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Section I: Introduction
**The Performance-Based Monitoring Analysis System (PBMAS)**

The PBMAS is a district-level, data-driven monitoring system developed and implemented annually by Performance-Based Monitoring (PBM) staff in coordination with other Texas Education Agency (TEA) divisions and departments. The PBMAS 2015 Manual is intended to serve as a comprehensive technical resource for the PBMAS, which is used by TEA as one part of its annual evaluation of school districts' performance and program effectiveness.

**Guiding Principles of the PBMAS**

The PBMAS is based on the following guiding principles:

**School District Effectiveness.** PBMAS is intended to assist school districts in their efforts to improve local performance.

**Statutory Requirements.** PBMAS is designed to meet statutory requirements.

**Indicator Design.** PBMAS indicators reflect critical areas of student performance, program effectiveness, and data integrity.

**Maximum Inclusion.** PBMAS evaluates a maximum number of school districts by using appropriate alternatives to analyze the performance of districts with small numbers of students.

**Individual Program Accountability.** PBMAS is structured to ensure low performance in one program area cannot be offset by high performance in other program areas or lead to interventions in program areas where performance is high.

**High Standards.** PBMAS promotes high standards for all students in all districts. Standards will be adjusted over time to ensure continued student achievement and progress.

**Annual Statewide Evaluation.** PBMAS ensures the annual evaluation of all school districts in the state.

**Public Input and Accessibility.** The design, development, and implementation of the PBMAS are informed by public input received through meetings with school districts and education service centers, the public comment period included in the annual rule adoption of PBMAS manuals, and ongoing Texas Education Telecommunications Network (TETN) sessions. The performance information PBMAS generates is available to the public.

**System Evolution.** PBMAS is a dynamic system in which indicators are added, revised, or deleted in response to changes and developments that occur outside of the system, including new legislation and the development of new assessments.

**Coordination.** PBMAS is part of an overall agency coordination strategy for the performance-based evaluation of school districts.

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1 Unless otherwise noted, the term districts includes open-enrollment charters.
Changes to the PBMAS in 2015

The 2015 PBMAS includes several key changes from the 2014 system. Many of these changes are marked in the manual as “New!” for easy reference.

Revisions to the State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR)² are reflected in the 2015 PBMAS with the revision of STAAR indicators to include STAAR A and STAAR Alternate 2 results. To address the inclusion of these two assessments, the 2015 PBMAS incorporates new performance level provisions related to certain indicators that evaluate the performance of students served in special education. These provisions are summarized in Section II of this manual. Additionally, since performance standards for the redesigned grades 3-8 mathematics tests will not be determined prior to finalizing the 2015 PBMAS, passing standards equivalent to the previous mathematics tests will be used. New cut points have been implemented for the graduation rate indicators in all four program areas, and performance level assignments were added for all STAAR end-of-course (EOC) social studies (i.e., U.S. History) indicators. Other changes unique to each PBMAS program area are summarized below.

Bilingual Education and English as a Second Language (BE/ESL)

Changes to the cut points for BE/ESL Indicator #9 (TELPAS Reading Beginning Proficiency Level Rate) have been implemented.

Career and Technical Education (CTE)

Special analysis has been added to CTE Indicator #8 (CTE Nontraditional Course Completion Rate-Males) and CTE Indicator #9 (CTE Nontraditional Course Completion Rate-Females). To address the inclusion of STAAR A and STAAR Alternate 2 results, new performance level provisions (described in Section II of this manual) have been added to CTE Indicator #4(i-iv) (CTE SPED STAAR EOC Passing Rate).

No Child Left Behind (NCLB)

For the 2015 PBMAS, there are no changes specific to the NCLB program area. However, indicators in this program area are being implemented based on the overall changes described in this manual that affect all PBMAS program areas in 2015.

Special Education (SPED)

Three indicators have been deleted: the SPED STAAR Participation Rate, the SPED STAAR Modified Participation Rate, and the SPED Placements in Instructional Settings 40/41 (Ages 3-5). To address the inclusion of STAAR A and STAAR Alternate 2 results, new performance level provisions (described in Section II of this manual) have been added to SPED Indicator #1(i-v) (SPED STAAR 3-8 Passing Rate) and SPED Indicator #3(i-iv) (SPED STAAR EOC Passing Rate). Performance levels will be assigned for the first time to SPED Indicator #5, the Regular Early Childhood Program Rate (Ages 3-5). Finally, the 2015 PBMAS marks the beginning of a transition to a new performance level structure for SPED Indicator #17 (SPED Discretionary DAEP Placements), SPED Indicator #18 (SPED Discretionary ISS Placements), and SPED Indicator #19 (SPED Discretionary OSS Placements). This new structure will, starting with the 2017 PBMAS, replace the current percentage point difference with the rate of disproportionality.

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Planning for the Future: 2016 and Beyond

Ongoing implementation of the PBMAS will include the addition of new indicators, revision of current indicators, and deletion of indicators that are no longer necessary. Factors independent from the PBMAS itself are also likely to have an impact on the future versions of PBMAS. These factors include the following:

- legislatively required changes to the statewide assessment program, STAAR;
- reauthorizations of federal statutes, including NCLB;
- results of any state or federal reviews, guidance, and regulations;
- changes to data collection definitions and processes; and
- legislation from a regular or special legislative session.
Section II: Components of the 2015 PBMAS
Data Sources

Data used in the PBMAS come from a variety of sources. Student assessment data are obtained from data files provided by TEA’s test contractor. Data obtained from areas within TEA include dropout and longitudinal graduation data from the Research and Analysis Division and Public Education Information Management System (PEIMS) data from the Statewide Education Data Systems Division. Specific information about data sources is included in the description of each indicator in Section III of this manual.

The calculations for each indicator are based on the most current data available and, for ease of understanding, are presented in this manual as single-year calculations. In certain instances, however, multiple years of data are combined in order to meet minimum size requirements. (See Minimum Size Requirements and Special Analysis.)

Data Exclusions

Students described under Texas Education Code, §39.054(f) are excluded from the computation of annual dropout rates. In addition, the results of students assessed with STAAR L in one or more subject areas are excluded from PBMAS STAAR performance indicators. Any other exclusions that have been applied to a specific indicator are identified in the description of the indicator in Section III of this manual.

No Data Available for an Indicator

A district with no data available for evaluation receives a designation of No Data, meaning the district cannot be evaluated because of an absence of data. For example, if a district had no migrant students to report in a particular year’s data collection, then for any migrant indicator based on that data collection, the PBMAS report for the district will indicate a performance level (PL) of No Data. Districts with one or more PL designations of No Data should examine their local data collection and submission procedures as well as the Data Source section for each PBMAS indicator to confirm the accuracy of the No Data designation. It is the ongoing responsibility of districts to ensure students are coded correctly for both PEIMS and student assessment data. In addition, data validation analyses and reviews are conducted by the agency as part of its performance-based monitoring activities.

