# SMB Private Education Loan Trust 2019-A Monthly Servicing Report

Distribution Date 12/15/2020

Collection Period 11/01/2020 - 11/30/2020

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 03/13/2019	10/31/2020	11/30/2020
Principal Balance		\$ 465,550,965.63	\$ 360,959,411.44	\$ 360,045,690.41
Interest to be Capitalize	d Balance	30,664,911.27	26,764,711.95	23,351,000.22
Pool Balance		\$ 496,215,876.90	\$ 387,724,123.39	\$ 383,396,690.63
Weighted Average Coup	pon (WAC)	9.89%	8.36%	8.36%
Weighted Average Rem		135.15	131.13	130.80
Number of Loans		41,505	33,004	32,625
Number of Borrowers		40,411	32,182	31,813
Pool Factor			0.781361785	0.772640918
Since Issued Total Cons	stant Prepayment Rate (1)		12.86%	12.71%
Debt Securities	Cusip/Isin	11/16/2020		12/15/2020
A2A	78449TAB7	\$214,326,753.76	3	\$210,036,565.09
A2B	78449TAC5	\$49,384,044.64	Ļ	\$48,395,521.90
В	78449TAD3	\$35,000,000.00	)	\$35,000,000.00
Certificates	Cusip/Isin	11/16/2020	)	12/15/2020
Residual	78449T101	\$ 100,000.00	)	\$100,000.00
Account Balances		11/16/2020		12/15/2020
Reserve Account Balan	се	\$ 1,266,020.00		\$ 1,266,020.00
Asset / Liability		11/16/2020		12/15/2020
Overcollateralization Pe		22.96%		23.47%
Specified Overcollatera	lization Amount	\$96,931,030.85	5	\$95,849,172.66
Actual Overcollateraliza	ition Amount	\$89,013,324.99	)	\$89,964,603.64

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

# II. 2019-A Trust Activity 11/01/2020 through 11/30/2020

А	Student Loan Principal Receipts	
	Borrower Principal	4,480,079.20
	Consolidation Activity Principal	0.00
	Seller Principal Reimbursement	(2,469.67)
	Servicer Principal Reimbursement	0.00
	Delinquent Principal Purchases by Servicer	0.00
	Other Principal Deposits	29,671.13
	Total Principal Receipts	\$ 4,507,280.66
В	Student Loan Interest Receipts	
	Borrower Interest	1,755,877.53
	Consolidation Activity Interest	0.00
	Seller Interest Reimbursement	(272.47)
	Servicer Interest Reimbursement	0.00
	Delinquent Interest Purchases by Servicer	0.00
	Other Interest Deposits	613.05
	Total Interest Receipts	\$ 1,756,218.11
С	Recoveries on Realized Losses	\$ 35,344.01
D	Investment Income	\$ 125.69
E	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	\$ 6,298,968.47
Ν	Non-Cash Principal Activity During Collection Period	\$ 3,593,559.63
0	Aggregate Purchased Amounts by the Depositor, Servicer or Seller	\$ 30,284.18
Р	Aggregate Loan Substitutions	\$ 0.00

	Loans by Repayment Status										
			11/30/2020			10/31/2020					
		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	9.50%	3,302	\$46,580,957.05	12.150%	- %	9.49%	3,302	\$46,411,717.20	11.970%	- %
	GRACE	9.29%	662	\$9,719,118.44	2.535%	- %	9.30%	1,447	\$20,550,160.52	5.300%	- %
	DEFERMENT	8.88%	2,051	\$26,502,180.66	6.912%	- %	8.87%	2,028	\$26,097,178.66	6.731%	- %
REPAYMENT:	CURRENT	8.06%	25,056	\$278,941,611.55	72.755%	92.797%	8.02%	24,605	\$272,057,990.08	70.168%	92.328%
	31-60 DAYS DELINQUENT	8.95%	359	\$4,740,408.44	1.236%	1.577%	8.82%	335	\$4,240,287.11	1.094%	1.439%
	61-90 DAYS DELINQUENT	8.71%	157	\$2,060,053.73	0.537%	0.685%	8.96%	203	\$2,808,232.04	0.724%	0.953%
	> 90 DAYS DELINQUENT	9.73%	139	\$2,103,196.22	0.549%	0.700%	9.59%	125	\$1,913,910.42	0.494%	0.650%
	FORBEARANCE	8.50%	899	\$12,749,164.54	3.325%	4.241%	8.44%	959	\$13,644,647.36	3.519%	4.631%
TOTAL			32,625	\$383,396,690.63	100.00%	100.00%		33,004	\$387,724,123.39	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.

