# Understanding 2014 <br> <br> Accountability 

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## 2014 Accountability Timeline

End of June Entire 2014 Accountability Manual(except Chapter 11 Preview and Appendix L: Index 2 \& 3 targets)
June 5 TEASE postings of final graduation/dropout data
June 6 TEASE postings of 2014 comparison groups
June 17 TEASE postings of college-ready graduates
July 11August 12014 Accountability posted in TEASE
August 8 2014 Accountability posted publicly on TEA's website
By $10^{\text {th }}$ instructional day - districts must post most current performance reports on the district website

# Learning is not attained by chance, it must be sought for with ardor and attended to with diligence. -Abigail Adams 



## Online Resources: <br> TEA 2014 Accountability

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This Presentation was created based on information posted on the Texas Education Agency's website at http://ritter.tea.state.tx.us/perfreport/account/2014/index.html


## Performance Index Framework

To receive a
Met Standard rating, all campuses and districts must meet the performance targets for all four indexes for which they have performance data in 2014.


STATE OF TEXAS ASSE MENTS OF ACADEMIC READINESS
Confideritial Campus Roster
GRADE 8 MATHEMATICS
All Students

Report Date: MONTH YEAR
Date of Testing: MONTH YEAR


## 2014 Accountability Subset

## Enrollment

## STAAR Results

Fall 2012 snapshot Summer 2013 End of Course
Fall 2013 End of Course
Fall 2013 snapshot Spring 2014 End of Course Spring 2014 Grades 3 - 8


# Level II Satisfactory Index 1 \& 3 

## Level III Advanced

 Index3

## STAAR Progress Index 2

## ELL Progress

Index 1, 2 \& 3
Is anything missing?
Final Level II
for Index 4
--- Not available; 0 did not meet; 1 met; 2 exceeded
If applicable, STAAR Progress OR ELL Progress reported not both

April Grade 5 \& 8 Reports: Only STAAR Progress was reported ELL Progress was not available; 2014 TELPAS was not processed yet

May Grades 3-8 Reports should have both STAAR Progress Measure and ELL Progress Measure populated where appropriate

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## Level II Phase-In Summary Report

 GRADE 5Report Date: APRIL 2014 Date of Testing: APRIL 2014


## Pass/Fail Culture



| Subject |  | Phase 1 | Phase 2 | Final | Level III |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Reading | Grade 3 | 53\% | 65\% | 75\% | 88\% |
|  | Grade 4 | 52\% | 66\% | 77\% | 86\% |
|  | Grade 5 | 54\% | 65\% | 76\% | 87\% |
|  | Grade 6 | 52\% | 65\% | 75\% | 88\% |
|  | Grade 7 | 52\% | 64\% | 74\% | 84\% |
|  | Grade 8 | 50\% | 63\% | 75\% | 85\% |
|  | English I | 53\% | 60\% | 63\% | 85\% |
|  | English II | 54\% | 59\% | 63\% | 85\% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Math | Grade 3 | 59\% | 72\% | 83\% | 91\% |
|  | Grade 4 | 60\% | 71\% | 81\% | 90\% |
|  | Grade 5 | 54\% | 66\% | 78\% | 88\% |
|  | Grade 6 | 42\% | 58\% | 71\% | 87\% |
|  | Grade 7 | 44\% | 56\% | 69\% | 85\% |
|  | Grade 8 | 39\% | 52\% | 64\% | 88\% |
|  | Algebra 1 | 37\% | 50\% | 61\% | 83\% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Science | Grade 5 | 59\% | 70\% | 80\% | 91\% |
|  | Grade 8 | 56\% | 65\% | 74\% | 78\% |
|  | Biology | 37\% | 51\% | 61\% | 83\% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Social Studies | Grade 8 | 50\% | 62\% | 73\% | 83\% |
|  | US History | 41\% | 53\% | 65\% | 81\% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Writing | Grade 4 | 52\% | 61\% | 68\% | 84\% |
|  | Grade 7 | 54\% | 63\% | 71\% | 85\% |



6th Grade Math

| Phase-in 1 | Phase-in 2 | Final | Phase-in 1 | Phase-in 2 | Final |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Standard | Standard | Standard | Standard | Standard | Standard |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Category | Group | 2013 | 2013 | 2013 | 2013 | 2014 | 2014 | 2014 | 2014 |
| All Students | State | 74 | 53 | 36 | 16 | 79 | 58 | 39 | 17 |
|  | Region 17 | 67 | 46 | 30 | 12 | 74 | 51 | 32 | 14 |
| Hispanic | State | 69 | 46 | 28 | 11 | 74 | 51 | 31 | 12 |
|  | Region 17 | 60 | 36 | 20 | 6 | 67 | 40 | 23 | 7 |
| African Am | State | 61 | 37 | 22 | 8 | 66 | 41 | 24 | 8 |
|  | Region 17 | 49 | 28 | 14 | 4 | 48 | 24 | 12 | 3 |
| White | State | 85 | 68 | 50 | 24 | 88 | 72 | 53 | 26 |
|  | Region 17 | 83 | 66 | 48 | 22 | 88 | 71 | 50 | 24 |
| Econ Disad | State | 66 | 42 | 25 | 9 | 72 | 47 | 28 | 10 |
| Free Meals | Region 17 | 58 | 34 | 19 | 6 | 65 | 38 | 20 | 7 |
| Current LEP* | State | 52 | 28 | 14 | 4 | 62 | 35 | 17 | 5 |
|  | Region 17 | 52 | 26 | 13 | 3 | 54 | 24 | 6 | 2 |
| Special Ed* | State | 38 | 20 | 11 | 4 | 47 | 24 | 13 | 5 |
|  | Region 17 | 26 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 46 | 20 | 10 | 4 |