Accountability Subset

Students who are enrolled in a district on October 31, 2014 (fall snapshot date) and test in the same district in the fall of 2014 or spring of 2015 are considered to be in the “accountability subset” while students who are enrolled in a district on October 31, 2014 but not enrolled in the same district for fall 2014 or spring 2015 spring testing are not in the accountability subset. The accountability subset for students who test in the summer of 2014 is based on the 2013 fall snapshot date. Whether the accountability subset is used for a particular indicator is noted in the description of the indicator.

Rounding

All PBMAS calculations are rounded to one decimal place. For example, 79.877% is rounded to 79.9%.

Masking

District data are released to each school district as allowed under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA). PBMAS data released to the public are masked to protect student confidentiality.
Performance Levels

A performance level (PL) is the result that occurs when a standard is applied to a district’s performance on an indicator. The performance levels available for indicators in the 2015 PBMAS include Not Assigned (NA) (including Not Assigned through SA or DI), 0, 0 SA, 0 RI, 1, 1 SA, 2, 2 SA, 3, and 3 SA. SA refers to special analysis, which is described in the Minimum Size Requirements and Special Analysis section. RI refers to Required Improvement, which is also described in a separate section. DI refers to data integrity and is used in combination with the NA performance level to address situations where compromised data render any other performance level impossible to determine.

PBMAS indicators all include a range of PLs, and each PL range has an established set of cut points. Throughout the PBMAS indicators, the higher the PL is, the lower the district’s performance is.

New Performance Level Provisions to Address Inclusion of STAAR A and STAAR Alternate 2

Results from the STAAR A and STAAR Alternate 2 will be included in the 2015 PBMAS. The inclusion of these results warrants the implementation of several transitional elements that will enable the PBMAS to continue to evaluate the performance of as many students as possible. For 2015, the key transitional elements are:

Expand the performance level ranges on certain indicators. For SPED Indicator #1(i-v), the performance level (PL) ranges will be expanded for the PL 1, PL 2, and PL 3 assignment. For SPED Indicator #3(i-iv) and CTE Indicator #4(i-iv), the PL range will be expanded for the PL 3 assignment.

Add an additional performance level designation for certain indicators. SPED Indicator #1(i-v), SPED Indicator #3(i-iv), and CTE Indicator #4(i-iv) will include an additional PL 4 assignment.

Implement a targeted hold harmless provision for certain indicators. Under the targeted hold harmless provision, any district that received a PL 0 or 0 RI on the SPED STAAR Modified Participation Rate indicator in the 2014 PBMAS that would otherwise receive a PL 3 or PL 4 on SPED Indicator #1(i-v), SPED Indicator #3(i-iv), or CTE Indicator #4(i-iv) in the 2015 PBMAS will receive a PL 3 HH or PL 4 HH, as applicable. For 2015 PBMAS interventions purposes, the count of PL 3 HH or PL 4 HH under those indicators will not be added to a district’s total PL 3 or PL 4 count.

Changes to PBMAS Cut Points

As part of the annual PBMAS development cycle, the cut points for each PBMAS indicator are evaluated. A decision to adjust cut points for one or more indicators is based on a careful consideration of the following:

- whether a state or federal goal has been identified for the indicator;
- performance of the state on each indicator at the time cut points are set;
- expected and actual improvement on the indicator over time;
- amount of improvement that is reasonable for the indicator;
- overall impact on the PBMAS of adjustments to cut points;
- the PBMAS system’s guiding principles;
- other considerations that could affect performance on particular indicators;
- appropriate cut points across similar indicators; and
- internal and external input.
The table below identifies the PBMAS performance level (PL) 0 cut points for 2014 and 2015, as well as the anticipated PL 0 cut points for 2016. However, all PL cut points are subject to change, including changes that may be necessary as a result of state or federal priorities and requirements.

**PBMAS PL 0 CUT POINTS TABLE**

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**Bilingual Education (BE)/English as a Second Language (ESL) Indicators**

| LEP Recommended High School Program (RHSP)/ Distinguished Achievement Program (DAP) Diploma Rate | 70.0% - 100% | 70.0% - 100% | TBD |
| Texas English Language Proficiency Assessment System (TELPAS) Reading Beginning Proficiency Level Rate | 0% - 4.5% | 0% - 7.5% | 0% - 7.5% |
| TELPAS Composite Rating Levels for Students in U.S. Schools Multiple Years | 0% - 7.5% | 0% - 7.5% | 0% - 7.5% |

**Career and Technical Education (CTE) Indicators**

| CTE RHSP/DAP Diploma Rate | 70.0% - 100% | 70.0% - 100% | TBD |
| Nontraditional Course Completion Rate-Males | 40.0% - 100% | 40.0% - 100% | 40.0% - 100% |
| Nontraditional Course Completion Rate-Females | 40.0% - 100% | 40.0% - 100% | 40.0% - 100% |

**No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act Indicators**

| Title I, Part A RHSP/DAP Diploma Rate | 70.0% - 100% | 70.0% - 100% | TBD |
| Migrant RHSP/DAP Diploma Rate | 70.0% - 100% | 70.0% - 100% | TBD |
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### Report Only Indicators

Some PBMAS indicators are reported for district information and planning purposes. For these indicators, the district performance will be reported along with the overall state rate for the indicator. Minimum size requirements, cut points, and performance levels are not typically applied to these indicators.

Generally after a period of one or two years, performance levels are assigned to Report Only indicators, and district performance on these indicators will be evaluated. The inclusion of Report Only indicators in PBMAS provides districts with an opportunity to review current performance and plan ahead.
Minimum Size Requirements and Special Analysis

A minimum size requirement (MSR) is incorporated into all indicators that are assigned a performance level (PL). In general, districts must have at least thirty (30) students in the relevant segment of the student population denominator to be evaluated on an indicator using the standard PBMAS analysis. In addition, for certain PBMAS indicators, districts must have at least five (5), ten (10), or thirty (30) students in the relevant segment of the student population numerator to be evaluated using the standard PBMAS analysis. The minimum size requirements are noted in the description of each indicator.

Minimum size requirements can be met either in the current year or through the aggregation of numerators and denominators over the most recent two years when the previous year’s data are available. If the minimum size requirement is met for a particular performance indicator, then a district is evaluated using the standard PBMAS analysis. Under standard analysis, when minimum size requirements are met with the current year’s data, a performance level is assigned based on that data in relation to the cut points for the indicator. When minimum size requirements are met based on the most recent two years of data, the numerator and denominator for the current and prior years are aggregated, the indicator is calculated, and a performance level is assigned based on the current year’s cut points for the indicator. Depending on the particular indicator, there may be one or two prior years of data that are aggregated with the current year’s data to assign a performance level. If the minimum size requirement is not met, then the district is evaluated under a process called “special analysis,” which is described below.

