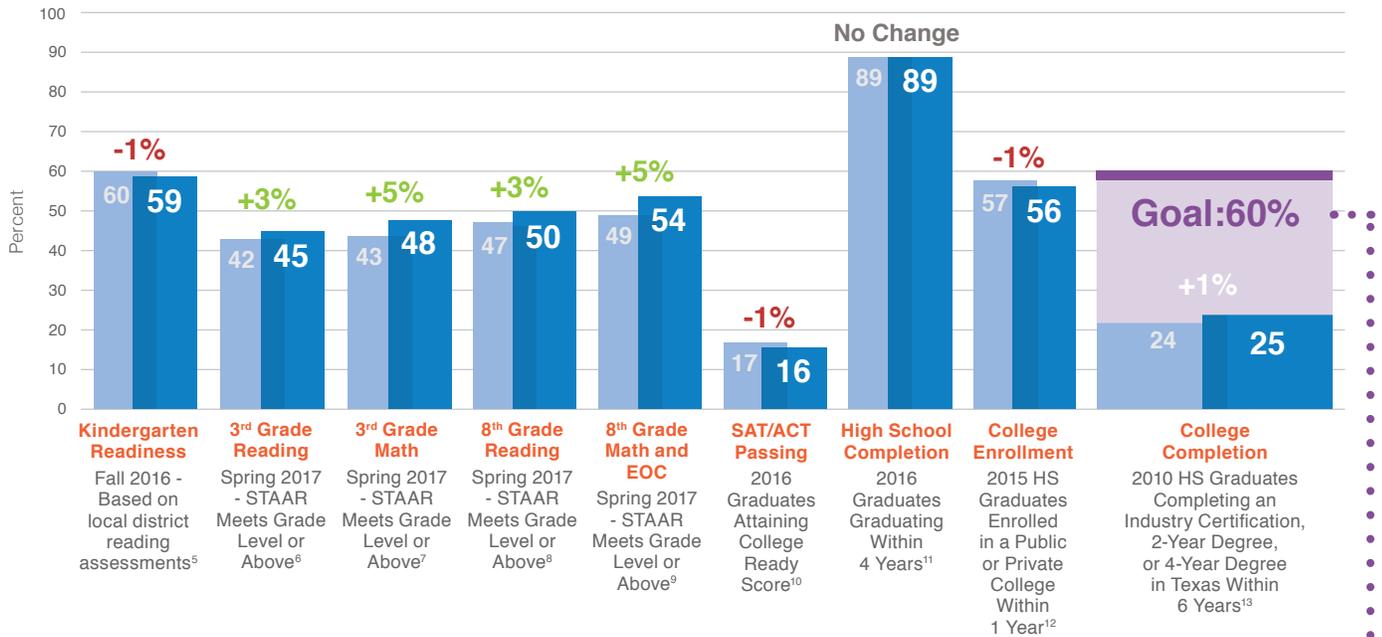


# THE STATE'S 60X30 PLAN

## CURRENT TEXAS STUDENT OUTCOMES



By the year 2030, projections indicate that most jobs will require some training beyond high school. This could be a traditional 4-year degree, a 2-year associate's, or an industry credential. But today, **too few Texas students are obtaining postsecondary credentials**. Without bold action, Texas faces a future of diminished incomes, opportunities and resources.

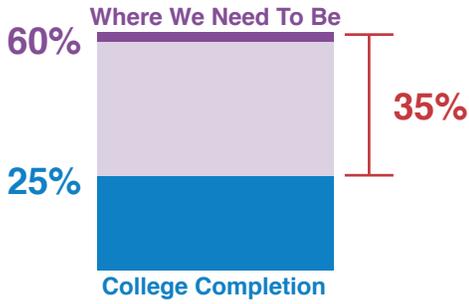
The 60x30TX Plan is designed to ensure that a competitive and prosperous future remains for students seeking to better their lives and the lives of their families. Initiated by the Higher Education Coordinating Board, the state has adopted 60x30TX as our collective goal.

## OUR COLLECTIVE GOAL



By 2030, at least **60%** of Texans ages 25-34 will have a postsecondary certificate or degree. To learn more, visit [60x30tx.com](http://60x30tx.com)

# TEXAS EDUCATION AGENCY STRATEGIC PLAN



In an effort to support far more rapid improvements in student outcomes to meet the goals of 60x30TX, the Texas Education Agency has adopted a strategic plan. The plan includes four strategic priorities, built on three supporting actions.

## RECRUIT, SUPPORT AND RETAIN TEACHERS AND PRINCIPALS



Teachers are the most important in-school factor affecting student outcomes.

## BUILD A FOUNDATION OF READING AND MATH



It's much easier to close the achievement gap if we never let it start.

## CONNECT HIGH SCHOOL TO CAREER AND COLLEGE



Rigor and relevance matter.

## IMPROVE LOW PERFORMING SCHOOLS



Every child. Every classroom. Every day.

## ACTIONS SUPPORTING THESE PRIORITIES



Increase **transparency**, **fairness**, and **rigor** in district and campus academic and financial performance.



Ensure **compliance**, effectively **implement legislation**, and **inform** policy makers.



Strengthen **organizational foundations** (resource efficiency, culture, capabilities, partnerships).