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

# Distribution Date 08/15/2024

# Collection Period 07/01/2024 - 07/31/2024

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

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	Student Loan Portfolio C	haracteristics	Settlement Date 10/12/2016	06/30/2024	07/31/2024
	Principal Balance		\$ 695,789,571.77	\$ 147,919,271.20	\$ 145,201,094.12
	Interest to be Capitalized I	Balance	44,552,744.60	2,817,722.71	2,838,876.00
	Pool Balance		\$ 740,342,316.37	\$ 150,736,993.91	\$ 148,039,970.12
	Weighted Average Coupor	ו (WAC)	8.30%	11.31%	11.10%
	Weighted Average Remain	ning Term	131.32	125.40	126.91
	Number of Loans		63,478	13,978	13,725
	Number of Borrowers		60,942	13,420	13,180
	Pool Factor			0.203604455	0.199961514
	Since Issued Total Consta	nt Prepayment Rate (1)		8.76%	8.64%
	Debt Securities	Cusip/Isin	07/15/202	4	08/15/2024
	A2A	78449KAB6	\$11,233,318.3		\$9,609,380.94
	A2B	78449KAC4	\$7,422,897.5	7	\$6,349,811.18
	В	78449KAD2	\$50,000,000.0	0	\$50,000,000.00
0	Certificates	Cusip/Isin	07/15/202	4	08/15/2024
	Residual	78449K100	\$ 100,000.0	0	\$100,000.00

D	Account Balances	07/15/2024	08/15/2024
	Reserve Account Balance	\$ 1,865,473.00	\$ 1,865,473.00

E	Asset / Liability	07/15/2024	08/15/2024
	Overcollateralization Percentage	54.45%	55.45%
	Specified Overcollateralization Amount	\$82,080,778.00	\$82,080,778.00
	Actual Overcollateralization Amount	\$82,080,778.00	\$82,080,778.00

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

## II. 2016-C Trust Activity 07/01/2024 through 07/31/2024

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Student Loan Principal Receipts	
Borrower Principal	2,567,272.60
Seller Principal Reimbursement	0.00
Servicer Principal Reimbursement	0.00
Other Principal Deposits	0.00
Total Principal Receipts	\$ 2,567,272.60

#### B Student Loan Interest Receipts

Total Interest Receipts	\$ 1,192,237.65
Other Interest Deposits	0.00
Servicer Interest Reimbursement	0.00
Seller Interest Reimbursement	0.00
Borrower Interest	1,192,237.65
Demonstrate Interest	1 102 237 65

С	Recoveries on Realized Losses	\$ 85,345.41
D	Investment Income	\$ 22,832.41
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	\$ 3,867,688.07
Ν	Non-Cash Principal Activity During Collection Period	\$(150,904.48)
0	Aggregate Purchased Amounts by the Depositor, Servicer or Seller	\$ 0.00
Р	Aggregate Loan Substitutions	\$ 0.00

				Loans by	Repayment Stat	us					
				07/31/2024					06/30/2024		
		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	13.24%	59	\$1,038,770.37	0.702%	- %	12.93%	61	\$1,169,482.56	0.776%	- %
	GRACE	12.11%	29	\$578,452.36	0.391%	- %	12.70%	35	\$519,533.70	0.345%	- %
	DEFERMENT	12.67%	657	\$9,920,650.72	6.701%	- %	12.66%	645	\$9,664,106.97	6.411%	- %
REPAYMENT:	CURRENT	11.09%	12,223	\$125,317,184.43	84.651%	91.806%	11.22%	12,484	\$128,407,025.93	85.186%	92.125%
	30-59 DAYS DELINQUENT	9.86%	316	\$4,710,950.57	3.182%	3.451%	10.82%	278	\$4,033,188.56	2.676%	2.894%
	60-89 DAYS DELINQUENT	8.23%	143	\$2,059,525.72	1.391%	1.509%	11.75%	176	\$2,529,513.20	1.678%	1.815%
	90+ DAYS DELINQUENT	8.93%	141	\$2,220,778.53	1.500%	1.627%	10.74%	137	\$2,152,668.64	1.428%	1.544%
	FORBEARANCE	10.56%	157	\$2,193,657.42	1.482%	1.607%	10.72%	162	\$2,261,474.35	1.500%	1.622%
TOTAL			13,725	\$148,039,970.12	100.00%	100.00%		13,978	\$150,736,993.91	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.