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2014 Accountability Summary Sample HS (999999999) - Sample ISD



| Met Standards on | Did Not Meet Standards on |
| :--- | :--- |
| -Student Achievement | -NONE |
| -Student Progress |  |
| -Closing Performance Gaps |  |
| -Postsecondary Readiness |  |


| Performance Index Summary |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Distinction Designation



| Campus Type | High School |
| :---: | :---: |
| Campus Size | 2,225 Students |
| Grade Span | 09-12 |
| Percent Economicaly |  |
| Disadvantaged | 42.6\% |
| Percent Englsh Language |  |
| Leamers | 6.1\% |
| Mobillty Rate | 11.2\% |

## System Safeguards

Number and Percent of Indicators Met

| Number and Percent of indicators Met |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| Performance Rates | 39 out of $\mathbf{4 5 - 8 7 \%}$ |
| Participation Rates | 18 out of $18=100 \%$ |
| Graduation Rates | 7 out of $7=100 \%$ |
| Total | 64 out of $70=91 \%$ |

## Posted on TEA's Public website <br> Friday, August 8, 2014 at 1:00 pm

## Appendix F



Index 1: Student Achievement provides an overview of student performance based on satisfactory student achievement across all subjects for all students on BOTH general and alternative assessments.

- Combined over All Subjects: Reading, Mathematics, Writing, Science, and Social Studies.
- Student Group: All Students.
- no minimum size requirement and no ethnicity breakdown
- Performance Standards: Phase-in 1 Level II (Satisfactory)
- Substitute Assessments for STAAR EOC tests are included

End of Course:

- July 2013: English I and II Reading, Algebra 1, Biology, and US History
- Fall 2013: English I and II Reading, Algebra 1, Biology and US History
- Spring 2014: English I and II Combined, Algebra 1, Biology and US History


## Substitute Assessments

## Included in Index 1 \& 4; not included in Index 2 \&

Figure: 19 TAC $\S 101.4002(b)$

Substitute Assessments
Standards Chart

| $A P$ |  |  | $1 B^{*}$ |  | PSAT |  | PLAN |  | SAT |  | $A^{\prime} T^{\wedge}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| STAAR EOC <br> Assessment | Assessment | Passing Score | Assessment | Passing Score | Assessment | Passing Score | Assessment | Passing Score | Assessment | Passing Score | Assessment | Passing Score |
| Algebra I |  |  |  |  | Mathematics | 47 | Mathematics | 19 | Mathematics | 500 | Mathematics | 22 |
| English I+ | English Language and Composition | 3 | Language A: <br> Language and Literature | 4 |  |  |  |  | Critical <br> Reading <br> Writing | $\begin{aligned} & 500 \\ & 500 \end{aligned}$ | Reading <br> Combined English/Writing | 21 18 |
| English II+ | English Language and Composition | 3 | Language A: <br> Language and <br> Literature | 4 |  |  |  |  | Critical <br> Reading <br> Writing | $\begin{aligned} & 500 \\ & 500 \end{aligned}$ | Reading <br> Combined English/Writing | $21$ $18$ |
| Biology | Biology | 3 | Biology | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| U.S. History | U.S. History | 3 | History of the Americas | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^0]A To use the ACT as a substitute for the STAAR EOC English II assessment, a student must take the optional ACT writing assessment and achieve a combined English/writing score of 18.


December 2013 Texas Administrative Code Updates http://www.tea.state.tx.us/index4.aspx?id=25769808854 New Figure: 19 TAC §101.4002(b) (PDF)

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## English Language Learners (ELL) Included:

- English STAAR Two - Four Years in U.S. Schools* included using ELL Progress Measure
- STAAR L included using ELL Progress Measure
- English STAAR Five plus Years in U.S. Schools* included using Phase-in 1 Level II
- Spanish STAAR Two plus Years in U.S. Schools* included using Phase-in 1 Level II


## English Language Learners (ELL) Exclusions:

- English and Spanish STAAR English Language Learners (ELL) One year in U.S. Schools* excluded
*English Language Learners (ELL) Years in U.S. Schools as reported on 2014 TELPAS


## Index 1: Student Achievement 2014 Target: non AEA 55/ AEA 30

## Index 1: Construction

Since Index 1 has only one indicator, the Total Index Points and Index Score are the same: Index Score $=$ Total Index Points. Total Index Points is the percentage of assessments that meet the Phase-in 1 Level II Standard.

