

SMB Private Education Loan Trust 2021-C
Monthly Servicing Report

Distribution Date 01/18/2022

Collection Period 12/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

SMB Education Funding LLC - *Depositor*

Sallie Mae Bank - *Servicer and Administrator*

Deutsche Bank National Trust Company - *Indenture Trustee*

Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas - *Trustee*

I. Deal Parameters
A

Student Loan Portfolio Characteristics	Settlement Date 05/27/2021	11/30/2021	12/31/2021
Principal Balance	\$ 494,159,180.37	\$ 459,592,587.08	\$ 452,799,816.97
Interest to be Capitalized Balance	37,311,629.11	30,947,531.27	28,994,058.50
Pool Balance	\$ 531,470,809.48	\$ 490,540,118.35	\$ 481,793,875.47
Weighted Average Coupon (WAC)	8.67%	8.69%	8.69%
Weighted Average Remaining Term	142.43	139.89	139.41
Number of Loans	41,767	38,793	38,222
Number of Borrowers	40,535	37,678	37,125
Pool Factor		0.922986003	0.906529327
Since Issued Total Constant Prepayment Rate		14.18%	14.74%

B

Debt Securities	Cusip/Isin	12/15/2021	01/18/2022
APT	83208AAA1	\$193,249,421.56	\$188,295,902.47
A1	83208AAC7	\$51,363,116.43	\$45,899,154.07
A2	83208AAD5	\$161,800,000.00	\$161,800,000.00
B	83208AAE3	\$32,400,000.00	\$32,400,000.00
C	83208AAF0	\$36,200,000.00	\$36,200,000.00
D	83208AAG8	\$26,900,000.00	\$26,900,000.00

C

Certificates	Cusip/Isin	12/15/2021	01/18/2022
R	83208AAH6	\$ 100,000.00	\$100,000.00

D

Account Balances	12/15/2021	01/18/2022
Senior Reserve Account Balance	\$ 1,173,500.00	\$ 1,173,500.00
Subordinate Reserve Account Balance	\$ 238,750.00	\$ 238,750.00

E

Asset / Liability	12/15/2021	01/18/2022
Overcollateralization Percentage	0.00%	0.00%
Specified Clas A Overcollateralization Amount	\$147,162,035.51	\$144,538,162.64
Specified Clas B Overcollateralization Amount	\$98,108,023.67	\$96,358,775.09
Specified Clas C Overcollateralization Amount	\$58,864,814.20	\$57,815,265.06
Specified Clas D Overcollateralization Amount	\$39,243,209.47	\$38,543,510.04
Actual Overcollateralization Amount	\$0.00	\$0.00

II. 2021-C Trust Activity 12/01/2021 through 12/31/2021

A	Student Loan Principal Receipts	
	Borrower Principal	9,103,886.12
	Seller Principal Reimbursement	0.00
	Servicer Principal Reimbursement	0.00
	Other Principal Deposits	0.00
	Total Principal Receipts	\$ 9,103,886.12
B	Student Loan Interest Receipts	
	Borrower Interest	2,161,020.52
	Seller Interest Reimbursement	0.00
	Servicer Interest Reimbursement	0.00
	Other Interest Deposits	0.00
	Total Interest Receipts	\$ 2,161,020.52
C	Recoveries on Realized Losses	\$ 95,361.31
D	Investment Income	\$ 233.99
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
H	Initial Deposits to Distribution Account	\$ 0.00
I	Excess Transferred from Other Accounts	\$ 0.00
J	Borrower Benefit Reimbursements	\$ 0.00
K	Other Deposits	\$ 0.00
L	Other Fees Collected	\$ 0.00
M	AVAILABLE FUNDS	\$ 11,360,501.94
N	Non-Cash Principal Activity During Collection Period	\$ 2,311,116.01
O	Aggregate Purchased Amounts by the Depositor, Servicer or Seller	\$ 0.00
P	Aggregate Loan Substitutions	\$ 0.00