There is one exception to the minimum size requirement. If a district does not meet the minimum size requirement for an indicator, but the performance of the district meets the criteria to earn a performance level of 0, then the district receives a performance level of 0, regardless of the number of students in the relevant segment of the student population.

Special analysis is a tool used to analyze the performance of districts that do not meet the minimum size requirements. Performance levels established using the special analysis process will have “SA” appended (NA SA, 0 SA, 1 SA, 2 SA, 3 SA) and will be included on PBMAS reports to districts, along with the district’s numerators, denominators, and rates considered in the special analysis process.

The flowcharts on the following pages depict the process for determining whether standard or special analysis is applied in the PBMAS. Beginning with the 2015 PBMAS, professional judgment special analysis (PJSA) will no longer apply to any PBMAS indicator.
Note: For indicators eligible for the PBMAS special analysis process that have minimum size requirements in both the denominator and the numerator, a district’s group size is determined by the smallest denominator or numerator over the most recent two years.
PBMAS Performance Level Assignment and Special Analysis Process for Group Size of 15-29

Are the PLs the same over two (or three) years? (i.e., 1/1 or 1/1/1, 2/2 or 2/2/2, 3/3 or 3/3/3)

YES

PL assigned
(1 SA, 2 SA, 3 SA)

NO

Are the PLs different over two years but not more than one level apart and no year's PL = 3? (e.g., 1/0, 1/2, 2/1, etc.)

Or

Are PLs different over three years and no year's PL = 3? (e.g., 1/0/1, 1/0/2, 1/2/1, 2/1/1)

YES

If two years of data are available for the indicator, the better of the two PLs is assigned. If three years of data are available for the indicator, the rounded average of the three PLs is assigned.

NO

Any other combination of PLs over two (or three) years = PL of Not Assigned.

Note: Group size is based on the sum of the most recent two years. Previous years’ PLs are determined based on the relevant years' numerators, denominators, and rates presented on the district’s 2015 PBMAS report.
Required Improvement

The PBMAS, by design, has a built-in improvement component. Because the system includes a range of performance levels, districts that demonstrate improvement from one year to the next can progress from one performance level (PL) to another. For example, a district with 65% of its migrant students earning a diploma under the RHSP or DAP received a PL 1 in the 2014 PBMAS. If that same district is able to improve its migrant RHSP/DAP diploma rate to 70% in 2015, it would receive a PL 0 because its performance meets the 2015 PL 0 cut point.

In addition to the system’s built-in improvement component, the 2015 PBMAS will again include a “required improvement” component for certain indicators. The indicator descriptions in Section III of this manual will indicate if required improvement is available for an indicator. Examples of the PBMAS required improvement calculations are provided below.

Required Improvement Calculations

For the indicators where increases in rates are measured in positive numbers and required improvement is available, the following calculation will be used for districts that meet minimum size requirements in both the current and previous year and have an initial performance level result that is not equal to 0:

\[
\text{Actual Change: } \frac{\text{performance in 2015} - \text{performance in 2014}}{\text{number of years to reach minimum PL 0 cut point}} \geq \frac{\text{minimum PL 0 cut point for 2015} - \text{performance in 2014}}{\text{number of years to reach minimum PL 0 cut point}}
\]

**EXAMPLE OF REQUIRED IMPROVEMENT USING NCLB INDICATOR #9: Migrant RHSP/DAP Diploma Rate**

1. Calculate the **Actual Change** for the district’s migrant RHSP/DAP diploma rate:

   **Actual Change:**
   
   \[
   \frac{65.0\% - 58.0\%}{(2015) - (2014)} = 7.0
   \]

2. Calculate the **Required Improvement** for the district’s migrant RHSP/DAP diploma rate:

   **Required Improvement:**
   
   \[
   \frac{70.0\% - 58.0\%}{2 (2016-2014)} = 6.0
   \]

   Note: The 2016 target year allows districts one year beyond 2015 to reach the 2015 minimum PL 0 cut point of 70.0%.

3. Compare the two numbers to see if the **Actual Change** is greater than or equal to the **Required Improvement**: 7.0 > 6.0. (Gains in diploma rates are measured in positive numbers.)

4. Result: the district meets **Required Improvement** and receives a performance level of 0 RI through Required Improvement.
For indicators where reductions in rates are measured in negative numbers and required improvement is available, the following calculation will be used for districts that meet minimum size requirements in both the current and previous year and have an initial performance level result that is not equal to 0. Note that for these types of indicators, actual change needs to be less than or equal to Required Improvement for the PL 0 cut point to be met.

\[
\text{Actual Change: } \frac{\text{performance in 2015} - \text{performance in 2014}}{\text{number of years to reach maximum PL 0 cut point}} \leq \frac{\text{maximum PL 0 cut point for 2015} - \text{performance in 2014}}{\text{number of years to reach maximum PL 0 cut point}}
\]

**EXAMPLE OF REQUIRED IMPROVEMENT USING SPECIAL EDUCATION INDICATOR #13: SPED Representation**

1. Calculate the Actual Change for the district’s SPED representation rate:
   
   \[
   \text{Actual Change: } \frac{15.0\% - 25.0\%}{2015 - 2014} = -10.0
   \]

2. Calculate the Required Improvement for the district’s SPED representation rate:
   
   \[
   \text{Required Improvement: } \frac{8.5\% - 25.0\%}{2(2016-2014)} = -8.25
   \]

   Note: The 2016 target year allows districts one year beyond 2015 to reach the 2015 maximum PL 0 cut point of 8.5%.

3. Compare the two numbers to see if the Actual Change is less than or equal to the Required Improvement: -10.0 < -8.25. (Reductions in representation rates are measured in negative numbers.)

4. Result: the district meets Required Improvement and receives a performance level of 0 RI through Required Improvement.
System Safeguards

System safeguard activities are conducted by the agency to ensure the integrity of the performance-based monitoring system. These activities include data validation analyses of leaver data, student assessment data, and discipline data. Random or other means of selection are also implemented to verify system effectiveness and districts’ implementation of monitoring requirements.

Monitoring Interventions

The Program Monitoring and Interventions (PMI) Division will notify each district selected for a 2015 PBMAS intervention via the Intervention Stage and Activity Manager (ISAM) on the Texas Education Agency Secure Environment (TEASE). The PMI Division will inform districts that intervention stages have been posted to ISAM by posting a “To the Administrator Addressed” letter on the TEA web page for correspondence or sending a “To the Administrator Addressed” letter via electronic mail or first-class mail. It is the district’s obligation to access the correspondence from the PMI Division by (a) subscribing to the listserv for “To the Administrator Addressed” correspondence; and (b) accessing the ISAM system as directed to retrieve intervention instructions and information.