Each percent of students meeting the Phase-in 1 Level II performance standard contributes one point to the index. Index scores range from 0 to 100 for all campuses and districts.

| Example 1.1 Dist | and |  | st |  | fiv |  | ts: |  | G |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| STAAR Performance | R |  | M |  | $W^{*}$ |  | S |  | SS |  | Total | \% Met <br> Phase-in Satisfactory Standard | Index Points |
| \# Phase-in <br> Satisfactory Standard | 551 | + | 534 | + | 27 | + | 143 | + | 87 | = | 1,342 |  |  |
| Total Tests | 984 | + | 988 | + | 353 | + | 354 | + | 356 | = | 3,035 |  |  |
| Index 1: Score |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 44 |

*Gr. 4 and 7 only

# Index 1: Student Achievement 2014 Target: non AEA 55/ AEA 30 

## Index 1: 2013 vs. 2014 Comparison

## 2013

- Combined over All Subjects: Reading, Mathematics, Writing, Science, and Social Studies.
- Student Groups: All Students.
- Performance Standards: Phase-in 1 Level II (Satisfactory).
- STAAR End-of-Course (EOC) Assessments (15 total):
- English I - Reading; English II - Reading; English III - Reading
- English I - Writing; English II - Writing; English III - Writing
- Algebra I; Geometry; Algebra II
- Biology; Chemistry; Physics
- World Geography; World History; US History
- English Language Learners (English and Spanish tests):
- Students in US schools Year 1 - Year 3 excluded
- Students in US schools Year 4 and beyond included


## 2014

- Combined over All Subjects: Reading, Mathematics, Writing, Science, and Social Studies.
- Student Groups: All Students.
- Performance Standards: Phase-in 1 Level II (Satisfactory).
- STAAR EOC Assessments (5 total):
- English I (combined tests); English II (combined tests) beginning in spring 2014
- Algebra 1
- Biology
- US History
- English Language Learners (English and Spanish tests):
- Students in US schools Year 1 excluded
- Students in US schools Year 2 and beyond included
- ELL Progress Measure included for those tested in English


## Index 2: Student Progress <br> 2014 Target: 5th percentile based on campus type, district 5th percentile across all campus types

Index 2: Student Progress focuses on actual student growth independent of overall achievement levels for each race/ethnicity student group, students served by special education, and English language learners.

■ By Subject Area: Reading and Mathematics (Writing is excluded in 2014)

- Points based on weighted performance:
- One point given for each percentage of tests at the Met or exceed progress level.
- An additional point given for each percentage of tests at the Exceeded progress level.
- Additional progress measures in 2014: STAAR-Modified, STAAR-Alternate, and English Language Learners (ELL).
- High Schools/K-12 campuses as well as AEA campuses \& districts will not be evaluated for Index 2 in 2014


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## How is Growth Defined?



## Progress Numbers

Table 1 - Values for Computing STAAR Progress Measures

| Current Year Test | Prior Year Test | Met Level I/II ${ }^{1}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Grade 4 Mathematics ${ }^{6}$ | Grade 3 Mathematics | 70 |
| Grade 5 Mathematics ${ }^{6}$ | Grade 4 Mathematics | 28 |
| Grade 6 Mathematics | Grade 5 Mathematics | 31 |
| Grade 7 Mathematics | Grade 6 Mathematics | 20 |
| Grade 8 Mathematics | Grade 7 Mathematics | 22 |
| Algebra I | Grade 7 Mathematics | 2322 |
| Algebra 1 | Grade 8 Mathematics | 2300 |
| Grade 4 English Reading | Grade 3 English Reading | 82 |
| Grade 5 English Reading | Grade 4 English Reading | 32 |
| Grade 6 Reading | Grade 5 English Reading | 47 |
| Grade 7 Reading | Grade 6 Reading | 45 |
| Grade 8 Reading | Grade 7 Reading | 26 |
| Grade 4 Spanish Reading | Grade 3 Spanish Reading | 95 |
| Grade 5 Spanish Reading | Grade 4 Spanish Reading | 43 |
| English II ${ }^{7}$ | English I | 0 |

How did they come up with 32 points?


## STAAR Grade 5 Reading Example

Expected Growth: 32 Points


## Index 2: Student Progress 2014 Target: 5th percentile based on campus type, district 5th percentile across all campus types



Note: Blank cells in the examples above represent student group indicators that do not meet the minimum size criteria.