				07/31/2024		<u> </u>		06/30/2024				
		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	12.74%	94	\$1,765,316.51	1.192%	- %	12.68%	98	\$1,997,004.51	1.325%	- %	
	GRACE	12.45%	58	\$1,175,450.40	0.794%	- %	12.48%	66	\$1,045,709.10	0.694%	- %	
	DEFERMENT	12.41%	1,061	\$15,565,207.45	10.514%	- %	12.44%	1,051	\$15,225,692.59	10.101%	- %	
P&I REPAYMENT:	CURRENT	11.04%	11,762	\$118,444,725.46	80.009%	91.439%	11.17%	12,016	\$121,587,576.28	80.662%	91.786%	
	30-59 DAYS DELINQUENT	9.79%	309	\$4,615,308.63	3.118%	3.563%	10.80%	274	\$3,969,527.68	2.633%	2.997%	
	60-89 DAYS DELINQUENT	8.23%	143	\$2,059,525.72	1.391%	1.590%	11.75%	175	\$2,512,404.17	1.667%	1.897%	
	90+ DAYS DELINQUENT	8.93%	141	\$2,220,778.53	1.500%	1.714%	10.78%	136	\$2,137,605.23	1.418%	1.614%	
	FORBEARANCE	10.56%	157	\$2,193,657.42	1.482%	1.693%	10.72%	162	\$2,261,474.35	1.500%	1.707%	
TOTAL		—	13,725	\$148,039,970.12	100.00%	100.00%		13,978	\$150,736,993.91	100.00%	100.00%	

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	7/31/2024	6/30/2024
Pool Balance	\$148,039,970.12	\$150,736,993.91
Total # Loans	13,725	13,978
Total # Borrowers	13,180	13,420
Weighted Average Coupon	11.10%	11.31%
Weighted Average Remaining Term	126.91	125.40
Percent of Pool - Cosigned	93.2%	93.2%
Percent of Pool - Non Cosigned	6.8%	6.8%
Borrower Interest Accrued for Period	\$1,373,526.98	\$1,379,002.51
Outstanding Borrower Interest Accrued	\$4,579,755.68	\$4,622,272.19
Gross Principal Realized Loss - Periodic *	\$316,416.36	\$375,767.18
Gross Principal Realized Loss - Cumulative *	\$49,634,025.71	\$49,317,609.35
Recoveries on Realized Losses - Periodic	\$85,345.41	\$75,610.33
Recoveries on Realized Losses - Cumulative	\$7,658,278.87	\$7,572,933.46
Net Losses - Periodic	\$231,070.95	\$300,156.85
Net Losses - Cumulative	\$41,975,746.84	\$41,744,675.89
Non-Cash Principal Activity - Capitalized Interest	\$161,713.46	\$408,500.95
Since Issued Total Constant Prepayment Rate (CPR) (1)	8.64%	8.76%
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	\$22,996,888.44	\$20,314,056.05
% of Loans in Modification as a % of Loans in Repayment (P&I)	18.06%	15.60%
% Annualized Gross Principal Realized Loss - Periodic as a % of Loans in Repayment (P&I) * 12	2.98%	3.46%
% Gross Principal Realized Loss - Cumulative as a % of Original Pool Balance	6.70%	6.66%

\* 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 .

## Loan Program

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	Weighted Average Coupon	# LOANS	\$ AMOUNT	% *
- Smart Option Interest-Only Loans	10.52%	2,050	\$ 14,096,186.73	9.522%
- Smart Option Fixed Pay Loans	11.21%	3,807	\$ 47,308,339.68	31.956%
- Smart Option Deferred Loans	11.13%	7,868	\$ 86,635,443.71	58.522%
- Other Loan Programs	0.00%	0	\$ 0.00	0.000%
Total	11.10%	13,725	\$ 148,039,970.12	100.000%

\* Percentages may not total 100% due to rounding

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## Index Type

	Weighted Average Coupon	# LOANS	\$ AMOUNT	% *
- Fixed Rate Loans	7.06%	3,792	\$ 49,080,385.23	33.153%
- 1-Month CME Term SOFR Indexed Loans (1)	13.10%	9,933	\$ 98,959,584.89	66.847%
- Other Indexed Loans	0.00%	0	\$ 0.00	0.000%
Total	11.10%	13,725	\$ 148,039,970.12	100.000%

(1) 1-Month CME Term SOFR refers to the ARRC recommended consumer fallback rate

## Weighted Average Recent FICO

Wtd Avg Recent FICO Band (2)	# LOANS	\$ AMOUNT	%*
0 - 639	1,077	\$ 13,409,261.78	9.058%
640 - 669	827	\$ 10,344,003.84	6.987%
670 - 699	1,408	\$ 17,866,615.79	12.069%
700 - 739	2,648	\$ 30,388,042.43	20.527%
740 +	7,765	\$ 76,032,046.28	51.359%
N/A <sup>(1)</sup>	0	\$ 0.00	0.000%
Total	13,725	\$ 148,039,970.12	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 recen	t FICO is prohibited by law		

