

Executive Summary

Prepared for Board of Trustees Meeting

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2012 STAAR-EOC Results

Board Goal:

Teaching & Learning

- Advocate and practice true accountability based on measurement of individual student progress over time, regardless of external mandates

Purpose of Report

The workshop's purpose is to share an overview of the STAAR and EOC results from 2012.

Objectives

- Results of STAAR Math in grades 3-8
- Results of STAAR Reading in grades 3-8
- Results of STAAR Writing in grades 4, 7
- Results of STAAR Science in grades 5, 8
- Results of STAAR Social Studies in grade 8
- Results of End Of Course, Eng I, Algebra I, World Geography, Biology

Operational Impact

At this time, rules state that SSI is in effect for Reading and Math in grades 5 and 8. This will necessitate a summer program for students needing remediation before taking the assessment a third time. Students must pass the assessments for promotion to the next grade level.

Results

The STAAR results are from tests administered one year ago. The results for the STAAR are based on the phase-in passing standard. Eventually, the passing standard will be raised to the final (higher or more difficult) passing standard for each test.

All STAAR results in Denton ISD for "all students" in English were above the state performance. All Denton ISD EOC exams were above the state performance excepting Algebra I. Algebra I performance tied the performance at the state level.

Other Options

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