



KELLER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

5A. Report

Date: October 10, 2005

SUBJECT: ACT/AP/SAT RESULTS

BOARD GOAL: All students will achieve educational excellence.

FISCAL NOTE: None

Background Information: American College Test

- **ACT (American College Test)** is the second-most taken national college entry test of many of our students. The scale on the test ranges from 1-36.

KISD ACT Comparison 2001-2005

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
ACT Composite	21.2	20.6	21.2	21.4	21.7
English	20.6	19.9	20.5	20.6	20.8
Mathematics	20.9	20.3	21.1	21.1	21.7
Reading	21.7	21.1	21.8	22.2	22.1
Science Reasoning	21.1	20.6	21.4	21.2	21.5

Administrative Considerations:

Keller High School: ACT Results

255 students took the ACT, an increase of 38 students.
41.59% of the class took the ACT.

Fossil Ridge High School: ACT Results

204 students took the ACT, an increase of 32 students.
32.69 % of the class took the ACT.

Background Information:

- **AP (Advanced Placement)** examinations are administered each year in May and represent the culmination of college level work
- Thirty-four AP exams in nineteen subject areas given nationwide
- Exams are scored on a scale of 1-5 with scores of 3, 4, and 5 receiving college credit from participating universities

Administrative Considerations:

- During 2004-2005 Keller ISD administered 1462 exams using thirty-one different content area tests to 855 students.
- Keller ISD has a total of 679 students with score of 3 or better on one or more AP exams.
- The chart below outlines the results of the 2004-2005 Keller ISD AP results.

Advanced Placement Results Keller ISD

	2002-2003		2003-2004		2004-2005		Increase in number of Tests	Change in achievement of scores 3, 4, 5
Central	-	-	40	15%	203	35%	163	+20%
Fossil Ridge	314	42%	373	43%	426	48%	53	+5%
Keller	368	48%	612	52%	833	52%	221	-
KISD	682	45%	1025	47%	1462	48%	437	+1%

Background Information: SAT

- **The SAT** Most students take the SAT during their junior or senior year in high school. Scores are reported to colleges and are intended as one element in a student's portfolio.
- SAT now includes a writing section. Campus/District reports reflect verbal and math only for this school year.
- Students are responsible for registering for the SAT test via regular mail or on-line. The SAT campus and district data reports do not include all SAT test-takers due to the unknown number of SAT registrations which did not include a campus identification number.

KISD SAT Comparison 2001-2005

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	1Year Change
KISD Number Graduated	821	1030	1027	1180	1237	57
FRHS Number Graduated	438	554	568	593	624	31
KHS Number Graduated	383	476	459	587	613	26
KISD Number Taking SAT	529	623	651	727	863	136
FRHS Number Taking SAT	266	290	331	364	374	10
KHS Number Taking SAT	263	332	320	363	489	126
Percent Of						
KISD Taking SAT	64.43%	60.49%	63.39%	66.15%	69.76%	3.6%
FRHS Taking SAT	60.73%	52.35%	58.27%	61.38%	59.93%	-1.5%
KHS Taking SAT	68.67%	69.75%	69.72%	61.84%	79.77%	17.9%
SAT Total						
KISD Average	1028	1024	1039	1033	1049	16
FRHS Average	1005	991	1001	1003	1021	18
KHS Average	1049	1052	1079	1063	1070	7
Texas Average	992	991	993	991	995	4
U. S. Average	1020	1020	1026	1026	1028	2
SAT Verbal						
KISD Average	511	509	517	514	520	6
FRHS Average	500	492	499	500	505	5
KHS Average	521	523	536	527	531	4
Texas Average	493	491	493	493	493	0
U. S. Average	506	504	507	508	508	0
SAT Mathematics						
KISD Average	517	515	522	519	529	10
FRHS Average	505	499	502	503	516	13
KHS Average	528	529	543	536	539	3
Texas Average	499	500	500	499	502	3
U. S. Average	514	516	519	518	520	2

Administrative Considerations:

Keller High School: SAT Results

Keller High School's 2005 Senior Class posted an SAT average score of 1070 (verbal plus math). Out of 613 students in the graduating class of 2005, 489 took the exam. This represents 79.77% of the senior class, an increase of 17.9% of students participating. These students posted a 7 point overall increase, with a 4 point increase in Verbal and a 3 point increase in Math.

Fossil Ridge High School: SAT Results

Fossil Ridge High School's 2005 Graduates posted an SAT average score of 1021 (verbal plus math). Out of 624 students in the graduating class, 374 took the exam. This represents approximately 60% of the senior class, a slight decrease in participation. These students posted an 18 point overall increase, with a 5 point increase in Verbal and a 13 point increase in Math.

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Respectfully submitted,

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