## Index 2: Student Progress <br> 2014 Target: 5th percentile based on campus type, district 5th percentile across all campus types

$\begin{array}{|l|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}\hline \text { Example 2.2. Index } 2 \text { calculation to determine overall score } \\ \hline \begin{array}{l}\text { STAAR } \\ \text { Weighted Progress Rate }\end{array} & \text { All } & \begin{array}{c}\text { African } \\ \text { Amer. }\end{array} & \text { Hispanic }\end{array}$ White $\begin{array}{c}\text { American } \\ \text { Indian }\end{array}$ Asian $\left.\begin{array}{c}\text { Pacific } \\ \text { Islander }\end{array} \begin{array}{c}\text { Two or } \\ \text { More } \\ \text { Races }\end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c}\text { Special } \\ \text { Ed }\end{array} \begin{array}{c}\text { ELL }\end{array} \begin{array}{c}\text { Total } \\ \text { Points }\end{array} \begin{array}{c}\text { Max. } \\ \text { Points }\end{array}\right\}$

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## Index 2: Student Progress 2014 Target: 5th percentile based on campus type, district 5th percentile across all campus types

- Progress Measures by Subject Area and School Type

|  | 2013 |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Elementary School | Middle School | High School |
| READING |  |  |
| Gr. 4 Reading | Gr. 6 Reading | English I Reading |
| Gr. 5 Reading | Gr. 7 Reading | English II Reading |
| - | Gr. 8 Reading | - |
| - | English I Reading | - |
| MATHEMATICS |  |  |
| Gr. 4 Mathematics | Gr. 6 Mathematics | Algebra I |
| Gr. 5 Mathematics | Gr. 7 Mathematics | - |
| - | Gr. 8 Mathematics | - |
| - | Algebra I | - |
| WRITING |  |  |
| - |  | English II Writing |


|  | 2014 |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Elementary School | Middle School | High School |
| READING |  |  |
| Gr. 4 Reading | Gr. 6 Reading | - |
| Gr. 5 Reading | Gr. 7 Reading | - |
| - | Gr. 8 Reading | - |
| - | - | - |
| MATHEMATICS |  |  |
| Gr. 4 Mathematics | Gr. 6 Mathematics | Algebra I |
| Gr. 5 Mathematics | Gr. 7 Mathematics | - |
| - | Gr. 8 Mathematics | - |
| - | Algebra I | - |
| WRITING |  |  |
| - | - | - |

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## Index 3: Closing Performance Gaps 2014 Target: 5th percentile based on campus type, district 5th percentile across all campus types

Index 3: 2013 Construction - Table 1
Closing Performance Gaps emphasizes advanced academic achievement of the economically disadvantaged student group and the lowest performing race/ethnicity student groups at each campus and district.

- By Subject Area: Reading, Mathematics, Writing, Science, and Social Studies
- Student Groups:
- Economically Disadvantaged
- No minimum size
- Two Lowest Performing Race/Ethnicity Groups
- Based on 2013 Index 1 All Subjects
- Minimum size: 25 tests in Reading and Math



## Index 3: Closing Performance Gaps

## Index 3: 2014 Construction - Student Groups

(based on 2013 assessment results by Race/Ethnicity)
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Points based on STAAR performance:

- Phase-in 1 Level II satisfactory performance:

One point for each percentage of tests at Phase-in 1 Level II (Satisfactory) or above

- Level III advanced performance:

An additional point for each percentage of tests at the Level III Advanced

## Index 3: Closing Performance Gaps 2014 Target: 5th percentile based on campus type, district 5th percentile across all campus types

| Example 3.1. Index 3 calculation for reading weighted performance | Science and Social Studies |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| STAAR Weighted <br> Performance Rate | Economically <br> Disadvantaged | Lowest Performing <br> Racial/Ethnic Group-1 | Lowest Performing <br> Racia//Ethnic Group-2 | Total Points | Maximum <br> Points |
| Number of Tests | 80 | 40 | 25 |  |  |
| \# Phase-in <br> Satisfactory Standard and above | 80 | 20 | 25 |  |  |
| \# Advanced Standard | 40 | 0 | 25 |  |  |
| \% Phase-in <br> Satisfactory Standard and above | $100 \%$ | $50 \%$ | $100 \%$ |  |  |
| $\%$ Met Advanced Standard | $50 \%$ | $0 \%$ | $100 \%$ |  |  |
| Reading Weighted <br> Performance Rate | 150 | 50 | 200 | 400 | 600 |

## Index 3: Closing Performance Gaps 2014 Target: 5th percentile based on campus type, district 5th percentile across all campus types

| Example 3.2. Index 3 calculations for overall score |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| STAAR Weighted <br> Performance Rate | Economically <br> Disadvantaged | Lowest Performing <br> Racial/Ethnic Group-1 | Lowest Performing <br> Racial/Ethnic Group -2 | Total Points | Maximum <br> Points |
| Reading | 150 | 50 | 200 | 400 | 600 |
| Mathematics | 125 | 100 | 90 | 315 | 600 |
| Writing | 80 | 90 | 125 | 295 | 600 |
| Science | 120 | 40 | 90 | 250 | 600 |
| Social Studies | 50 | 40 | 80 | 170 | 600 |
| Total |  |  | 1430 | 3000 |  |
| Index 3: Score (total points divided by maximum points) |  |  | $\mathbf{4 8}$ |  |  |

## Index 3: Closing Performance Gaps 2014 Target: 5th percentile based on campus type, district 5th percentile across all campus types

## Index 3: Closing Performance Gaps emphasizes advanced academic achievement of economically disadvantaged students and the two lowest performing race/ethnicity student groups.

