

**Annual Texas Success Initiative  
Texas Higher Education Assessment/Alternative (THEA/A) Test  
Report of Student Performance  
2005-2006 High School Graduating Classes**

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Statewide Summary Report**

This Texas Success Initiative (TSI) report contains state-level data summaries disaggregated by student ethnicity, gender, high school curriculum, and economic status. These statewide summaries are followed by independent school district results for each county, and district(s) within each county, listed alphabetically. The data for 90 small districts (those with fewer than five graduates or five students enrolled or for which no students passed any one of the TSI Standards categories) are combined into a single row at the top of the report.

This year, changes were made in how the data is reported with simplified categories that only track Texas public high school graduates who enrolled in Texas public education during the 2005-2006 school year and met TSI standards through TSI testing or test-based exemptions. The definitions below provide descriptions of the data in the report.

**Total High School Graduates** ..... Number of students who graduated from a Texas public high school in academic year 2005-2006.

**Enrolled In Texas Public Higher Education** ..... Number of graduates who enrolled in a public higher education institution the following year (2006-2007 academic year)

**Percent Enrolled**..... Percent of high school graduates who enrolled in a public higher education institution the following year

**2005-06 High School Graduates who enrolled in Texas Public Higher Education the following year and who Met TSI Minimum Passing Standards\***

**All Three Parts**... Number and percent of students enrolled in Texas public higher education (1) who met TSI exemption standards on all relevant sections of the TAKS, SAT, or ACT tests, (2) who met TSI minimum passing standard on all three sections of the THEA Test or an approved alternative test and who were flagged as passing the initial assessment test, or (3) who were reported as having met all the TSI standards in a previous semester.

**Math** .....Number and percent of students (1) who met TSI exemption standards on the math section of the TAKS, SAT, or ACT tests, (2) who met TSI standards on the math section of the THEA Test or an approved alternative test and who were flagged as passing the initial math assessment test, or (3) who were reported as having met the math TSI standard in a previous semester.

**Writing** .....Number and percent of students (1) who met TSI exemption standards on the related section of the TAKS, SAT, or ACT tests, (2) who met TSI standards on the writing section of the THEA Test or an approved alternative test and who were flagged as passing the initial writing assessment test, or (3) who were reported as having met the writing TSI standard in a previous semester.

**Reading**.....Number and percent of students (1) who met TSI exemption standards on the related section of the TAKS, SAT, or ACT tests, (2) who met TSI standards on the reading section of the THEA Test or an approved alternative test and who were flagged as passing the initial reading assessment test, or (3) who were reported as having met the reading TSI standard in a previous semester.

**Percentage Calculation:** The percentage of students who met TSI is calculated by dividing the number who pass one or all the TSI sections by the total number of students who enrolled in Texas Public Higher Education, which is shown in column 2.

\* Not included in the Met TSI Standards categories are enrollees for whom TSI minimum passing standards do not apply, are waived, or are exempted through means other than an approved test. Examples include students with military service, students enrolled in non-credit or non-degree programs, and students enrolled in a Level-One certificate program.

**The following four pages show statewide summary tables for 2005-06 high school graduates enrolled in Texas higher education 2006-2007 by gender, ethnicity, diploma type, and economically disadvantaged status.**

**The TSI ISD Summary Report is offered here in spreadsheet formatting to allow further investigation and manipulation of data.**

[Data Supplement](#)

**Annual TSI Test Report of Student Performance  
2005-2006 High School Graduates  
Enrolled in Texas Higher Education, 2006-2007  
Statewide Summary by Gender**

		Met TSI Standards									
		Enrolled		All Areas		Math		Writing		Reading	
Gender	HS Grads	N	% Grads	N	% Enrs	N	% Enrs	N	% Enrs	N	% Enrs
Male	120,288	59,673	49.6	38,514	64.5	42,354	71.0	49,281	82.6	47,911	80.3
Female	120,197	67,840	56.4	44,196	65.1	47,384	69.8	59,373	87.5	55,802	82.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>240,485</b>	<b>127,513</b>	<b>53.0</b>	<b>82,710</b>	<b>64.9</b>	<b>89,738</b>	<b>70.4</b>	<b>108,654</b>	<b>85.2</b>	<b>103,713</b>	<b>81.3</b>

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Enrolled in Texas Higher Education, 2006-2007  
Statewide Summary by Ethnicity**

				Met TSI Standards							
		Enrolled		All Areas		Math		Writing		Reading	
Ethnicity (TEA)	HS Grads	N	% Grads	N	% Enrs	N	% Enrs	N	% Enrs	N	% Enrs
Native	816	410	50.2	264	64.4	280	68.3	348	84.9	336	82.0
Asian	9,037	5,846	64.7	4,564	78.1	4,944	84.6	5,147	88.0	4,999	85.5
Afr. Amer.	32,183	15,540	48.3	7,053	45.4	8,249	53.1	11,527	74.2	10,517	67.7
Hispanic	85,455	39,101	45.8	21,008	53.7	23,916	61.2	31,846	81.4	29,270	74.9
White	112,994	66,616	59.0	49,821	74.8	52,349	78.6	59,786	89.7	58,591	88.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>240,485</b>	<b>127,513</b>	<b>53.0</b>	<b>82,710</b>	<b>64.9</b>	<b>89,738</b>	<b>70.4</b>	<b>108,654</b>	<b>85.2</b>	<b>103,713</b>	<b>81.3</b>

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Statewide Summary by Diploma Type**

				Met TSI Standards							
		Enrolled		All Areas		Math		Writing		Reading	
Diploma Type	HS Grads	N	% Grads	N	% Enrs	N	% Enrs	N	% Enrs	N	% Enrs
Distinguished	24,355	17,413	71.5	15,695	90.1	15,989	91.8	16,571	95.2	16,459	94.5
Individual Ed Plan	8,855	1,454	16.4	155	10.7	213	14.6	478	32.9	375	25.8
Minimum	49,649	14,679	29.6	4,737	32.3	5,775	39.3	9,911	67.5	9,083	61.9
Recommended	157,626	93,967	59.6	62,123	66.1	67,761	72.1	81,694	86.9	77,796	82.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>240,485</b>	<b>127,513</b>	<b>53.0</b>	<b>82,710</b>	<b>64.9</b>	<b>89,738</b>	<b>70.4</b>	<b>108,654</b>	<b>85.2</b>	<b>103,713</b>	<b>81.3</b>

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Statewide Summary by Economically Disadvantaged Status**

		Met TSI Standards									
		Enrolled		All Areas		Math		Writing		Reading	
Economically Disadvantaged Status	HS Grads	N	% Grads	N	% Enrs	N	% Enrs	N	% Enrs	N	% Enrs
N/A	166,833	95,978	57.5	66,670	69.5	71,203	74.2	83,910	87.4	81,021	84.4
Free meal	53,017	21,177	39.9	10,421	49.2	12,160	57.4	16,291	76.9	14,963	70.7
Red. price	13,189	6,545	49.6	3,692	56.4	4,156	63.5	5,402	82.5	4,978	76.1
Other	7,446	3,813	51.2	1,927	50.5	2,219	58.2	3,051	80.0	2,751	72.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>240,485</b>	<b>127,513</b>	<b>53.0</b>	<b>82,710</b>	<b>64.9</b>	<b>89,738</b>	<b>70.4</b>	<b>108,654</b>	<b>85.2</b>	<b>103,713</b>	<b>81.3</b>