			11/30/2020			·					
		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	9.04%	6,269	\$86,621,520.08	22.593%	- %	9.03%	6,263	\$86,401,207.81	22.284%	- %
	GRACE	8.67%	1,359	\$20,467,373.32	5.338%	- %	8.68%	2,978	\$42,822,681.43	11.045%	- %
	DEFERMENT	8.48%	3,744	\$46,388,657.38	12.099%	- %	8.48%	3,703	\$45,729,620.81	11.794%	- %
P&I REPAYMENT:	CURRENT	7.99%	19,742	\$208,817,035.78	54.465%	90.822%	7.92%	18,483	\$190,728,477.52	49.192%	89.640%
	31-60 DAYS DELINQUENT	8.96%	331	\$4,411,008.35	1.151%	1.919%	8.81%	298	\$3,773,135.48	0.973%	1.773%
	61-90 DAYS DELINQUENT	8.65%	145	\$1,870,311.08	0.488%	0.813%	8.94%	195	\$2,710,442.56	0.699%	1.274%
	> 90 DAYS DELINQUENT	9.75%	136	\$2,071,620.10	0.540%	0.901%	9.59%	125	\$1,913,910.42	0.494%	0.900%
	FORBEARANCE	8.50%	899	\$12,749,164.54	3.325%	5.545%	8.44%	959	\$13,644,647.36	3.519%	6.413%
TOTAL		—	32,625	\$383,396,690.63	100.00%	100.00%		33,004	\$387,724,123.39	100.00%	100.00%

To conform with company standard reporting these sections now include Princial and Interest Accrued to Capitalize .

	<u>11/30/2020</u>	<u>10/31/2020</u>
Pool Balance	\$383,396,690.63	\$387,724,123.39
Total # Loans	32,625	33,004
Total # Borrowers	31,813	32,182
Weighted Average Coupon	8.36%	8.36%
Weighted Average Remaining Term	130.80	131.13
Percent of Pool - Cosigned	92.4%	92.4%
Percent of Pool - Non Cosigned	7.6%	7.6%
Borrower Interest Accrued for Period	\$2,442,568.40	\$2,551,326.77
Outstanding Borrower Interest Accrued	\$26,210,081.45	\$29,639,581.51
Gross Principal Realized Loss - Periodic *	\$481,561.84	\$365,677.63
Gross Principal Realized Loss - Cumulative *	\$5,480,893.32	\$4,999,331.48
Recoveries on Realized Losses - Periodic	\$35,344.01	\$18,841.18
Recoveries on Realized Losses - Cumulative	\$510,710.98	\$475,366.97
Net Losses - Periodic	\$446,217.83	\$346,836.45
Net Losses - Cumulative	\$4,970,182.34	\$4,523,964.51
Non-Cash Principal Activity - Capitalized Interest	\$4,074,977.90	\$577,500.42
Since Issued Total Constant Prepayment Rate (CPR) (1)	12.71%	12.86%
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	\$14,124,571.76	\$13,728,764.27
% of Loans in Modification as a % of Loans in Repayment (P&I)	6.50%	6.89%
% Annualized Gross Principal Realized Loss - Periodic as a % of Loans in Repayment (P&I) * 12	2.66%	2.20%
% Gross Principal Realized Loss - Cumulative as a % of Original Pool Balance	1 10%	1 01%
	1.10%	1.01%

\* 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 on page 11 of this report.

# A Loan Program

	Weighted Average Coupon	# LOANS	\$ AMOUNT	% *
- Smart Option Interest-Only Loans	7.26%	7,904	\$ 69,354,572.29	18.090%
- Smart Option Fixed Pay Loans	8.36%	8,041	\$ 115,905,928.11	30.231%
- Smart Option Deferred Loans	8.75%	16,680	\$ 198,136,190.23	51.679%
- Other Loan Programs	0.00%	0	\$ 0.00	0.000%
Total	8.36%	32,625	\$ 383,396,690.63	100.000%

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Weighted Average Coupon	# LOANS	\$ AMOUNT	% *
9.33%	11,323	\$ 139,231,755.78	36.315%
7.81%	21,302	\$ 244,164,934.85	63.685%
0.00%	0	\$ 0.00	0.000%
8.36%	32,625	\$ 383,396,690.63	100.000%
	7.81% 0.00%	7.81% 21,302   0.00% 0	7.81% 21,302 \$ 244,164,934.85   0.00% 0 \$ 0.00