III. 2021-C Portfolio Characteristics

Loans by Repayment Status

		12/31/2021					11/30/2021				
		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	9.74%	4,787	\$72,093,757.67	14.964%	- %	9.74%	5,034	\$74,790,531.82	15.247%	- %
	GRACE	9.64%	918	\$12,205,126.77	2.533%	- %	9.60%	1,264	\$17,718,538.38	3.612%	- %
	DEFERMENT	9.26%	1,810	\$23,895,406.46	4.960%	- %	9.24%	1,915	\$24,920,568.84	5.080%	- %
REPAYMENT:	CURRENT	8.38%	29,302	\$353,773,904.68	73.428%	94.693%	8.36%	29,398	\$356,197,602.80	72.613%	95.467%
	30-59 DAYS DELINQUENT	9.27%	605	\$7,968,059.45	1.654%	2.133%	9.22%	398	\$5,751,208.43	1.172%	1.541%
	60-89 DAYS DELINQUENT	8.91%	197	\$3,014,703.25	0.626%	0.807%	9.17%	162	\$2,016,243.48	0.411%	0.540%
	90+ DAYS DELINQUENT	8.86%	127	\$1,871,452.80	0.388%	0.501%	8.80%	134	\$2,113,701.59	0.431%	0.567%
	FORBEARANCE	9.02%	476	\$6,971,464.39	1.447%	1.866%	9.00%	488	\$7,031,723.01	1.433%	1.885%
TOTAL			38,222	\$481,793,875.47	100.00%	100.00%		38,793	\$490,540,118.35	100.00%	100.00%

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

Loans by Borrower Status

		12/31/2021					11/30/2021				
		Wtd Avg Coupon	# Loans	Principal	% of Principal	% of Loans in P&I Repay (2)	Wtd Avg Coupon	# Loans	Principal	% of Principal	% of Loans in P&I Repay (2)
INTERIM:	IN SCHOOL	9.19%	9,591	\$145,379,889.78	30.175%	- %	9.19%	10,069	\$150,859,143.55	30.754%	- %
	GRACE	9.18%	1,782	\$25,009,237.64	5.191%	- %	9.04%	2,537	\$37,012,849.23	7.545%	- %
	DEFERMENT	8.77%	3,372	\$43,637,365.37	9.057%	- %	8.78%	3,542	\$45,363,056.48	9.248%	- %
P&I REPAYMENT:	CURRENT	8.30%	22,149	\$248,896,811.99	51.660%	92.953%	8.27%	21,522	\$241,179,529.04	49.166%	93.733%
	30-59 DAYS DELINQUENT	9.27%	551	\$7,230,497.44	1.501%	2.700%	9.19%	355	\$5,095,663.30	1.039%	1.980%
	60-89 DAYS DELINQUENT	8.89%	182	\$2,875,023.59	0.597%	1.074%	9.13%	152	\$1,952,864.29	0.398%	0.759%
	90+ DAYS DELINQUENT	8.77%	119	\$1,793,585.27	0.372%	0.670%	8.73%	128	\$2,045,289.45	0.417%	0.795%
	FORBEARANCE	9.02%	476	\$6,971,464.39	1.447%	2.604%	9.00%	488	\$7,031,723.01	1.433%	2.733%
TOTAL			38,222	\$481,793,875.47	100.00%	100.00%		38,793	\$490,540,118.35	100.00%	100.00%