Performance-based monitoring interventions determinations are based on PBMAS performance levels and other criteria as well as results of the data validation analyses described above. Sanctions are applied as necessary and according to state and federal law and Texas Administrative Code (TAC).

Additional information related to performance-based monitoring interventions is reflected in 19 TAC §97.1071, Special Program Performance; Intervention Stages, available at http://tea.texas.gov/About_TEA/Laws_and_Rules/Commissioner_Rules_(TAC)/Commissioner_of_Education_Rules_-_Texas_Administrative_Code/. Also available on this rules link is the text of 19 TAC §97.1055, Accreditation Status, which describes how deficiencies in a district’s programs monitored under the PBMAS may affect a district’s accreditation status.
Bilingual Education/English as a Second Language (BE/ESL)

Indicators (1 – 10)
BE/ESL Indicator #1(i-v): BE STAAR 3-8 Passing Rate

This indicator measures the percent of bilingual education (BE) students who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR 3-8 assessments (mathematics, reading, science, social studies, and writing).

Calculation

\[
\text{number of BE STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] passers} \\
\text{number of BE STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] takers}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as participating in a state-approved bilingual program (bilingual program indicator codes 2, 3, 4, or 5).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1 (New!)
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No (New!)
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Spring 2015 and May 2015 SSI retest (reading only)
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s BE STAAR 3-8 passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<tr>
<th>BE/ESL Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1(i): Mathematics</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(ii): Reading</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(iii): Science</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>45.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(iv): Social Studies</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>45.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(v): Writing</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The BE STAAR 3-8 passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR Spanish, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following grade-level assessments: mathematics (3-8), reading (3-8), science (5,8), social studies (8), and writing (4,7).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.
- New! Since performance standards for the redesigned grades 3-8 mathematics tests will not be determined prior to finalizing the 2015 PBMAS, passing standards equivalent to the previous mathematics tests will be used.
BE/ESL Indicator #2(i-v): ESL STAAR 3-8 Passing Rate

This indicator measures the percent of English as a Second Language (ESL) students who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR 3-8 assessments (mathematics, reading, science, social studies, and writing).

Calculation

\[
\text{number of ESL STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] passers} \div \text{number of ESL STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] takers}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as participating in a state-approved ESL program (ESL program indicator codes 2 or 3).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1 (New!)
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No (New!)
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Spring 2015 and May 2015 SSI retest (reading only)
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s ESL STAAR 3-8 passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>2(i): Mathematics</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2(ii): Reading</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2(iii): Science</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>45.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2(iv): Social Studies</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>45.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2(v): Writing</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The ESL STAAR 3-8 passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR Spanish, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following grade-level assessments: mathematics (3-8), reading (3-8), science (5,8), social studies (8), and writing (4,7).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.
- New! Since performance standards for the redesigned grades 3-8 mathematics tests will not be determined prior to finalizing the 2015 PBMAS, passing standards equivalent to the previous mathematics tests will be used.
BE/ESL Indicator #3(i-v): LEP (Not Served in BE/ESL) STAAR 3-8 Passing Rate

This indicator measures the percent of limited English proficient (LEP) students not served in a bilingual education (BE) or English as a Second Language (ESL) program who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR 3-8 assessments (mathematics, reading, science, social studies, and writing).

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of LEP (Not Served in BE/ESL) STAAR 3-8 \[subject (i-v)\] passers}}{\text{number of LEP (Not Served in BE/ESL) STAAR 3-8 \[subject (i-v)\] takers}}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as LEP (LEP = C3) but not participating in a state-approved bilingual or English as a second language program (Bilingual = 0 and ESL = 0).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1 (New!)
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No (New!)
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Spring 2015 and May 2015 SSI retest (reading only)
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s LEP (Not Served in BE/ESL) STAAR 3-8 passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<tr>
<th>BE/ESL Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>3(i): Mathematics</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3(ii): Reading</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3(iii): Science</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>45.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3(iv): Social Studies</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>45.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3(v): Writing</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The LEP (Not Served in BE/ESL) STAAR 3-8 passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR Spanish, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following grade-level assessments: mathematics (3-8), reading (3-8), science (5,8), social studies (8), and writing (4,7).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.
- New! Since performance standards for the redesigned grades 3-8 mathematics tests will not be determined prior to finalizing the 2015 PBMAS, passing standards equivalent to the previous mathematics tests will be used.

\[3\] In addition, if a student takes TELPAS or STAAR L for any current year administration, the student will be reported as LEP = C in the data file used for the PBMAS.
**BE/ESL Indicator #4(i-v): LEP Year-After-Exit (YAE) STAAR 3-8 Passing Rate**

This indicator measures the percent of certain former limited English proficient (LEP) students who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR 3-8 assessments (mathematics, reading, science, social studies, and writing).

**Calculation**

\[
\text{number of LEP YAE STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] passers} \\
\text{number of LEP YAE STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] takers}
\]

**Data Source**

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as having met the criteria for BE/ESL program exit, no longer classified as LEP in PEIMS, and in their first year of monitoring (M1 indicator code).

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- **Minimum Size Requirements**: Denominator ≥ 30
- **Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis**: 1 *(New!)*
- **Automated Special Analysis**: No
- **Required Improvement**: No
- **Accountability Subset**: Yes
- **Test Administrations**: Spring 2015 and May 2015 SSI retest (reading only)
- **Applicable PEIMS Collections**: Fall 2014
- **Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.**

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s LEP YAE STAAR 3-8 passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<tr>
<th>BE/ESL Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>4(i): Mathematics</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4(ii): Reading</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
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<tr>
<td>4(iii): Science</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
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<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
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<tr>
<td>4(iv): Social Studies</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>45.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4(v): Writing</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
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</table>

**Notes**

- The LEP YAE STAAR 3-8 passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following grade-level assessments: mathematics (3-8), reading (3-8), science (5,8), social studies (8), and writing (4,7).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.
- *(New!)* Since performance standards for the redesigned grades 3-8 mathematics tests will not be determined prior to finalizing the 2015 PBMAS, passing standards equivalent to the previous mathematics tests will be used.
**BE/ESL Indicator #5(i-iv): LEP STAAR EOC Passing Rate**

This indicator measures the percent of limited English proficient (LEP) students who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR EOC assessments (mathematics, science, social studies, and English language arts).

