

Ellis County SCHOOL GUIDE

Based on the 2025-2026 School Year



Texas Education Agency's Accountability Ratings and Texas Academic Performance Report

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T.A.P.R. Texas Academic Performance Reports

The Texas Academic Performance Reports (TAPR) pull together a wide range of information on the performance of students in each school and district in Texas every year. Performance is shown disaggregated by student groups, including ethnicity and low income status. The reports also provide extensive information on school and district staff, programs, and student demographics.

ACCOUNTABILITY RATINGS

The Texas Education Agency Multi-Year District Ratings show the accountability ratings for districts and all schools within the district (based on the new STAAR State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness tests as well as other indicators).

The below ratings are based on the 2025-2026 School Year. Updated August 2026

Avalon ISD

www.avalonisd.net

District Overall Rating B	
Total Students (Enrollment)	347
Total Staff	44.2
Number of Students per Teacher	14.5
Attendance Rate (2024-25)	94.8%
Annual Dropout Rate, Gr 9-12	0.0%
SAT/ACT Results, Annual Graduates - Tested	95.7%
Average SAT Score, All Subjects	900
Average ACT Score, All Subjects	15.8
STAAR Participation - Assessment Participant	100%
STAAR Performance Rate - All Grades	69%
4-Year Fed Graduation Rate Without Exclusions	100.0%

Accountability Ratings

Campus	Rating
Avalon School	B
Postsecondary Readiness	Earned

Ennis ISD

www.ennis.k12.tx.us

District Overall Rating C	
Total Students (Enrollment)	6,646
Total Staff	819.5
Number of Students per Teacher	15.3
Attendance Rate (2024-25)	93.0%
Annual Dropout Rate, Gr 9-12	0.1%
SAT/ACT Results, Annual Graduates - Tested	47.3%
Average SAT Score, All Subjects	970
Average ACT Score, All Subjects	17.1
STAAR Participation - Assessment Participant	98%
STAAR Performance Rate - All Grades	70%
4-Year Fed Graduation Rate Without Exclusions	97.2%

Accountability Ratings

Campus	Rating
Alamo Middle	C
Austin Elementary	B
Closing The Gaps	Earned
Postsecondary Readiness	Earned
Bowie Elementary	D
David S Crockett Early Childhood Center	D
Dorie Miller Int	C
Mathematics	Earned
Ellis Co Jjaep	Not Rated
Ennis High School	B
Ennis Middle	C
G W Carver Early Childhood Center	B
Houston Elementary	D
Jack Lummus Int	D
Travis Elementary	B
Closing The Gaps	Earned
Postsecondary Readiness	Earned

Ferris ISD

www.ferrisid.org

District Overall Rating B	
Total Students (Enrollment)	3,010
Total Staff	500.8
Number of Students per Teacher	13.5
Attendance Rate (2024-25)	93.4%
Annual Dropout Rate, Gr 9-12	0.1%
SAT/ACT Results, Annual Graduates - Tested	83.7%
Average SAT Score, All Subjects	969
Average ACT Score, All Subjects	16.7
STAAR Participation - Assessment Participant	99%
STAAR Performance Rate - All Grades	70%
4-Year Fed Graduation Rate Without Exclusions	97.0%

Accountability Ratings

Campus	Rating
Ellis County Jjaep	Not Rated
Ferris High School	B
Progress	Earned
Ferris Middle	C
Social Studies	Earned
Hazel Ingram Elementary	B
Lee Longino Elementary	B
Mathematics	Earned
Science	Earned
Progress	Earned
Closing The Gaps	Earned
Lucy Mae Mcdonald Elementary	C

Italy ISD

www.italyisd.org

District Overall Rating B	
Total Students (Enrollment)	597
Total Staff	105.9
Number of Students per Teacher	11.8
Attendance Rate (2024-25)	94.0%
Annual Dropout Rate, Gr 9-12	1.0%
SAT/ACT Results, Annual Graduates - Tested	59.2%
Average SAT Score, All Subjects	*
Average ACT Score, All Subjects	17.2
STAAR Participation - Assessment Participant	100%
STAAR Performance Rate - All Grades	72%
4-Year Fed Graduation Rate Without Exclusions	97.9%

Accountability Ratings

Campus	Rating
Italy High School	B
Postsecondary Readiness	Earned
Stafford Elementary	D

Maypearl ISD

www.maypearlisd.org

District Overall Rating C	
Total Students (Enrollment)	1,209
Total Staff	153.7
Number of Students per Teacher	14.4
Attendance Rate (2024-25)	94.3%
Annual Dropout Rate, Gr 9-12	1.3%
SAT/ACT Results, Annual Graduates - Tested	41.1%
Average SAT Score, All Subjects	1066
Average ACT Score, All Subjects	23.5
STAAR Participation - Assessment Participant	100%
STAAR Performance Rate - All Grades	73%
4-Year Fed Graduation Rate Without Exclusions	94.6%

Accountability Ratings

Campus	Rating
Lorene Smith Kirkpatrick Elementary	B
Progress	Earned
Maypearl High School	B
Maypearl Middle	C

