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Advanced Academic Participation and Performance

SAT and ACT Exam Participation and Performance: Class of 2013

The October 28, 2013 board information item includes statistics on the participation and performance of Coppell ISD learners, including the performance and participation of learner groups in the district. As a measure of effectiveness, the report includes scores from comparative populations in the state, as well as national statistics. In addition to trends in overall performance, the performance of learners on college-readiness indicators is addressed in the report including SAT and ACT participation and performance data.

Advanced Placement (AP) and International Baccalaureate (IB) Course and Exam(s) Participation and Performance: Class of 2013

The Advanced Placement (AP) and International Baccalaureate (IB) programs provide learners in Coppell ISD the opportunity to experience rigorous curriculum and instruction commensurate with a framework experienced by learners across the nation and the globe. The programs are a benefit for learners in several ways, including providing learners an opportunity to earn credit toward a postsecondary degree while in high school. In addition, research has shown that the AP and IB experience increases a learner's likelihood of postsecondary success.

The district uses the participation and performance figures from AP and IB exams as one measure in determining the strength of the programs. The October 28, 2013 board information item includes figures on longitudinal participation and performance of learners in the two programs. Indicators of program strength, such as the equity and excellence indicator and comparable figures, are included in the report.