Appendix F – Accountability Reports

District and campus accountability information is presented online in several different reports, each of which is described below.

Accountability Summary
This one-page overview of performance presents the following information:
- Accountability Rating
- Performance Index Report
- Performance Index Summary
- Distinction Designation
- Campus Demographics
- System Safeguards

A sample accountability summary is provided at the end of this appendix.

Index Calculations and Data Tables
For each index, a district or campus must meet a specific target in order to demonstrate acceptable performance. These reports detail how each index score was calculated and provide the disaggregated data used in the calculations.

Accountability Ratings Index Data Overview (available for campuses only)
This report compares the index scores of all of campuses in a campus comparison group.

System Safeguards
System safeguards have been established to meet state accountability-related intervention requirements. Performance results are disaggregated to show the performance of each student subgroup on each of the indicators. The purpose of the system safeguard report is to ensure that—in the aggregated district or campus reports—substandard performance in one or more areas or by one or more student groups is not disguised by higher performance in other areas or by other student groups.

The following indicators are included in the system safeguard report:
- Performance Rates (district and campus) by subject - for reading, mathematics, writing, science, and social studies
- Federal Performance Rates (district and campus) by subject - for reading and mathematics
- Participation Rates (district and campus) by subject - for reading and mathematics
- Federal Graduation Rates (district and campus)
- Federal Limits on Alternative Assessments (district only)

Results for the following student groups are included in system safeguard reports:
- All students
- Racial/ethnic student groups: African American, American Indian, Asian, Hispanic, Pacific Islander, white, and two or more races
- Economically disadvantaged
- Students served by special education
- English language learners (ELLs)
See “Chapter 8 – System Safeguards and Other Federal Requirements” for further information about system safeguards.

**Distinction Designation Reports**

**Distinction Designation Summary Report**

Campuses and districts that receive an accountability rating of *Met Standard* are eligible for distinction designations. For each designation, this report lists the indicators and shows the indicator score, campus quartile, the outcome (percent of eligible indicators in the top quartile), and whether the distinction was earned. The designations are as follows:

- **Academic Achievement in ELA/Reading** *(campus only)* - The campus achieved the top quartile (top 25%) in relation to its campus comparison group on 50 percent or more (elementary/middle schools) or 33 percent or more (combined elementary/secondary and high schools) of eligible measures in ELA/reading.

- **Academic Achievement in Mathematics** *(campus only)* - The campus achieved the top quartile (top 25%) in relation to its campus comparison group on 50 percent or more (elementary/middle schools) or 33 percent or more (combined elementary/secondary and high schools) of eligible measures in mathematics.

- **Academic Achievement in Science** *(campus only)* - The campus achieved the top quartile (top 25%) in relation to its campus comparison group on 50 percent or more (elementary/middle schools) or 33 percent or more (combined elementary/secondary and high schools) of eligible measures in science.

- **Academic Achievement in Social Studies** *(campus only)* - The campus achieved the top quartile (top 25%) in relation to its campus comparison group on 50 percent or more (elementary/middle schools) or 33 percent or more (combined elementary/secondary and high schools) of eligible measures in social studies.

- **Top 25 Percent: Student Progress** *(campus only)* - The campus achieved the top quartile (top 25%) of performance on Index 2: Student Progress in relation to its campus comparison group.

- **Top 25 Percent: Closing Performance Gaps** *(campus only)* - The campus achieved the top quartile (top 25%) of performance on Index 3: Closing Performance Gaps in relation to its campus comparison group.

- **Postsecondary Readiness** *(district and campus)* - The district or campus achieved outstanding academic performance in postsecondary readiness. Elementary and middle schools must achieve the top quartile (top 25%) of performance on Index 4: Postsecondary Readiness in relation to its campus comparison group. High schools and K–12 campuses must achieve at least 33 percent of the indicators in the top quartile. Districts must have at least 55 percent of its campus-level indicators in the top quartile.

**Campus Comparison Group** *(available for campuses only)*

This report lists 40 campuses that comprise the campus comparison group used in determining distinction designations. For each of the campuses, the report gives data on the criteria used to form campus comparison groups.
**Distinction Designation Data Overview Report** (available for campuses only)

This report gives further details about the performance of each campus in the comparison group on any specific indicator of the selected distinction designation. For more information on this report, see [https://rptsrvr1.tea.texas.gov/perfreport/account/2017/dddor_explanation.html](https://rptsrvr1.tea.texas.gov/perfreport/account/2017/dddor_explanation.html)

See “Chapter 5 – Distinction Designations” for further information.
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Accountability Rating
Met Standard

Met Standards on
- Student Achievement
- Student Progress
- Closing Performance Gaps
- Postsecondary Readiness

Did Not Meet Standards on
- NONE

In 2017, to receive a Met Standard or Met Alternative Standard rating, districts and campuses must meet targets on three indices: Index 1 or Index 2 and Index 3 and Index 4.

Performance Index Report

Index
1 - Student Achievement
2 - Student Progress
3 - Closing Performance Gaps
4 - Postsecondary Readiness

Indices that meet the target
Indices that did not meet the target
Summary of each index calculation (Index Score = Points Earned ÷ Maximum Points)

Distinction Designation

A

B

C

D

E

Demographics

Campus Demographics

Campus Type
High School
Campus Size
2,080 Students
Grade Span
09 - 12
Percent Economically Disadvantaged
28.7
Percent English Language Learners
2.7
Mobility Rate
11.3
Percent Served by Special Education
9.2
Percent Enrolled in an Early College High School Program
18.6

System Safeguards

Number and Percentage of Indicators Met

Performance Rates
22 out of 25 = 88%
Participation Rates
14 out of 15 = 93%
Graduation Rates
6 out of 6 = 100%
Total
42 out of 47 = 89%

1 2017 accountability rating
2 Indices that meet the target
3 Indices that did not meet the target
4 Index scores
5 Summary of each index calculation (Index Score = Points Earned ÷ Maximum Points)

A Stars indicate the number of distinctions earned.
B Possible distinction designations
C Distinction earned | no distinction earned | not eligible
D Demographics used in creating campus comparison group
E System safeguards are based on disaggregated performance results and used to meet state intervention requirements.