Report of 2007-2008 High School Graduates' Enrollment and Academic Performance in Texas Public Higher Education in FY 2009

Texas statute requires every school district to include, with their performance report, information received under Texas Education Code §51.403(e). This information, provided to districts from the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB), reports on student performance in postsecondary institutions during the first year enrolled after graduation from high school.

Student performance is measured by the Grade Point Average (GPA) earned by 2007- 2008 high school graduates who attended public four-year and two-year higher education in FY 2009. The data is presented alphabetically for each county, school district and high school. The bookmarks can be used to select the first letter of a county. Then the user can scroll down to the desired county, school district and high school.

For each student, the grade points and college-level semester credit hours earned by a student in fall 2008, spring 2009, and summer 2009 are added together and averaged to determine the GPA. These GPAs are accumulated in a range of five categories from < 2.0 to > 3.5. If a GPA could not be calculated for some reason, that student is placed in the "Unknown" column. GPA data is only available for students attending public higher education institutions in Texas. If a high school has fewer than five students attending four-year or two-year public higher education institutions, the number of students is shown but no GPA breakout is given. If a student attended both a four-year and a two-year institution in FY 2009, the student's GPA is shown in the type of institution where the most semester credit hours were earned.

The number of students located at Texas independent institutions is presented. Also shown are "not trackable" graduates, those with non-standard ID numbers that cannot be used to match student identifiers at Texas higher education institutions. "Not found" graduates have standard ID numbers but were not located in FY 2009 at Texas higher education institutions. They might have enrolled in higher education outside of Texas.

No data is given for high schools with 25 or fewer graduates.

Because the statute calls for data on the first year enrolled after graduation, the level of institution attended by students in this report may not match that given in THECB's high school to college report at http://www.thecb.state.tx.us/Reports/PDF/1802.PDF. That report shows where students attended in the fall semester after their high school graduation year. This report attributes students to the level of institution where they earned the most semester credit hours during the whole academic year, not just the fall semester.

County				GPA for 1st Year in Public Higher Education in Texas						
	District		Total Graduates	<2.0	2.0- 2.49	2.5- 2.99	3.0- 3.49	>3.5	Unk	
TAYLOR										
	ABILENE ISD									
	221901001	ABILENE H S								
		Four-Year Public University	64	14	15	13	11	10	1	
		Two-Year Public Colleges	123	18	27	12	21	33	12	
		Independent Colleges & Universities	85							
		Not Trackable	7							
		Not Found	200							
		Total High School Graduates	479							
	221901002	COOPER H S								
		Four-Year Public University	48	10	7	11	9	9	2	
		Two-Year Public Colleges	110	24	17	20	11	29	9	
		Independent Colleges & Universities	67							
		Not Trackable	2							
		Not Found	202							
		Total High School Graduates	429							
	JIM NED CIS	D								
	221911001	JIM NED H S								
		Four-Year Public University	16	3	1	5	3	4	0	
		Two-Year Public Colleges	23	4	3	3	4	9	0	
		Independent Colleges & Universities	12							
		Not Trackable	3							
		Not Found	26							
		Total High School Graduates	80							

Source: Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board and Texas Education Agency

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	District		Total Graduates	<2.0	2.0- 2.49	2.5- 2.99	3.0- 3.49	>3.5	Unk	
	MERKEL ISD									
	221904001	MERKEL H S								
		Four-Year Public University	6	1	0	0	2	3	0	
		Two-Year Public Colleges	23	6	3	2	5	5	2	
		Independent Colleges & Universities	8							
		Not Trackable	0							
		Not Found	38							
		Total High School Graduates	75							

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	RESPONSIVE	EDUCATION SOLUTIONS							_	
	221801001	PREMIER HIGH SCHOOL OF ABILENE								
		Four-Year Public University	0							
		Two-Year Public Colleges	12	2	3	0	4	0	3	
		Independent Colleges & Universities	0							
		Not Trackable	0							
		Not Found	28							
		Total High School Graduates	40							
	221801013	PREMIER HIGH SCHOOL OF AUSTIN								
		Four-Year Public University	3							
		Two-Year Public Colleges	11	2	1	0	6	1	1	
		Independent Colleges & Universities	0							
		Not Trackable	2							
		Not Found	24							
		Total High School Graduates	40							
	221801003	PREMIER HIGH SCHOOL OF BROWNSVILLE								
		Four-Year Public University	4							
		Two-Year Public Colleges	27	9	5	3	3	1	6	
		Independent Colleges & Universities	1							
		Not Trackable	9							
		Not Found	40							
		Total High School Graduates	81							

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County	District		Total Graduates	<2.0	2.0- 2.49	2.5- 2.99	3.0- 3.49	>3.5	Unk
	221801021	PREMIER HIGH SCHOOL OF WACO							
		Four-Year Public University	1						
		Two-Year Public Colleges	9	2	2	0	1	3	1
		Independent Colleges & Universities	0						
		Not Trackable	1						
		Not Found	21						
		Total High School Graduates	32						
	WYLIE ISD								
	221912001	WYLIE H S							
		Four-Year Public University	64	6	4	14	19	20	1
		Two-Year Public Colleges	74	10	12	12	11	25	4
		Independent Colleges & Universities	37						
		Not Trackable	0						
		Not Found	39						
		Total High School Graduates	214						
TERRY									
	BROWNFIELD	ISD							
	223901001	BROWNFIELD H S							
		Four-Year Public University	11	2	4	1	3	0	1
		Two-Year Public Colleges	41	13	10	3	4	4	7
		Independent Colleges & Universities	6						
		Not Trackable	1						
		Not Found	57						
		Total High School Graduates	116						

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