## 2013

- Points based on STAAR performance:
- Phase-in 1 Level II satisfactory performance: One point for each percent of tests at the Phase-in 1 Level II satisfactory performance standard.
- By Subject Area:

Reading, Mathematics, Writing, Science, and Social Studies.

- Student Groups:
- Economically Disadvantaged
- Lowest Performing Race/Ethnicity:

The two lowest performing race/ethnicity student groups on the campus or within the district, based on 2012 assessment results.

2014

- Points based on STAAR performance:
- Phase-in 1 Level II satisfactory performance: One point for each percent of tests at the Phase-in 1 Level II satisfactory performance standard.
- Level III advanced performance:

An additional point for each percent of tests at the Level III advanced performance standard.

- By Subject Area:

Reading, Mathematics, Writing, Science, and Social Studies.

- Student Groups:
- Economically Disadvantaged
- Lowest Performing Race/Ethnicity: The two lowest performing race/ethnicity student groups on the campus or within the district, based on 2013 assessment results.
- Select the two lowest performing student groups if both the prior year reading and mathematics subject area test results each have at least 25 tests.


## Index 4: Postsecondary Readiness

Index 4: Postsecondary Readiness emphasizes the importance of earning a high school diploma that provides students with the foundation necessary for success in college, the workforce, job training programs, or the military; and the role of elementary and middle schools in preparing students for high school.

## 2014 Index 4 non-AEA Targets:

- Elementary Schools: 12
- Middle Schools: 13
- High Schools/K-12: 57 (based on all four components)*
- Districts: 57 (based on all four components)*
*Non-AEA Targets If all four components :

1) STAAR Final Level II,
2) Graduation Score/Rate,
3) Graduation Plan, and
4) College-Ready Graduates are not available for high schools or districts, evaluate only the STAAR Final Level II performance at the following Index 4 targets:

- High Schools/K-12: 21
- Districts: 13


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STAAR Score: STAAR Percent Met Final Level II on two or more tests for (eight student groups):

- All students
- Seven race/ethnicity groups

All Subjects: Reading, Mathematics, Writing, Science and Social Studies

- Students tested on one subject area only must meet the final Level II performance standard for that subject area.
- Students tested on only two subject areas must meet the final Level II performance standard for both subject areas.


## Index 4: Postsecondary Readiness

Index 4: Postsecondary Readiness emphasizes the importance of earning a high school diploma that provides students with the foundation necessary for success in college, the workforce, job training programs, or the military; and the role of elementary and middle schools in preparing students for high school.

STAAR Score: STAAR Percent Met Final Level II on two or more tests for All Students and seven race/ethnicity student groups

- Only include EOC tests for students that tested for the FIRST time in 2013-14 accountability cycle
- July 2013, Fall 2013 and Spring 2014
- Student EOC results for students that tested for the first time prior to the 2013-14 accountability cycle are not included in Index 4
- Substitute Assessments for STAAR EOC tests are included


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Graduation Score/Rate: Combined performance across graduation/dropout rates for:

- Grade 9-12 Class of 2013 Four-Year Graduation Rate OR
- Grade 9-12 Class of 2012 Five-Year Graduation Rate
- whichever contributes the most points to the index
- If a campus/district has no Graduation Rate, then the 2012-13 Grade 9-12 annual dropout rate will be used.
- New campus - use annual dropout rate until they have enough years of data to calculate a longitudinal graduation rate
- Ten student groups:
- All students
- Seven race/ethnicity groups
- Students served by Special Education
- English Language Learners (ELL)


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## Graduation Plan Component

Class of 2013 Four-year Recommended High School Program/Distinguished Achievement Program (RHSP/DAP) Rate

- Four-year Longitudinal Graduation Cohort
- No four-year longitudinal graduation cohort - use annual percent of 2012-13 RHSP/DAP graduates

Eight student groups:

- All students
- Seven race/ethnicity groups


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College-Ready Graduates: High school graduates from the 2012-13 school year who met the college-ready criteria in both ELA and mathematics based on:

- TAKS exit-level test*,
- or the SAT test,
- or the ACT test
- Reported on AEIS and TAPR since 2007
- *2012-13 graduates are TAKS graduates

Eight student groups:

- All students
- Seven race/ethnicity groups




## Index 4: Postsecondary Readiness

## Index 4: 2013 vs. 2014 Comparison

## 2013

- Graduation Score: Combined performance across the graduation and dropout rates for:
- Grade 9-12 Four-Year Graduation Rate for All Students and all student groups; or
- Grade 9-12 Five-Year Graduation Rate for All Students and all student groups, whichever contributes the higher number of points to the index.
- RHSP/DAP Annual Graduates: All Students and race/ethnicity student groups.


