

# Texas Public Schools and Charters, Explanation of Symbols and Terms

## County, District, Region, School

The information on Texas public schools is arranged by counties, school districts (with education service center [ESC] region number following), and schools. Addresses, telephone numbers, and zip codes are shown immediately following the counties and school districts.

## County-District-School Number

These columns show the identification numbers used by the Texas Education Agency (TEA) for Texas counties, school districts, and schools. The counties of the state are numbered from 1 through 254 in alphabetical order. In 2010-11, there were 1,265 educational entities with TEA-assigned school district numbers.

TEA-assigned school numbers are unique identification numbers only; they do not denote school types (e.g., elementary school, junior high school, high school). Schools are numbered from 001 through 698. Schools are categorized as: regular instructional; alternative instructional; juvenile justice alternative education program instructional (JJAEP); disciplinary alternative education program instructional (DAEP); charter/regular instructional; charter/alternative instructional; charter/JJAEP instructional; or charter/DAEP instructional.

School type	Category					Status		
	Regular instructional	Alternative instructional	JJAEP	DAEP	Total	Active	Under construction	Total
Elementary school	4,574	84	1	20	4,679	4,593	86	4,679
Middle school	1,322	19	5	14	1,360	1,340	20	1,360
Junior high school	324	5	0	0	329	325	4	329
High school	1,268	357	21	26	1,672	1,648	24	1,672
Elementary/secondary school <sup>a</sup>	327	334	286	239	1,186	1,179	7	1,186
Ungraded (Windham Texas Department of Criminal Justice)	101	7	1	0	109	109	0	109
All school types	7,916	806	314	299	9,335	9,194	141	9,335

Note. School counts are based on grades taught at the schools.

<sup>a</sup>Special Education school counts are included in the elementary/secondary school counts.

## County and District Superintendents, Principals

The names of county superintendents, district superintendents, and school principals are shown opposite the administrative units they supervise. County superintendents whose names carry an asterisk (\*) are ex-officio superintendents.

## Grades

This column shows grade levels taught, including early education (EE), prekindergarten (PK), kindergarten (KG), and ungraded (UG).

## Enrollment

This column shows the fall 2009 enrollment for each school district and school. If the school configuration for a district changed for the 2010-11 school year, the school counts may not add to the district total. Revised school configurations for 2010-11 are received in the summer of 2010. When enrollment is fewer than five students or could be imputed from district totals, the count is masked with a dash (–) to protect student anonymity.

## Appraised Valuation and Tax Rates

Appraised valuation is in thousands. Tax rates are per \$100 of appraised valuation. Values are those reported by districts in their 2009-10 official budgets.

## **Texas Public School Districts and Charters: Additions, Deletions, Consolidations, and Annexations, October 2010**

### **Additions of School Districts**

**Harris County (101).** Education Service Center (ESC) Region 04. Effective January 14, 2010, Koinonia Community Learning Academy became a new charter school district. The official name is Koinonia Community Learning Academy (County-District Number [CDN] 101-863).

**Williamson County (246).** ESC Region 13. Effective October 21, 2010, Meridian World School LLC became a new charter school district. The official name is Meridian World School LLC (CDN 246-801).

### **Deletions of School Districts**

**Harris County (101).** Effective March 02, 2010, Gulf Shores Academy (CDN 101-843) was obsoleted as a reporting charter school district.

**Jefferson County (123).** Effective March 02, 2010, Academy of Beaumont (CDN 123-801) was obsoleted as a reporting charter school district.

**Travis County (227).** Effective March 02, 2010, SAILL (CDN 227-823) was obsoleted as a reporting charter school district.

### **Consolidations of School Districts**

**Fort Bend County (079).** Effective July 01, 2010, Lamar CISD (CDN 079-901) consolidated with Kendleton ISD (CDN 079-908). The official name is Lamar CISD (CDN 079-901).