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# Weighted Average Recent FICO

0 - 639	2,026	\$ 22,176,875.85	5.784%
640 - 669	1,763	\$ 20,292,239.71	5.293%
670 - 699	3,412	\$ 40,335,419.35	10.521%
700 - 739	6,975	\$ 82,426,360.04	21.499%
740 +	18,448	\$ 218,150,300.64	56.899%
N/A <sub>(1)</sub>	1	\$ 15,495.04	0.004%
Total	32,625	\$ 383,396,690.63	100.000%

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<i>'</i> .	2019-	A Reserve Account and Principal Distribution Calculations		
Α.	Res	serve Account		
	Spe	cified Reserve Account Balance	\$ 1,266,020.00	
	Act	ual Reserve Account Balance	\$ 1,266,020.00	
В.	Priı	ncipal Distribution Amount		
	i.	Class A Notes Outstanding	\$ 263,710,798.40	
	ii.	Pool Balance	\$ 383,396,690.63	
	iii.	First Priority Principal Distribution Amount (i - ii)	\$ 0.00	
	iv.	Class A and B Notes Outstanding	\$ 298,710,798.40	
	v.	First Priority Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00	
	vi.	Pool Balance	\$ 383,396,690.63	
	vii.	Specified Overcollateralization Amount	\$ 95,849,172.66	
	viii.	Regular Principal Distribution Amount (if (iv > 0, (iv - v) - (vi - vii))	\$ 11,163,280.43	
	ix.	Pool Balance	\$ 383,396,690.63	
	Х.	10% of Initial Pool Balance	\$ 49,621,587.69	
	xi.	First Priority Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00	
	xii.	Regular Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 11,163,280.43	
	xiii.	Available Funds (after payment of waterfall items A through I)	\$ 0.00	
	xiv.	Additional Principal Distribution Amount (if(vi <= x,min(xiii, vi - xi - xii)))	\$ 0.00	

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		Paid	Funds Balance
Total	Available Funds		\$ 6,298,968.47
A	Trustee Fees	\$ 0.00	\$ 6,298,968.47
в	Servicing Fees	\$ 240,639.61	\$ 6,058,328.86
С	i. Administration Fees	\$ 8,333.00	\$ 6,049,995.86
	ii. Unreimbursed Administrator Advances plus any Unpaid	\$ 0.00	\$ 6,049,995.86
D	Class A Noteholders Interest Distribution Amount	\$ 654,617.78	\$ 5,395,378.08
Е	First Priority Principal Payment	\$ 0.00	\$ 5,395,378.08
F	Class B Noteholders Interest Distribution Amount	\$ 116,666.67	\$ 5,278,711.41
G	Reinstatement Reserve Account	\$ 0.00	\$ 5,278,711.41
н	Regular Principal Distribution	\$ 5,278,711.41	\$ 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	Remaining Funds to the Residual Certificateholders	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

#### **Distribution Amounts** A2B в A2A 78449TAB7 78449TAD3 Cusip/Isin 78449TAC5 **Beginning Balance** \$ 214,326,753.76 \$49,384,044.64 \$ 35,000,000.00 FIXED FIXED Index LIBOR Spread/Fixed Rate 3.44% 0.87% 4.00% Record Date (Days Prior to Distribution) **1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY 1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY 1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY** Accrual Period Begin 11/15/2020 11/16/2020 11/15/2020 Accrual Period End 12/15/2020 12/15/2020 12/15/2020 **Daycount Fraction** 0.08333333 0.08055556 0.08333333 3.44000% 4.00000% Interest Rate\* 1.01088% Accrued Interest Factor 0.002866667 0.000814320 0.003333333 Current Interest Due \$ 614,403.36 \$40,214.42 \$ 116,666.67 Interest Shortfall from Prior Period Plus Accrued Interest \$-\$-\$ -Total Interest Due \$ 614,403.36 \$40,214.42 \$ 116,666.67 Interest Paid \$ 614,403.36 \$ 116,666.67 \$40,214.42 Interest Shortfall \$-\$-\$-Principal Paid \$4,290,188.67 \$ 988,522.74 \$ -Ending Principal Balance \$ 210,036,565.09 \$48,395,521.90 \$ 35,000,000.00 Paydown Factor 0.019770455 0.019770455 0.000000000 Ending Balance Factor 0.967910438 0.967910438 1.000000000

\* 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.

2019-A Distributions

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### 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.

## 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.