V.	2016-C Reserve Account, Principal Distribution, and R-2 Certificate Calculations	
A.	Reserve Account	
	Specified Reserve Account Balance	\$ 1,865,473.00
	Actual Reserve Account Balance	\$ 1,865,473.00
в.	Principal Distribution Amount	
	i. Class A Notes Outstanding	\$ 18,656,215.91
	ii. Pool Balance	\$ 148,039,970.12
	iii. First Priority Principal Distribution Amount (i - ii)	\$ 0.00
	iv. Class A and B Notes Outstanding	\$ 68,656,215.91
	v. First Priority Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00
	vi. Pool Balance	\$ 148,039,970.12
	vii. Specified Overcollateralization Amount	\$ 82,080,778.00
	viii. Regular Principal Distribution Amount (if (iv > 0, (iv - v) - (vi - vii))	\$ 2,697,023.79
	ix. Pool Balance	\$ 148,039,970.12
	x. 10% of Initial Pool Balance	\$ 74,034,231.64
	xi. First Priority Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00
	xii. Regular Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 2,697,023.79
	xiii. Available Funds (after payment of waterfall items A through I)	\$ 864,351.90
	xiv. Additional Principal Distribution Amount (if(vi <= x,min(xiii, vi - xi - xii)))	\$ 0.00
C.	R-2 Certificate	
	Previous Notional Balance	\$ 44,905,600.00
	Shortfall of Principal	\$ 0.00
	Shortfall of Interest	\$ 0.00
	Current Notional Balance	\$ 44,905,600.00
	Excess Distribution Allocated (1)	\$ 264,700.28

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 Ava	ailable Funds		\$ 3,867,688.07
A T	Trustee Fees	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,867,688.07
B S	Servicing Fees	\$ 98,833.49	\$ 3,768,854.58
C i.	. Administration Fees	\$ 8,333.00	\$ 3,760,521.58
ii	i. Unreimbursed Administrator Advances plus any Unpaid	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,760,521.58
DC	Class A Noteholders Interest Distribution Amount	\$ 63,729.22	\$ 3,696,792.36
E F	First Priority Principal Payment	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,696,792.36
F C	Class B Noteholders Interest Distribution Amount	\$ 135,416.67	\$ 3,561,375.69
G F	Reinstatement Reserve Account	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,561,375.69
H F	Regular Principal Distribution	\$ 2,697,023.79	\$ 864,351.90
I (	Carryover Servicing Fees	\$ 0.00	\$ 864,351.90
	Additional Principal Distribution Amount	\$ 0.00	\$ 864,351.90
κι	Unpaid Expenses of Trustee	\$ 0.00	\$ 864,351.90
Lι	Unpaid Expenses of Administrator	\$ 0.00	\$ 864,351.90
M i.	. Remaining Funds to the R-1 Certificateholder(s)	\$ 599,651.62	\$ 264,700.28
ii	i. Remaining Funds to the R-2 Certificateholder(s)	\$ 264,700.28	\$ 0.00

## VII. 2016-C Distributions

#### **Distribution Amounts**

	A2A	A2B	В
Cusip/Isin	78449KAB6	78449KAC4	78449KAD2
Beginning Balance	\$ 11,233,318.34	\$ 7,422,897.57	\$ 50,000,000.00
Index	FIXED	SOFR <sup>(1)</sup>	FIXED
Spread/Fixed Rate	2.34%	1.10%	3.25%
Record Date (Days Prior to Distribution)	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY	1 NEW YORK BUSINESS DAY
Accrual Period Begin	7/15/2024	7/15/2024	7/15/2024
Accrual Period End	8/15/2024	8/15/2024	8/15/2024
Daycount Fraction	0.08333333	0.08611111	0.08333333
Interest Rate*	2.34000%	6.54328%	3.25000%
Accrued Interest Factor	0.001950000	0.005634491	0.002708333
Current Interest Due	\$ 21,904.97	\$ 41,824.25	\$ 135,416.67
Interest Shortfall from Prior Period Plus Accrued Interest	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total Interest Due	\$ 21,904.97	\$ 41,824.25	\$ 135,416.67
Interest Paid	\$ 21,904.97	\$ 41,824.25	\$ 135,416.67
Interest Shortfall	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Principal Paid	\$1,623,937.40	\$ 1,073,086.39	\$ -
Ending Principal Balance	\$ 9,609,380.94	\$ 6,349,811.18	\$ 50,000,000.00
Paydown Factor	0.007153909	0.007153909	0.00000000
Ending Balance Factor	0.042332075	0.042332075	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.

(1) SOFR refers to the ARRC recommended institutional fallback rate.

#### VIII. 2016-C 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