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

* Percentages may not total 100% due to rounding

III. 2021-C Portfolio Characteristics (cont'd)

	<u>12/31/2021</u>	<u>11/30/2021</u>
Pool Balance	\$481,793,875.47	\$490,540,118.35
Total # Loans	38,222	38,793
Total # Borrowers	37,125	37,678
Weighted Average Coupon (WAC)	8.69%	8.69%
Weighted Average Remaining Term	139.41	139.89
Percent of Pool - Cosigned	92.9%	92.8%
Percent of Pool - Non Cosigned	7.1%	7.2%
Borrower Interest Accrued for Period	\$3,337,634.00	\$3,250,782.29
Outstanding Borrower Interest Accrued	\$32,409,967.31	\$34,241,818.28
Gross Principal Realized Loss - Periodic	\$642,714.25	\$795,967.75
Gross Principal Realized Loss - Cumulative	\$3,085,964.84	\$2,443,250.59
Recoveries on Realized Losses - Periodic	\$95,361.31	\$27,160.51
Recoveries on Realized Losses - Cumulative	\$252,943.59	\$157,582.28
Net Losses - Periodic	\$547,352.94	\$768,807.24
Net Losses - Cumulative	\$2,833,021.25	\$2,285,668.31
Non-Cash Principal Activity - Capitalized Interest	\$2,955,251.90	\$5,402,906.42
Since Issued Total Constant Prepayment Rate (CPR)	14.74%	14.18%
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	\$14,639,414.51	\$15,014,956.49
% of Loans in Modification as a % of Loans in Repayment (P&I)	5.61%	6.00%
% Annualized Gross Principal Realized Loss - Periodic as a % of Loans in Repayment (P&I) * 12	2.96%	3.82%
% Gross Principal Realized Loss - Cumulative as a % of Original Pool Balance	0.58%	0.46%

IV. Portfolio Statistics as of 12/31/2021

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Loan Program					
	Weighted Average Coupon	# LOANS	\$ AMOUNT	% *	
- Smart Option Interest-Only Loans	7.47%	9,023	\$ 86,738,456.19	18.003%	
- Smart Option Fixed Pay Loans	8.69%	9,684	\$ 147,965,287.02	30.711%	
- Smart Option Deferred Loans	9.12%	19,515	\$ 247,090,132.26	51.285%	
- Other Loan Programs	0.00%	0	\$ 0.00	0.000%	
Total	8.69%	38,222	\$ 481,793,875.47	100.000%	

B

Index Type					
	Weighted Average Coupon	# LOANS	\$ AMOUNT	% *	
- Fixed Rate Loans	9.60%	18,689	\$ 248,839,096.61	51.648%	
- LIBOR Indexed Loans	7.71%	19,533	\$ 232,954,778.86	48.352%	
- Other Index Rates	0.00%	0	\$ 0.00	0.000%	
Total	8.69%	38,222	\$ 481,793,875.47	100.000%	

C

Weighted Average Recent FICO					
Wtd Avg Recent FICO Band	(2)	# LOANS	\$ AMOUNT	%*	
0 - 639		1,823	\$ 21,798,647.64	4.524%	
640 - 669		2,045	\$ 24,571,822.63	5.100%	
670 - 699		4,245	\$ 53,674,282.28	11.141%	
700 - 739		8,828	\$ 113,943,448.48	23.650%	
740 +		21,279	\$ 267,786,469.05	55.581%	
N/A ₍₁₎		2	\$ 19,205.39	0.004%	
Total		38,222	\$ 481,793,875.47	100.000%	

(2) Recent FICO is updated in quarterly intervals; unless prohibited by law
 (1) Includes trust private education loans where recent FICO is unavailable or obtaining recent FICO is prohibited by law

* Percentages may not total 100% due to rounding

A. Senior Reserve Account

Beginning Senior Reserve Account Balance	\$ 1,173,500.00
Specified Reserve Account Balance	\$ 1,173,500.00
Release Amount	\$ 0.00
Reinstatement Amount	\$ 0.00
Ending Senior Reserve Account Balance	\$ 1,173,500.00

Subordinate Reserve Account

Beginning Subordinate Reserve Account Balance	\$ 238,750.00
Specified Subordinate Reserve Account Balance	\$ 238,750.00
Release Amount	\$ 0.00
Reinstatement Amount	\$ 0.00
Ending Subordinate Reserve Account Balance	\$ 238,750.00

B. Principal Distribution Amount

Class A Notes Outstanding	\$ 406,412,537.99
Pool Balance	\$ 481,793,875.47
First Priority Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00

Class A and B Notes Outstanding	\$ 438,812,537.99
Pool Balance	\$ 481,793,875.47
First Priority Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 0.00
Second Priority Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00

Class A notes, B Notes and C Notes Outstanding	\$ 475,012,537.99
Pool Balance	\$ 481,793,875.47
First Priority Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 0.00
Second Priority Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 0.00
Third Priority Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00