Midlothian ISD

www.midlothian-isd.net

District Overall Rating B	
Total Students (Enrollment)	11,356
Total Staff	1,298.3
Number of Students per Teacher	16.6
Attendance Rate (2024-25)	95.3%
Annual Dropout Rate, Gr 9-12	0.3%
SAT/ACT Results, Annual Graduates - Tested	87.3%
Average SAT Score, All Subjects	988
Average ACT Score, All Subjects	21.2
STAAR Participation - Assessment Participant	100%
STAAR Performance Rate - All Grades	83%
4-Year Fed Graduation Rate Without Exclusions	96.5%

Accountability Ratings

Campus	Rating
Dolores Mcclatchey Elementary	A
Earl & Marthalu Dieterich Middle	A
Frank Seale Middle	C
Irvin Elementary	C
Science	Earned
J A Vitovsky Elementary	C
Science	Earned
Jean Coleman Elementary	A
Science	Earned
Progress	Earned
Closing The Gaps	Earned
Larue Miller Elementary	B
Longbranch Elementary	B
Midlothian Heritage High School	A
Closing The Gaps	Earned

Midlothian High School	A
Progress	Earned
Closing The Gaps	Earned
Postsecondary Readiness	Earned
Mt Peak Elementary	C
T E Baxter Elementary	B
Walnut Grove Middle	A

Milford ISD

www.milfordisd.org

District Overall Rating C	
Total Students (Enrollment)	258
Total Staff	39.3
Number of Students per Teacher	11.4
Attendance Rate (2024-25)	94.6%
Annual Dropout Rate, Gr 9-12	2.1%
SAT/ACT Results, Annual Graduates - Tested	56.5%
Average SAT Score, All Subjects	*
Average ACT Score, All Subjects	16.8
STAAR Participation - Assessment Participant	100%
STAAR Performance Rate - All Grades	56%
4-Year Fed Graduation Rate Without Exclusions	100.0%

Accountability Ratings

Campus	Rating
Milford School	C

Palmer ISD

www.palmer-isd.org

District Overall Rating B	
Total Students (Enrollment)	1,352
Total Staff	164.7
Number of Students per Teacher	15.9
Attendance Rate (2024-25)	95.6%
Annual Dropout Rate, Gr 9-12	0.2%
SAT/ACT Results, Annual Graduates - Tested	59.2%
Average SAT Score, All Subjects	1002
Average ACT Score, All Subjects	*
STAAR Participation - Assessment Participant	100%
STAAR Performance Rate - All Grades	81%
4-Year Fed Graduation Rate Without Exclusions	98.7%

Accountability Ratings

Campus	Rating
Palmer Elementary	C
Palmer High School	A
Ela/Reading	Earned
Social Studies	Earned
Progress	Earned
Closing The Gaps	Earned
Palmer Middle	B
Ela/Reading	Earned
Mathematics	Earned
Progress	Earned
Closing The Gaps	Earned
Postsecondary Readiness	Earned



Red Oak ISD

www.redoakisd.org

District Overall Rating C	
Total Students (Enrollment)	6,696
Total Staff	961.6
Number of Students per Teacher	15.9
Attendance Rate (2024-25)	94.6%
Annual Dropout Rate, Gr 9-12	1.4%
SAT/ACT Results, Annual Graduates - Tested	87.8%
Average SAT Score, All Subjects	924
Average ACT Score, All Subjects	18.1
STAAR Participation - Assessment Participant	99%
STAAR Performance Rate - All Grades	71%
4-Year Fed Graduation Rate Without Exclusions	92.8%

Accountability Ratings

Campus	Rating
Dr Joy Shaw Middle	C
Eastridge Elementary	C
Postsecondary Readiness	Earned
Ellis Co Jjaep	Not Rated
Red Oak Elementary	C
Red Oak High School	B
Science	Earned
Social Studies	Earned
Red Oak Middle	C
Russell P Schupmann Elementary	C
Shields Elementary	B
Science	Earned
Progress	Earned
Wooden Elementary	B
Ela/Reading	Earned
Mathematics	Earned
Progress	Earned
Closing The Gaps	Earned
Postsecondary Readiness	Earned

Waxahachie ISD

www.wisd.org

District Overall Rating B	
Total Students (Enrollment)	11,196
Total Staff	1,643.1
Number of Students per Teacher	14.4
Attendance Rate (2024-25)	94.6%
Annual Dropout Rate, Gr 9-12	0.6%
SAT/ACT Results, Annual Graduates - Tested	44.3%
Average SAT Score, All Subjects	1023
Average ACT Score, All Subjects	20.7
STAAR Participation - Assessment Participant	99%
STAAR Performance Rate - All Grades	75%
4-Year Fed Graduation Rate Without Exclusions	96.4%

Accountability Ratings

Campus	Rating
Clift Elementary	F
Coleman Middle	B
Progress	Earned
Closing The Gaps	Earned
Dunaway Elementary	C
Ellis Co Jjaep	Not Rated
Felty Elementary	C
Finley Middle	C
Howard Middle	C
Mathematics	Earned
Marvin Biomedical Academy	D
Northside Elementary	D
Ray Elementary	B
Science	Earned
Progress	Earned
Shackelford Elementary	B
Science	Earned
Closing The Gaps	Earned
Simpson Elementary	B
Closing The Gaps	Earned
Turner Prekindergarten Academy	B
Waxahachie Global High School	A
Social Studies	Earned
Progress	Earned
Waxahachie High School	B
Waxahachie High School Of Choice	A
Wedgeworth Elementary	C
Wilemon Steam Academy	B

Learn more about your **School** or **District**

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Here is what you can find:

- Accountability Overview
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