## 2014

- Graduation Score: Combined performance across the graduation and dropout rates for:
- Grade 9-12 Four-Year Graduation Rate for All Students and all student groups; or
- Grade 9-12 Five-Year Graduation Rate for All Students and all student groups, whichever contributes the higher number of points to the index.
- RHSP/DAP Graduates : All Students and race/ethnicity student groups.
- STAAR Score: STAAR Percent Met Final Level II on TWO or more tests for All Students and race/ethnicity student groups.
- Postsecondary Readiness:
- TAKS
- SAT
- ACT


## Index 4: Postsecondary Readiness

## Index 4: AEA Campuses and Charters

## 2013

- 4-, 5-, and 6-year Graduation and General Education Development (GED) Score;

If no Graduation and GED Rates, use Grade 9-12 Annual Dropout Rate: Points given for annual dropout rates lower than 20.0

- 2013 AEA Registration Criterion

Proposed 2014

- 4-, 5-, and 6-year Graduation, Continuing Students, and GED Score; If no Graduation, Continuing, and GED Rates, use Grade 9-12 Annual Dropout Rate: Points given for rates lower than 20.0
- STAAR Score: STAAR Percent Met Final Level II on one or more tests

25\%

- Expand AEA Registration to include dropout recovery schools


## Index 4: Postsecondary Readiness

## Index 4: AEA Campuses and Charters Bonus Points

| 2013 |
| :--- |
| Bonus Points: |
| RHSP/DAP Rate: All Students. |
| Continuing Students Success Rate: |
| All Students. |
| Excluded Students Count: All |
| Students. |



## System Safeguards

## Safeguard Measures and Targets for the State lens:

- Reporting system disaggregates performance by student group, performance level, and subject area.
- Performance rates are calculated from the assessment results used to calculate Index 1: Student Achievement.
- 2014 targets for the disaggregated system-safeguard results:
- STAAR performance target corresponds to Index 1 (55\%);
- STAAR participation target required by federal accountability (95\%);
- Federal graduation rate targets and improvement calculations for 4-year rate ( $80 \%$ ) and 5 -year rate ( $85 \%$ ); and
- $\square$ Federal limit on use of alternate assessments (1\% and 2\%)


## System Safeguards

2014 targets for federal accountability:

- STAAR performance target corresponds to Index 1 (79\%);
- All Students, African American, Hispanic, White, Economically Disadvantaged, Special Education and English Language Learner
- English Language Learners(ELL) now includes Current and Monitored ELLs
- STAAR participation target required by federal accountability (95\%);
- Federal graduation rate targets and improvement calculations for 4 -year rate ( $80 \%$ ) and 5-year rate ( $85 \%$ ); and
- Federal limit on use of alternate assessments (1\% and 2\%)

| Accountability System Safeguard Measures and Targets |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | All | African Amer. | Hispanic | White | Amer. Indian | Asian | Pacific Islander | Two or More Races | Econ. Disadv. | Special Ed | ELL |
| Performance Rate Targets - State |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Reading | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% |
| Mathematics | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% |
| Writing | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% |
| Science | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% |
| Soc. Studies | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% | 55\% |
| Performance Rate Targets - Federal |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Reading - Federal | 79\% | 79\% | 79\% | 79\% | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | 79\% | 79\% | 79\% |
| Mathematics - Federal | 79\% | 79\% | 79\% | 79\% | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | 79\% | 79\% | 79\% |
| Participation Rates |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Reading | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% |
| Mathematics | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% | 95\% |
| Federal Graduation Rates * |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4-year | 80\% | 80\% | 80\% | 80\% | 80\% | 80\% | 80\% | 80\% | 80\% | 80\% | 80\% |
| 5-year | 85\% | 85\% | 85\% | 85\% | 85\% | 85\% | 85\% | 85\% | 85\% | 85\% | 85\% |
| District Limits on Use of Alternative Assessment Results |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Reading - Modified | 2\% | Not Applicable |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Reading - Alternate | 1\% | Not Applicable |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mathematics - Modified | 2\% | Not Applicable |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mathematics - Alternate | 1\% | Not Applicable |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Federal graduation rate targets include an improvement target.

## 2014 Distinction Designations

## Campus Demographics

| Campus Type | High School |
| :--- | ---: |
| Campus Size | 2,225 Students |
| Grade Span | $09-12$ |
| Percent Economically |  |
| Disadvantaged | $42.6 \%$ |
| Percent English Language | $6.1 \%$ |
| Learners | $11.2 \%$ |

Per Texas Education Code (TEC) §39.201, alternative education campuses (AECs) evaluated under AEA provisions are not eligible for distinction designations.