**Calculation**

\[
\text{number of LEP STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] passers} \div \text{number of LEP STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] takers}
\]

**Data Source**

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as LEP (LEP = C).\(^4\)

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Summer 2014, Fall 2014, and Spring 2015
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2013 and Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s LEP STAAR EOC passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<th>BE/ESL Indicator</th>
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<tr>
<td>5(i): Mathematics</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5(ii): Science</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5(iii): Social Studies</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
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**Notes**

- The LEP STAAR EOC passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following EOC assessments as applicable: mathematics (Algebra I), science (Biology), social studies (U.S. History), and English language arts (English I and II).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 EOC will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.

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\(^4\) In addition, if a student takes TELPAS or STAAR L for any current year administration, the student will be reported as LEP = C in the data file used for the PBMAS.
BE/ESL Indicator #6: LEP Annual Dropout Rate (Grades 7-12)

This indicator measures the percent of limited English proficient (LEP) students in Grades 7-12 who dropped out in a given school year.

Calculation

\[
\text{number of Grades 7-12 LEP students who dropped out} \over \text{number of Grades 7-12 LEP students in attendance}\]

Data Source

- For additional information about data sources and methods for calculating the annual dropout rate, see the Secondary School Completion and Dropouts in Texas Public Schools report available at [http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html](http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html).
- Confidential student-level listings of LEP dropouts are available to districts through the secure Accountability TEASE application. Select the Accountability Research (RES) tab for more information.

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements:
  - Denominator ≥ 30
  - Numerator ≥ 5
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s Grades 7-12 LEP annual dropout rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>0% - 1.8%</td>
<td>1.9% - 3.8%</td>
<td>3.9% - 5.8%</td>
<td>5.9% - 100%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

Dropout data are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
BE/ESL Indicator #7: LEP RHSP/DAP Diploma Rate

This indicator measures the percent of limited English proficient (LEP) students who graduated with a Recommended High School Program (RHSP) or Distinguished Achievement Program (DAP) diploma.

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of LEP students who graduated with a RHSP/DAP diploma}}{\text{number of LEP students who graduated}}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the number of LEP graduates (denominator) reported by the district on the PEIMS 203 Record who earned a RHSP (graduation codes 19, 22, 25, 28, or 31) or DAP (graduation codes 20, 23, 26, 29, or 32) diploma (numerator).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s LEP RHSP/DAP diploma rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- A graduate is counted as a LEP graduate if Element E0790 (LEP indicator code) on any 400 or 500 Record submitted for the student contains a 1.
- Graduation data are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
BE/ESL Indicator #8: LEP Graduation Rate

This indicator measures the percent of limited English proficient (LEP) students who graduated with a high school diploma in four years.

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of LEP students in the Grade 9 cohort who graduated with a high school diploma}}{\text{number of LEP students in the class of 2014}}
\]

Data Source

- For additional information about data sources and methods for calculating the LEP graduation rate, see the Secondary School Completion and Dropouts in Texas Public Schools report available at http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html.
- Confidential student-level listings of LEP cohort members are available to districts through the secure Accountability TEASE application. Select the Accountability Research (RES) tab for more information.

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s LEP graduation rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>BE/ESL Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>75.0% - 100%</td>
<td>70.0% - 74.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

Graduation data are for the class of 2014 and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
BE/ESL Indicator #9: TELPAS Reading Beginning Proficiency Level Rate

This indicator measures the percent of limited English proficient (LEP) students tested over two years who performed at the Beginning proficiency level on the TELPAS reading assessment in the current year.

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of LEP students in Grades 2-12 who scored at the Beginning proficiency level on the TELPAS reading assessment in the current year}}{\text{number of LEP students in Grades 2-12 tested on the TELPAS reading assessment in the current and previous year}}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district for two consecutive years and also reported as tested on the TELPAS reading assessment for two consecutive years.

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- **Minimum Size Requirements:**
  - Denominator ≥ 30
  - Numerator ≥ 5
- **Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis:** 1 (*New!*)
- **Automated Special Analysis:** No
- **Required Improvement:** Yes
- **Accountability Subset:** Yes
- **Test Administrations:** Spring 2014 and Spring 2015
- **Applicable PEIMS Collections:** Fall 2013 and Fall 2014
- **Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.**

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s TELPAS reading Beginning proficiency level rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>BE/ESL Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>9</td>
<td>0% - 7.5%</td>
<td>7.6% - 10.9%</td>
<td>11.0% - 13.9%</td>
<td>14.0% - 100%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The denominator is based on students who were in Grades 2-12 in the spring of 2014 and who, as a result of either grade retention or grade promotion, were in Grades 2-12 in the spring of 2015.
BE/ESL Indicator #10: TELPAS Composite Rating Levels for Students in U.S. Schools Multiple Years

This indicator measures the percent of limited English proficient (LEP) students in U.S. schools multiple years who received a TELPAS Composite Rating of Beginning or Intermediate.

**Calculation**

\[
\frac{\text{number of LEP students in Grades 5-12 in U.S. schools five or more years who received a}}{
\text{number of LEP students in Grades 5-12 in U.S. schools five or more years who received a TELPAS Composite Rating}}
\]

**Data Source**

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district who also received a TELPAS Composite Rating.

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- **Minimum Size Requirements:**
  - Denominator \(\geq 30\)
  - Numerator \(\geq 5\)

- **Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis:** 3
- **Automated Special Analysis:** Yes
- **Required Improvement:** Yes
- **Accountability Subset:** Yes
- **Test Administrations:** Spring 2015
- **Applicable PEIMS Collections:** Fall 2014

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s TELPAS composite rating levels for students in U.S. schools multiple years is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>BE/ESL Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>10</td>
<td>0% - 7.5%</td>
<td>7.6% - 10.5%</td>
<td>10.6% - 14.4%</td>
<td>14.5% - 100%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes**

- LEP students (Grades 5-12) in U.S. schools five or more years with a TELPAS Composite Rating of Beginning or Intermediate who also meet standard on the appropriate (a) English STAAR reading assessment (for students enrolled in Grades 5-8); or (b) the English I or II STAAR EOC assessment (for students enrolled in Grades 5-12) are not included in the numerator of this indicator.
- Years in U.S. schools: The campus testing coordinator is responsible for submitting these data in consultation with the Language Proficiency Assessment Committee (LPAC) and verifying the information for accuracy and consistency.
Career and Technical Education (CTE)

Indicators (1 – 9)
CTE Indicator #1(i-iv): CTE STAAR EOC Passing Rate

This indicator measures the percent of Career and Technical Education (CTE) students who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR EOC assessments (mathematics, science, social studies, and English language arts).