V. 2021-C Reserve Account and Principal Distribution Calculations (cont'd)

Class A Notes Outstanding	\$ 406,412,537.99
First, Second, and Third Priority Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 0.00
Pool Balance	\$ 481,793,875.47
Specified Class A Overcollateralization Amount	\$ 144,538,162.64
Class A Regular Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 69,156,825.16
Class A and B Notes Outstanding	\$ 438,812,537.99
First, Second, and Third Priority Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 0.00
Class A Regular Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 10,417,481.45
Pool Balance	\$ 481,793,875.47
Specified Class B Overcollateralization Amount	\$ 96,358,775.09
Class B Regular Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 42,959,956.16
Class A, B and C Notes Outstanding	\$ 475,012,537.99
First, Second, and Third Priority Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 0.00
Class A Regular Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 10,417,481.45
Class B Regular Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 0.00
Pool Balance	\$ 481,793,875.47
Specified Class C Overcollateralization Amount	\$ 57,815,265.06
Class C Regular Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 40,616,446.13
Class A Notes, B Notes, C Notes and D Notes Outstanding	\$ 501,912,537.99
First, Second, and Third Priority Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 0.00
Class A Regular Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 10,417,481.45
Class B Regular Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 0.00
Class C Regular Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 0.00
Pool Balance	\$ 481,793,875.47
Specified Class D Overcollateralization Amount	\$ 38,543,510.04
Class D Regular Principal Distribution Amount Paid	\$ 48,244,691.11
10% of Initial Notes Balance	\$ 56,490,000.00
Class A Notes, B Notes, C Notes and D Notes Outstanding	\$ 501,912,537.99
Available Funds	\$ 0.00
Additional Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00

EU AND UK RISK RETENTION

As of the date of this report, Sallie Mae Bank confirms that:

- (i) it retains a material net economic interest of not less than 5% of the principal balance of the notes and not less than 5% of the R certificates.
- (ii) 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 and UK Retention Rules.

	<u>Paid</u>	<u>Funds Balance</u>
Total Available Funds		\$ 11,360,501.94
A Trustee Fees	\$ 0.00	\$ 11,360,501.94
B Servicing Fees	\$ 306,395.06	\$ 11,054,106.88
C i. Administration Fees	\$ 8,333.00	\$ 11,045,773.88
ii. Unreimbursed Administrator Advances plus any unpaid	\$ 0.00	\$ 11,045,773.88
D Class A Noteholders Interest Distribution Amount	\$ 387,594.93	\$ 10,658,178.95
E First Priority Principal Payment	\$ 0.00	\$ 10,658,178.95
F Senior Reserve Account Reinstatement	\$ 0.00	\$ 10,658,178.95
G Class B Noteholders Interest Distribution Amount	\$ 62,100.00	\$ 10,596,078.95
H Second Priority Principal Payment	\$ 0.00	\$ 10,596,078.95
I Class C Noteholders Interest Distribution Amount	\$ 90,500.00	\$ 10,505,578.95
J Third Priority Principal Payment	\$ 0.00	\$ 10,505,578.95
K Class D Noteholders Interest Distribution Amount	\$ 88,097.50	\$ 10,417,481.45
L Subordinate Reserve Account Reinstatement	\$ 0.00	\$ 10,417,481.45
M Class A Regular Principal Distribution	\$ 10,417,481.45	\$ 0.00
N Class B Regular Principal Distribution	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
O Class C Regular Principal Distribution	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
P Class D Regular Principal Distribution	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Q Additional Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
R i. Carryover Servicing Fees	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
S ii. Unpaid Expenses of Trustee	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
T iii. Unpaid Expenses of Administrator	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
U Remaining Funds to the Residual Certificateholders	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