Comparison Groups are determined by common campus demographics.

## 2014 Distinction Designations

- Student Progress (based on Index 2)
- Closing Performance Gaps (based on Index 3)
- Academic Achievement in:
- Reading/English Language Arts
- Mathematics
- Science
- Social Studies
- Postsecondary Readiness for campuses and districts


## 2014 Distinction Designations

Districts and Campuses Postsecondary Readiness:

- House Bill 5 (83rd Texas Legislature, 2013) expanded distinction designations to both districts and campuses for outstanding performance in attainment of postsecondary readiness.
- Index 4 STAAR Component: Percent of Students at Final Level II Performance Standard
- Four-Year Graduation Rate (Class of 2013 longitudinal cohort) Recommended High School Program or
- Distinguished Achievement Program (RHSP/DAP) Rates (Class of 2013 longitudinal cohort)
- College-Ready Graduates (school year 2012-13 graduates meeting the Texas Success Initiative (TSI) college readiness standards in both reading/ELA and mathematics based on TAKS, SAT, or ACT)
- Advanced/Dual Enrollment Course Completion Rate (school year 2012-13)
- SAT/ACT Performance (At/Above Criterion, 2012-13)
- SAT/ACT Participation (2012-13)
- AP/IB Examination Performance: Any Subject (school year 2012-13percent of examinees meeting the criterion score)


## 2014 Distinction Designations

| AADD Reading/ELA Indicators | High School | Middle School I Junior High | Elementary | K-12 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Attendance rate | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |
| Greater Than Expected Student Growth in Reading ELA |  | $\sqrt{ }$ | $\sqrt{ }$ |  |
| Grade 3 Reading Performance (Level III) |  |  | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |
| Grade 4 Writing Performance (Level III) |  |  | $\checkmark$ | $\sqrt{ }$ |
| Grade 7 Writing Performance (Level III) |  | $\checkmark$ |  | $\sqrt{ }$ |
| Grade 8 Reading Performance (Level III) |  | $\checkmark$ |  | $\sqrt{ }$ |
| AP/B Examination Participation: ELA | $\sqrt{ }$ |  |  | $\sqrt{ }$ |
| AP/IB Examination Periormance: ELA | $\sqrt{ }$ |  |  | $\sqrt{ }$ |
| SATIACT Participation | $\sqrt{ }$ |  |  | $\sqrt{ }$ |
| SAT Performance: ELA | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| ACT Performance: ELA | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| Total Reading/ELA Indicators | 6 | 4 | 4 | 10 |
| AADD Mathematics Indicators | High School | Middle School I Junior High | Elementary | K-12 |
| Attendance rate | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |
| Greater Than Expected Student Growth in Mathematics |  | $\sqrt{ }$ | $\checkmark$ |  |
| Grade 5 Math Performance (Level III) |  |  | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |
| Algebra l by Grade 8-Paricipation |  | $\checkmark$ |  | $\checkmark$ |
| Algebra l by Grade 8-Performance (Level III) |  | $\checkmark$ |  | $\checkmark$ |
| APIB Examination Participation: Mathematics | $\sqrt{ }$ |  |  | $\sqrt{ }$ |
| APIB Examination Periormance: Mathematics | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| SAT/ACT Participation | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| SAT Performance: Mathematics | $\sqrt{ }$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| ACT Performance: Mathematics | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| Total Mathematics Indicators | 6 | 4 | 3 | 9 |


| AADD Science Indicators | High School | Middle School / Junior High | Elementary | K-12 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Attendance rate | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |
| Grade 5 Science Performance (Level III) |  |  | $\sqrt{ }$ | $\checkmark$ |
| Grade 8 Science Performance (Level III) |  | $\checkmark$ |  | $\checkmark$ |
| EOC Biology Performance (Level III) | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| ACT Performance: Science | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| AP/IB Examination Participation: Science | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| AP/B Examination Performance: Science | $\sqrt{ }$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| Total Science Indicators | 5 | 2 | 2 | 7 |
| AADD Social Studies Indicators | High School | Middle School / Junior High | Elementary | K-12 |
| Attendance rate | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |
| Grade 8 Social Studies Performance (Level III) |  | $\sqrt{ }$ |  | $\sqrt{ }$ |
| EOC U.S. History Performance (Level III) | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\sqrt{ }$ |
| AP/IB Examination Participation: Social Studies | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| AP/IB Examination Performance: Social Studies | $\sqrt{ }$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| Total Social Studies Indicators | 4 | 2 | N/A | 5 |

## Indicators for campuses:

| Postsecondary-Readiness Indicators | High School | Middle School I Junior High | Elementary | K-12 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1) Index 4 - Percent at STAAR Postsecondary Readiness Standard | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |
| 2) Four-Year Longitudinal Graduation Rate | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| 3) Four-Year Longitudinal RHSPPDAP Rate | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| 4) College-Ready Graduates | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| 5) Advanced Dual Enrolmment Course Completion Rate | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| 6) SATAACT Parricipation | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| 7) SATACT Periomance | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| 8) AP/B Examination Performance: Any Subject | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| Total | 8 | 1 | 1 | 8 |