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of CTE STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] passers}}{\text{number of CTE STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] takers}}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as a Coherent Sequence or Tech Prep participant (Career and Technical Education indicator codes 2 or 3).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Summer 2014, Fall 2014, and Spring 2015
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2013 and Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s CTE STAAR EOC passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>CTE Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1(i): Mathematics</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(ii): Science</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(iii): Social Studies</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The CTE STAAR EOC passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following EOC assessments as applicable: mathematics (Algebra I), science (Biology), social studies (U.S. History), and English language arts (English I and II).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 EOC will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.
CTE Indicator #2(i-iv): CTE LEP STAAR EOC Passing Rate

This indicator measures the percent of Career and Technical Education (CTE) students with limited English proficiency (LEP) who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR EOC assessments (mathematics, science, social studies, and English language arts).

Calculation

\[
\text{number of CTE LEP STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] passers} / \text{number of CTE LEP STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] takers}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as LEP (LEP = C\(^5\)) and a Coherent Sequence or Tech Prep participant (Career and Technical Education indicator codes 2 or 3).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Summer 2014, Fall 2014, and Spring 2015
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2013 and Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s CTE LEP STAAR EOC passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<th>PL 3</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Mathematics</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Science</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Social Studies</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
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</table>

Notes

- The CTE LEP STAAR EOC passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following EOC assessments as applicable: mathematics (Algebra I), science (Biology), social studies (U.S. History), and English language arts (English I and II).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 EOC will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.

\(^5\) In addition, if a student takes TELPAS or STAAR L for any current year administration, the student will be reported as LEP = C in the data file used for the PBMAS.
CTE Indicator #3(i-iv): CTE Economically Disadvantaged STAAR EOC Passing Rate

This indicator measures the percent of Career and Technical Education (CTE) students who are economically disadvantaged and who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR EOC assessments (mathematics, science, social studies, and English language arts).

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of CTE economically disadvantaged STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] passers}}{\text{number of CTE economically disadvantaged STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] takers}}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as economically disadvantaged (economic disadvantage indicator codes 01, 02, and 99) and a Coherent Sequence or Tech Prep participant (Career and Technical Education indicator codes 2 or 3).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Summer 2014, Fall 2014, and Spring 2015
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2013 and Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s CTE economically disadvantaged STAAR EOC passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<th>CTE Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 1</th>
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<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>3(i): Math</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3(ii): Science</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3(iii): SS</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
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</table>

Notes

- The CTE economically disadvantaged STAAR EOC passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following EOC assessments as applicable: mathematics (Algebra I), science (Biology), social studies (U.S. History), and English language arts (English I and II).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 EOC will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.
CTE Indicator #4(i-iv): CTE SPED STAAR EOC Passing Rate

This indicator measures the percent of Career and Technical Education (CTE) students served in special education who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR EOC assessments (mathematics, science, social studies, and English language arts).

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of CTE special education STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] passers}}{\text{number of CTE special education STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] takers}}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as a participant in a special education program (special education indicator code) and a Coherent Sequence or Tech Prep participant (Career and Technical Education indicator codes 2 or 3).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Summer 2014, Fall 2014, and Spring 2015
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2013 and Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s CTE SPED STAAR EOC passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<th>CTE Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 3</th>
<th>PL 4</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>4(i): Math</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>30.0% - 39.9%</td>
<td>0% - 29.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4(ii): Sci</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>30.0% - 39.9%</td>
<td>0% - 29.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4(iii): Soc</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>30.0% - 39.9%</td>
<td>0% - 29.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The CTE SPED STAAR EOC passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following EOC assessments as applicable: mathematics (Algebra I), science (Biology), social studies (U.S. History), and English language arts (English I and II).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 EOC will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.
- **New!** The hold harmless provision described in Section II of this manual applies to this indicator.
CTE Indicator #5: CTE Annual Dropout Rate (Grades 9-12)

This indicator measures the percent of Career and Technical Education (CTE) students in Grades 9-12 who dropped out in a given school year.

**Calculation**

\[
\text{CTE Annual Dropout Rate} = \frac{\text{number of Grades 9-12 CTE students who dropped out}}{\text{number of Grades 9-12 CTE students in attendance}}
\]

**Data Source**

- For additional information about data sources and methods for calculating the annual dropout rate, see the Secondary School Completion and Dropouts in Texas Public Schools report available at [http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html](http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html).
- Confidential student-level listings of CTE dropouts are available to districts through the secure Accountability TEASE application. Select the Accountability Research (RES) tab for more information.

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- Minimum Size Requirements:
  - Denominator ≥ 30
  - Numerator ≥ 5
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s Grades 9-12 CTE annual dropout rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>CTE Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>0% - 2.8%</td>
<td>2.9% - 4.8%</td>
<td>4.9% - 6.8%</td>
<td>6.9% - 100%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes**

- Only students with PEIMS CTE status codes 2 (Coherent Sequence) or 3 (Tech Prep) are included in the calculation of this indicator.
- Dropout data are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
CTE Indicator #6: CTE RHSP/DAP Diploma Rate

This indicator measures the percent of Career and Technical Education (CTE) students who graduated with a Recommended High School Program (RHSP) or Distinguished Achievement Program (DAP) diploma.

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of CTE students who graduated with a RHSP/DAP diploma}}{\text{number of CTE students who graduated}}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the number of CTE graduates (denominator) reported by the district on the PEIMS 203 Record who earned a RHSP (graduation codes 19, 22, 25, 28, or 31) or DAP (graduation codes 20, 23, 26, 29, or 32) diploma (numerator).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s CTE RHSP/DAP diploma rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<tr>
<th>CTE Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- A graduate is counted as a CTE graduate if Element E0031 (CTE indicator code) on any 101 Record submitted for the student contains a 2 (Coherent Sequence) or 3 (Tech Prep).
- Graduation data are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
CTE Indicator #7: CTE Graduation Rate

This indicator measures the percent of Career and Technical Education (CTE) students who graduated with a high school diploma in four years.

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of CTE students in the Grade 9 cohort who graduated with a high school diploma}}{\text{number of CTE students in the class of 2014}}
\]

Data Source

- For additional information about data sources and methods for calculating the CTE graduation rate, see the Secondary School Completion and Dropouts in Texas Public Schools report available at http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html.
- Confidential student-level listings of CTE cohort members are available to districts through the secure Accountability TEASE application. Select the Accountability Research (RES) tab for more information.

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s CTE graduation rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>75.0% - 100%</td>
<td>70.0% - 74.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- Only students with PEIMS CTE status codes 2 (Coherent Sequence) or 3 (Tech Prep) are included in the calculation of this indicator.
- Graduation data are for the class of 2014 and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
CTE Indicator #8: CTE Nontraditional Course Completion Rate-Males

This indicator measures the percent of male Career and Technical Education (CTE) students in Grades 9-12 who completed courses that are nontraditional for their gender.