VII. 2021-C Distributions
Distribution Amounts

	<u>APT</u>	<u>A1</u>	<u>A2</u>
Cusip/Isin	83208AAA1	83208AAC7	83208AAD5
Beginning Balance	\$ 193,249,421.56	\$ 51,363,116.43	\$ 161,800,000.00
Index	FIXED	LIBOR	LIBOR
Spread/Fixed Rate	1.39%	0.40%	0.80%
Record Date (Days Prior to Distribution)	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY
Accrual Period Begin	12/15/2021	12/15/2021	12/15/2021
Accrual Period End	1/15/2022	1/18/2022	1/18/2022
Daycount Fraction	0.08333333	0.09444444	0.09444444
Interest Rate*	1.39000%	0.50975%	0.90975%
Accrued Interest Factor	0.001158333	0.000481430	0.000859208
Current Interest Due	\$ 223,847.25	\$ 24,727.77	\$ 139,019.91
Interest Shortfall from Prior Period Plus Accrued Interest	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total Interest Due	\$ 223,847.25	\$ 24,727.77	\$ 139,019.91
Interest Paid	\$ 223,847.25	\$ 24,727.77	\$ 139,019.91
Interest Shortfall	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Principal Paid	\$4,953,519.09	\$ 5,463,962.36	\$ -
Ending Principal Balance	\$ 188,295,902.47	\$ 45,899,154.07	\$ 161,800,000.00
Paydown Factor	0.022193186	0.064738891	0.000000000
Ending Balance Factor	0.843619635	0.543828840	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>.

VII. 2021-C Distributions
Distribution Amounts

	<u>B</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>D</u>
Cusip/Isin	83208AAE3	83208AAF0	83208AAG8
Beginning Balance	\$ 32,400,000.00	\$ 36,200,000.00	\$ 26,900,000.00
Index	FIXED	FIXED	FIXED
Spread/Fixed Rate	2.30%	3.00%	3.93%
Record Date (Days Prior to Distribution)	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY
Accrual Period Begin	12/15/2021	12/15/2021	12/15/2021
Accrual Period End	1/15/2022	1/15/2022	1/15/2022
Daycount Fraction	0.08333333	0.08333333	0.08333333
Interest Rate*	2.30000%	3.00000%	3.93000%
Accrued Interest Factor	0.001916667	0.002500000	0.003275000
Current Interest Due	\$ 62,100.00	\$ 90,500.00	\$ 88,097.50
Interest Shortfall from Prior Period Plus Accrued Interest	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total Interest Due	\$ 62,100.00	\$ 90,500.00	\$ 88,097.50
Interest Paid	\$ 62,100.00	\$ 90,500.00	\$ 88,097.50
Interest Shortfall	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Principal Paid	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Ending Principal Balance	\$ 32,400,000.00	\$ 36,200,000.00	\$ 26,900,000.00
Paydown Factor	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000
Ending Balance Factor	1.000000000	1.000000000	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>.

VIII. 2021-C Exchange Notes and Exchangeable Notes

Notes	Cusip	Maximum Allowable Principal	Allocation %	Beg. Balance	Interest	Principal	Total Distribution	End Balance
Class A-1	83208AAC7	\$51,363,116.43	100%	51,363,116.43	24,727.77	5,463,962.36	5,488,690.13	45,899,154.07
Class A-2	83208AAD5	\$161,800,000.00	100%	161,800,000.00	139,019.91	0.00	139,019.91	161,800,000.00
Class A-PL	83208AAB9	\$213,163,116.43	0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
				213,163,116.43	163,747.68	5,463,962.36	5,627,710.04	207,699,154.07

Benchmark Transition Event

On March 5, 2021, (i) the ICE Benchmark Administration Limited (the "IBA"), which took over administration of LIBOR on February 1, 2014, published the results of a consultation confirming its intention to cease the publication of one-month U.S. Dollar LIBOR, immediately following the publication of such rate on June 30, 2023, and (ii) UK's Financial Conduct Authority announced that it does not intend to sustain LIBOR by requiring panel banks to continue providing quotations of LIBOR beyond the dates for which they have notified their departure from IBA's LIBOR quotation scheme, or to require IBA to publish LIBOR beyond such dates. As a result, as of March 5, 2021, a Benchmark Transition Event has occurred with respect to the Class A-1 and A-2 Notes under the Indenture. The related Benchmark Replacement Date is expected to occur on or about June 30, 2023 (absent an intervening additional Benchmark Transition Event), at which time the Administrator will determine the applicable Benchmark Replacement, Benchmark Replacement Adjustment, if any, and any necessary Benchmark Replacement Conforming Changes in accordance with the Indenture, and one-month LIBOR will no longer be the Benchmark rate for the Class A-1 and A-2 Notes.