations		
A.	Reserve Account		
	Specified Reserve Account Balance	\$ 1,891,480.00	
	Actual Reserve Account Balance	\$ 1,891,480.00	
В.	Principal Distribution Amount		
	i. Class A Notes Outstanding	\$ 222,796,129.28	
	ii. Pool Balance	\$ 381,825,203.80	
	iii. First Priority Principal Distribution Amount (i - ii)	\$ 0.00	
	iv. Class A and B Notes Outstanding	\$ 272,796,129.28	
	v. First Priority Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00	
	vi. Pool Balance	\$ 381,825,203.80	
	vii. Specified Overcollateralization Amount	\$ 114,547,561.14	
	viii. Regular Principal Distribution Amount (if (iv > 0, (iv - v) - (vi - vii))	\$ 5,518,486.62	
	ix. Pool Balance	\$ 381,825,203.80	
	x. 10% of Initial Pool Balance	\$ 74,820,443.74	
	xi. First Priority Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00	
	xii. Regular Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 5,518,486.62	
	xiii. Available Funds (after payment of waterfall items A through I)	\$ 3,439,708.51	
	xiv. Additional Principal Distribution Amount (if(vi <= x,min(xiii, vi - xi - xii)))	\$ 0.00	
C.	R-2 Certificate		
•	Previous Notional Balance	\$ 45,942,940.00	
	Shortfall of Principal	\$ 0.00	
	Shortfall of Interest	\$ 0.00	
	Current Notional Balance	\$ 45,942,940.00	
	Excess Distribution Allocated (1)	\$ 962,757.22	
D.	R-3 Certificate		
	Previous Notional Balance	\$ 16,771,801.97	
	Remaining Principal Collections (2)	\$ 0.00	
	Current Notional Balance	\$ 16,176,211.34	
	1. Until the notional amount of the R-2 Certificate is reduced to zero and if there is excess cash through amount will be zero	the distribution available it will be distributed to the R-2 Certificate, otherw	vise the

2. Payments will be made after the principal balance of each class of notes has been reduced to zero and the pool balance is less than or equal to the principal balance of the R-3 Certificate

	Paid	Funds Balance
Total Available Funds		\$ 9,762,704.58
A Trustee Fees	\$ 0.00	\$ 9,762,704.58
B Servicing Fees	\$ 248,376.63	\$ 9,514,327.95
C i. Administration Fees	\$ 8,333.00	\$ 9,505,994.95
ii. Unreimbursed Administrator Advances plus any Unpaid	\$ 91.00	\$ 9,505,903.95
D Class A Noteholders Interest Distribution Amount	\$ 401,875.49	\$ 9,104,028.46
E First Priority Principal Payment	\$ 0.00	\$ 9,104,028.46
F Class B Noteholders Interest Distribution Amount	\$ 145,833.33	\$ 8,958,195.13
G Reinstatement Reserve Account	\$ 0.00	\$ 8,958,195.13
H Regular Principal Distribution	\$ 5,518,486.62	\$ 3,439,708.51
I Carryover Servicing Fees	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,439,708.51
J Additional Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,439,708.51
K Unpaid Expenses of Trustee	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,439,708.51
L Unpaid Expenses of Administrator	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,439,708.51
M i. Remaining Funds to the R-1 Certificateholder(s)	\$ 2,476,951.29	\$ 962,757.22
ii. Remaining Funds to the R-2 Certificateholder(s)	\$ 962,757.22	\$ 0.00

Distribution Amounts			
	A2A	A2B	В
Cusip/Isin	83189DAB6	83189DAC4	83189DAD2
Beginning Balance	\$ 149,273,406.62	\$ 73,522,722.66	\$ 50,000,000.00
Index	FIXED	LIBOR	FIXED
Spread/Fixed Rate	2.82%	0.75%	3.50%
Record Date (Days Prior to Distribution)	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY
Accrual Period Begin	9/15/2021	9/15/2021	9/15/2021
Accrual Period End	10/15/2021	10/15/2021	10/15/2021
Daycount Fraction	0.08333333	0.08333333	0.08333333
nterest Rate*	2.82000%	0.83375%	3.50000%
Accrued Interest Factor	0.002350000	0.000694792	0.002916667
Current Interest Due	\$ 350,792.51	\$ 51,082.98	\$ 145,833.33
nterest Shortfall from Prior Period Plus Accrued Interest	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total Interest Due	\$ 350,792.51	\$ 51,082.98	\$ 145,833.33
nterest Paid	\$ 350,792.51	\$ 51,082.98	\$ 145,833.33
nterest Shortfall	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Principal Paid	\$3,697,386.04	\$ 1,821,100.58	\$ -
Ending Principal Balance	\$ 145,576,020.58	\$ 71,701,622.08	\$ 50,000,000.00
Paydown Factor	0.013796217	0.013796217	0.00000000
Ending Balance Factor	0.543194107	0.543194107	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. 2017-B Distributions

#### VIII. 2017-B Methodology

## 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

## EU RISK RETENTION

As of the date of this report, Sallie Mae Bank confirms that (i) it retains, through its ownership of the Depositor (its wholly-owned subsidiary), a material net economic interest of not less than 5% of the aggregate principal balance of the Trust Student Loans in accordance with the EU Retention Rules; (ii) the retained interest is held via ownership of the R Certificate; and (iii) the retained interest is not subject to any credit risk mitigation, any short position or any other credit risk hedge and has not been sold except as permitted by the EU Retention Rules.