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2014 Distinction Designation Summary - Top 25\% in Closing Performance Gaps SAMPLE H S (999999999) - SAMPLE ISD

Campus Type: High School

|  |  | Index 3 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Campus Name | District Name | Score |  |
| 1 CLEAR LAKE H S (084910002) | CLEAR CREEK ISD | 40 |  |
| 2 COLLEGE PARK H S (170902014) | CONROE ISD | 40 |  |
| 3 HEBRON H S (061902008) | LEWISVILLE ISD | 40 |  |
| 4 REAGAN H S (015910007) | NORTH EAST ISD | 39 |  |
| 5 WESTLAKE H S (227909001) | EANES ISD | 39 |  |
| 6 MCKINNEY BOYD HS (043907007) | MCKINNEY ISD | 37 |  |
| 7 CLEMENTS H S (079007004) | FORT BEND ISD | 36 |  |
| 8 KINGWOOD HS (101913002) | HUMBLE ISD | 36 |  |
| 9 LAKE TRAVIS HS (227913001) | LAKE TRAVIS ISD | 36 |  |
| 10 TAYLOR H S (101914002) | KATY ISD | 35 |  |
| 11 WESTWOOD H S (246909003) | ROUND ROCK ISD | 35 |  |
| 12 BRANDEIS H S (015915023) | NORTHSIDE ISD | 34 |  |
| 13 COLLEYVILLE HERITAGE H S (220906004) | GRAPEVINE-COLLEYVILLE ISD | 34 | (1) |
| 14 JOHNSON H S (015910014) | NORTH EAST ISD | 34 | $\cdots$ |
| 15 MEMORIAL H S (101920001) | SPRING BRANCH ISD | 34 | ) |
| 16 CLEAR SPRINGS H S (084910009) | CLEAR CREEK ISD | 33 |  |
| 17 MCNEIL H S (246900004) | ROUND ROCK ISD | 33 | 0 |
| SAMPLE H S (999999999) | SAMPLE ISD | 32 |  |
| 18 CLEAR FALLS H S (084810011) | CLEAR CREEK ISD | 32 | $\square$ |
| 19 CYPRESS WOODS H S (101907011) | CYPRESS-FAIRBANKS ISD | 32 | $\sigma$ |
| 20 FLOWER MOUND H S (061902010) | LEWISVILLE ISD | 32 | $\bigcirc$ |
| 21 KELLER HS (220907001) | KELLER ISD | 32 |  |
| 22 CYPRESS RANCH H S (101907012) | CYPRESS-FAIRBANKS ISD | 31 | $\cdots$ |
| 23 O'CONNOR H S (015915016) | NORTHSIDE ISD | 31 |  |
| 24 PEARLAND HS (020908001) | PEARLAND ISD | 31 | $\omega$ |
| 25 ROUND ROCK H S (246909001) | ROUND ROCK ISD | 31 |  |
| 26 STEPHEN F AUSTIN H S (079907007) | FORT BEND ISD | 31 |  |
| 27 ATASCOCITA HS (101813008) | HUMBLE ISD | 30 |  |
| 28 COPPELL HS (057922001) | COPPELL ISD | 30 |  |
| 29 ROCKWALL H S (199901001) | ROCKWALL ISD | 30 |  |
| 30 TIMBER CREEK H S (220007005) | KELLER ISD | 30 |  |
| 31 CENTRAL H S (220007004) | KELLER ISD | 29 |  |
| 32 MANSFIELD H S (220908003) | MANSFIELD ISD | 29 |  |
| 33 MARCUS H S (061902002) | LEWISVILLE ISD | 29 |  |
| 34 MARTIN H S (220901005) | ARLINGTONISD | 29 |  |
| 35 OAK RIDGE H S (170902005) | CONROE ISD | 29 |  |
| 36 MIDLOTHIAN H S (070908001) | MIDLOTHIAN ISD | 28 |  |
| 37 BYRON P STEELE II H S (094902003) | SCHERTZ-CIBOLO-U CITY ISD | 25 |  |
| 38 NORTHWEST H S (061911001) | NORTHWEST ISD | 25 |  |
| 39 PLANO SR H S (043910001) | PLANO ISD |  |  |
| 40 PLANO WEST SENIOR H S (043910010) | PLANO ISD |  |  |

## Resources

- 2014 Accountability Development http://ritter.tea.state.tx.us/perfreport/account/2014/index.html
- 2013 Accountability Rating System http://ritter.tea.state.tx.us/perfreport/account/2013/index.html
- Performance Reporting Home Page http://www.tea.state.tx.us/perfreport
- Performance Reporting E-mail performance.reporting@tea.state.tx.us



[^0]:    *The set passing score for the IB substitute assessments applies to both Standard Level and Higher Level examinations.

