State Accountability Update

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Texas Education Agency
Academics
Performance Reporting
2017 Final Accountability Ratings
2017 Accountability Appeals

- Performance Reporting received 66 appeals.
  - 52 campus appeals
  - 14 district appeals

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2017 Accountability Appeals

- **By November 14**
  Release appeal decision letters to districts by mail and in TEASE

- **November 14**
  Final 2017 Accountability Ratings released to districts and the public
Final 2018–19 PEG List

- **November 14**
  Release Final 2018–19 PEG List

- Several campuses from the preliminary 2018–19 PEG list published in August will be removed from the final 2018–19 PEG list.

- These campuses appealed their accountability ratings, and those appeals were successful.

- Not every campus with a successful appeal was removed from the list.

- Please note that while academic accountability ratings are appealable, placement on the PEG list is not.
2017 TAPR Reports

Changes to the 2017 TAPR

- **STAAR Performance Level Descriptors**
  STAAR results are categorized as Approaches Grade Level, Meets Grade Level, or Masters Grade Level.

- **Inclusion of 2016 STAAR Data**
  STAAR data for 2016 is included to allow for direct comparisons of 2016 to 2017. The 2015–16 TAPR included only one year of data.
Changes to the 2017 TAPR

- **Student Success Initiative (SSI)**
  The SSI grade-advancement requirement was suspended for the 2015–16 school year, and the June administrations of STAAR for grade 5 and grade 8 were cancelled. As a result, the following data have been removed for both reading and mathematics.
  - STAAR Non-Proficient Students Promoted by Grade Placement Committee
  - STAAR Met Standard (Not Proficient in Previous Year campus)
    - Promoted to Grade 6 or 9
    - Retained in Grade 5 or 8
Changes to the 2017 TAPR

- **Participation**
  STAAR participation data for 2016 is included to allow for comparisons of 2016 to 2017.

- **Graduation Rate**
  Lines have been added that indicate the 6-year extended federal graduation rate without exclusions for the Class of 2014 and the Class of 2013.

- **Profile**
  Lines have been added that indicate the counts and percentages of students with disabilities. These counts are disaggregated by type of primary disability.
Changes to the 2017 TAPR

- **Mobility**
  Lines have been added that indicate the mobility rate by race/ethnicity.

- **Staff Information**
  Lines have been added that indicate the average years of experience of campus leadership.
November 16
Release Final 2017 TAPR Reports

Cover pages were updated with 2017 final accountability ratings and distinction designations.

District cover pages were updated with 2017 special education determination status.
## Updated 2017 Accountability Calendar

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Local Accountability Systems
2018 Local Accountability Systems Pilot

- **October 31**
  Deadline to submit Notification of Interest (NOI) forms

- 50 NOIs received

- PR staff is reviewing NOIs and will notify selected districts in December.

- TETN December 7 (1 PM) with ESCs to announce the pilot districts and outline the next steps.
2018 Accountability Development
Accountability Advisory Committees

- **November**
  ATAC Meeting

- **December**
  APAC Meeting

- Committees will analyze data modeling by domain. The goal for each meeting is for the committees to make recommendations on weighting and cut points.
Feedback and Final Decisions

- **Through December 2017**
  Stakeholder feedback continues

- **Early spring 2018**
  The commissioner announces the structure of the A–F system including accountability ratings criteria and targets for 2018.
ESSA Update

- **September 25, 2017**
  TEA submitted the state’s ESSA plan to the USDE.

- The USDE has 120 days to review Texas’ state plan and will conduct a peer review as part of the process.

- A copy of the ESSA state plan is available on TEA’s website
  https://tea.texas.gov/About_TEA/Laws_and_Rules/ESSA/Every_Student_Succeeds_Act/
Questions & Answers
What questions about HB 22 and A–F development are you receiving?
Performance Reporting Resources and Contacts

- **Performance Reporting Resources**

- **Performance Reporting Home Page**
  [http://tea.texas.gov/accountability/](http://tea.texas.gov/accountability/)

- **Performance Reporting Email**
  [performance.reporting@tea.texas.gov](mailto:performance.reporting@tea.texas.gov)

- **A–F Feedback Email**
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- **Performance Reporting Telephone**
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