Calculation

\[
\text{Number of male CTE students in Grades 9-12 who completed male nontraditional courses} \\
\text{Number of CTE students in Grades 9-12 who completed male nontraditional courses}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the number of all Grades 9-12 (Element E0017) CTE (Element E0031) students (denominator) and male (Element E0004) Grades 9-12 CTE students (numerator) reported by the district on the PEIMS 101 Record who were also reported on the PEIMS 415 Record as having earned credit (Element E0949) for completing (E0948 = 0, 2, 5, or 9) one or more male nontraditional courses (Element E0724).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator \( \geq 30 \)
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3 (New!)
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes (New!)
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Summer 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s CTE male nontraditional course completion rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>CTE Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
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</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>40.0% - 100%</td>
<td>23.0% - 39.9%</td>
<td>15.0% - 22.9%</td>
<td>0% - 14.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The list of CTE nontraditional courses for the 2013-2014 school year is located in Appendix A of this manual.
- Students with PEIMS CTE status codes 1 (Career/Technology Elective), 2 (Coherent Sequence), or 3 (Tech Prep) are included in the calculation of this indicator.
- Each student is counted for each course completed. For example, a student completing five nontraditional courses is counted five times in this indicator.
- Course completion data are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
CTE Indicator #9: CTE Nontraditional Course Completion Rate-Females

This indicator measures the percent of female Career and Technical Education (CTE) students in Grades 9-12 who completed courses that are nontraditional for their gender.

**Calculation**

\[
\text{number of female CTE students in Grades 9-12 who completed female nontraditional courses} \\
\text{number of CTE students in Grades 9-12 who completed female nontraditional courses}
\]

**Data Source**

The data for this indicator are based on the number of all Grades 9-12 (Element E0017) CTE (Element E0031) students (denominator) and female (Element E0004) Grades 9-12 CTE students (numerator) reported by the district on the PEIMS 101 Record who were also reported on the PEIMS 415 Record as having earned credit (Element E0949) for completing (E0948 = 0, 2, 5, or 9) one or more female nontraditional courses (Element E0724).

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3 (New!)
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes (New!)
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Summer 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s CTE female nontraditional course completion rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>CTE Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>9</td>
<td>40.0% - 100%</td>
<td>23.0% - 39.9%</td>
<td>15.0% - 22.9%</td>
<td>0% - 14.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes**

- The list of CTE nontraditional courses for the 2013-2014 school year is located in Appendix A of this manual.
- Students with PEIMS CTE status codes 1 (Career/Technology Elective), 2 (Coherent Sequence), or 3 (Tech Prep) are included in the calculation of this indicator.
- Each student is counted for each course completed. For example, a student completing five nontraditional courses is counted five times in this indicator.
- Course completion data are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
No Child Left Behind (NCLB)

Indicators (1 – 10)
NCLB Indicator #1(i-v): Title I, Part A STAAR 3-8 Passing Rate

This indicator measures the percent of Title I, Part A students who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR 3-8 assessments (mathematics, reading, science, social studies, and writing).

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of Title I, Part A STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] passers}}{\text{number of Title I, Part A STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] takers}}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as Title I, Part A (Title I, Part A indicator codes 6, 7, or 9).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1 (New!)
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No (New!)
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Spring 2015 and May 2015 SSI retest (reading only)
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s Title I, Part A STAAR 3-8 passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>NCLB Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1(i): Mathematics</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(ii): Reading</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(iii): Science</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>45.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(iv): Social Studies</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>45.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(v): Writing</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The Title I, Part A STAAR 3-8 passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR Spanish, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following grade-level assessments: mathematics (3-8), reading (3-8), science (5,8), social studies (8), and writing (4,7).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.
- New! Since performance standards for the redesigned grades 3-8 mathematics tests will not be determined prior to finalizing the 2015 PBMAS, passing standards equivalent to the previous mathematics tests will be used.
NCLB Indicator #2(i-iv): Title I, Part A STAAR EOC Passing Rate

This indicator measures the percent of Title I, Part A students who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR EOC assessments (mathematics, science, social studies, and English language arts).

Calculation

\[
\text{number of Title I, Part A STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] passers} \div \text{number of Title I, Part A STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] takers}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as Title I, Part A (Title I, Part A indicator codes 6, 7, or 9).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Summer 2014, Fall 2014, and Spring 2015
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2013 and Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s Title I, Part A STAAR EOC passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>NCLB Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>2(i): Mathematics</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2(ii): Science</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2(iii): Social Studies</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The Title I, Part A STAAR EOC passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following EOC assessments as applicable: mathematics (Algebra I), science (Biology), social studies (U.S. History), and English language arts (English I and II).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 EOC will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.
NCLB Indicator #3: Title I, Part A Annual Dropout Rate (Grades 7-12)

This indicator measures the percent of Title I, Part A students in Grades 7-12 who dropped out in a given school year.

Calculation

\[
\text{Calculation} = \frac{\text{number of Grades 7-12 Title I, Part A students who dropped out}}{\text{number of Grades 7-12 Title I, Part A students in attendance}}
\]

Data Source

- For additional information about data sources and methods for calculating the annual dropout rate, see the Secondary School Completion and Dropouts in Texas Public Schools report available at http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html.
- Confidential student-level listings of Title I, Part A dropouts are available to districts through the secure Accountability TEASE application. Select the Accountability Research (RES) tab for more information.

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements:
  - Denominator ≥ 30
  - Numerator ≥ 5
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s Grades 7-12 Title I, Part A annual dropout rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>NCLB Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>0% - 1.8%</td>
<td>1.9% - 3.8%</td>
<td>3.9% - 5.8%</td>
<td>5.9% - 100%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

Dropout data are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
NCLB Indicator #4: Title I, Part A RHSP/DAP Diploma Rate

This indicator measures the percent of Title I, Part A students who graduated with a Recommended High School Program (RHSP) or Distinguished Achievement Program (DAP) diploma.

Calculation

\[
\text{Calculation} = \frac{\text{number of Title I, Part A students who graduated with a RHSP/DAP diploma}}{\text{number of Title I, Part A students who graduated}}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the number of Title I, Part A graduates (denominator) reported by the district on the PEIMS 203 Record who earned a RHSP (graduation codes 19, 22, 25, 28, or 31) or DAP (graduation codes 20, 23, 26, 29, or 32) diploma (numerator).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s Title I, Part A RHSP/DAP diploma rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>NCLB Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- A graduate is counted as a Title I, Part A graduate if any 461 Record was submitted for the student.
- Graduation data are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
**NCLB Indicator #5: Title I, Part A Graduation Rate**

This indicator measures the percent of Title I, Part A students who graduated with a high school diploma in four years.

**Calculation**

\[
\frac{\text{number of Title I, Part A students in the Grade 9 cohort who graduated with a high school diploma}}{\text{number of Title I, Part A students in the class of 2014}}
\]

**Data Source**

- For additional information about data sources and methods for calculating the Title I, Part A graduation rate, see the [Secondary School Completion and Dropouts in Texas Public Schools report](http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html).
- Confidential student-level listings of Title I, Part A cohort members are available to districts through the secure Accountability TEASE application. Select the Accountability Research (RES) tab for more information.

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s Title I, Part A graduation rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>NCLB Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>75.0% - 100%</td>
<td>70.0% - 74.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes**

Graduation data are for the class of 2014 and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
NCLB Indicator #6(i-v): Migrant STAAR 3-8 Passing Rate

This indicator measures the percent of migrant students who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR 3-8 assessments (mathematics, reading, science, social studies, and writing).

**Calculation**

\[
\frac{\text{number of migrant STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] passers}}{\text{number of migrant STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] takers}}
\]

**Data Source**

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as a migrant student (migrant student indicator code).

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1 (New!)
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No (New!)
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Spring 2015 and May 2015 SSI retest (reading only)
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s migrant STAAR 3-8 passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>NCLB Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>6(i): Math</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6(ii): Read</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6(iii): Sci</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>45.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6(iv): S.St</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>45.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6(v): Writ</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes**

- The migrant STAAR 3-8 passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR Spanish, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following grade-level assessments: mathematics (3-8), reading (3-8), science (5,8), social studies (8), and writing (4,7).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.
- **New!** Since performance standards for the redesigned grades 3-8 mathematics tests will not be determined prior to finalizing the 2015 PBMAS, passing standards equivalent to the previous mathematics tests will be used.
NCLB Indicator #7(i-iv): Migrant STAAR EOC Passing Rate

This indicator measures the percent of migrant students who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR EOC assessments (mathematics, science, social studies, and English language arts).

Calculation

\[
\text{number of migrant STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] passers} \\
\text{number of migrant STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] takers}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as a migrant student (migrant student indicator code).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Summer 2014, Fall 2014, and Spring 2015
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2013 and Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s migrant STAAR EOC passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>NCLB Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>7(i): Mathematics</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7(ii): Science</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7(iii): Social Studies</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>0% - 39.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The migrant STAAR EOC passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following EOC assessments as applicable: mathematics (Algebra I), science (Biology), social studies (U.S. History), and English language arts (English I and II).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 EOC will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.
NCLB Indicator #8: Migrant Annual Dropout Rate (Grades 7-12)

This indicator measures the percent of migrant students in Grades 7-12 who dropped out in a given school year.

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of Grades 7-12 migrant students who dropped out}}{\text{number of Grades 7-12 migrant students in attendance}}
\]

Data Source

- For additional information about data sources and methods for calculating the annual dropout rate, see the *Secondary School Completion and Dropouts in Texas Public Schools* report available at [http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html](http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html).
- Confidential student-level listings of migrant dropouts are available to districts through the secure Accountability TEASE application. Select the Accountability Research (RES) tab for more information.

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements:
  - Denominator ≥ 30
  - Numerator ≥ 5
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s Grades 7-12 migrant annual dropout rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>NCLB Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
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</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>0% - 1.8%</td>
<td>1.9% - 3.8%</td>
<td>3.9% - 5.8%</td>
<td>5.9% - 100%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

Dropout data are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
NCLB Indicator #9: Migrant RHSP/DAP Diploma Rate

This indicator measures the percent of migrant students who graduated with a Recommended High School Program (RHSP) or Distinguished Achievement Program (DAP) diploma.

Calculation

\[
\text{number of migrant students who graduated with a RHSP/DAP diploma} \\
\text{number of migrant students who graduated}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the number of migrant graduates (denominator) reported by the district on the PEIMS 203 Record who earned a RHSP (graduation codes 19, 22, 25, 28, or 31) or DAP (graduation codes 20, 23, 26, 29, or 32) diploma (numerator).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s migrant RHSP/DAP diploma rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>NCLB Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>9</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- A graduate is counted as a migrant graduate if Element E0984 (migrant indicator code) on any 101 Record submitted for the student contains a 1.
- Graduation data are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
NCLB Indicator #10: Migrant Graduation Rate

This indicator measures the percent of migrant students who graduated with a high school diploma in four years.

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of migrant students in the Grade 9 cohort who graduated with a high school diploma}}{\text{number of migrant students in the class of 2014}}
\]

Data Source

- For additional information about data sources and methods for calculating the migrant graduation rate, see the *Secondary School Completion and Dropouts in Texas Public Schools* report available at [http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html](http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html).
- Confidential student-level listings of migrant cohort members are available to districts through the secure Accountability TEASE application. Select the Accountability Research (RES) tab for more information.

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s migrant graduation rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>NCLB Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 3</th>
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</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>10</td>
<td>75.0% - 100%</td>
<td>70.0% - 74.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

Graduation data are for the class of 2014 and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
Special Education (SPED)

Indicators (1 – 19)
**SPED Indicator #1(i-v): SPED STAAR 3-8 Passing Rate**

This indicator measures the percent of students served in special education (SPED) who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR 3-8 assessments (mathematics, reading, science, social studies, and writing).

**Calculation**

\[
\frac{\text{number of special education STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] passers}}{\text{number of special education STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] takers}}
\]

**Data Source**

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as participating in a special education program (special education indicator code).

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1 (New!)
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No (New!)
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Spring 2015 and May 2015 SSI retest (reading only)
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s special education STAAR 3-8 passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
<th>PL 4</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1(i): Mathematics</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>25.0% - 39.9%</td>
<td>0% - 24.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(ii): Reading</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>25.0% - 39.9%</td>
<td>0% - 24.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(iii): Science</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>25.0% - 39.9%</td>
<td>0% - 24.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(iv): Social Studies</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>25.0% - 39.9%</td>
<td>0% - 24.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1(v): Writing</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>25.0% - 39.9%</td>
<td>0% - 24.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes**

- The special education STAAR 3-8 passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR Spanish, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following grade-level assessments: mathematics (3-8), reading (3-8), science (5,8), social studies (8), and writing (4,7).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.
- *New!* Since performance standards for the redesigned grades 3-8 mathematics tests will not be determined prior to finalizing the 2015 PBMAS, passing standards equivalent to the previous mathematics tests will be used.
- *New!* The hold harmless provision described in Section II of this manual applies to this indicator.
SPED Indicator #2(i-v): SPED Year-After-Exit (YAE) STAAR 3-8 Passing Rate

This indicator measures the percent of students formerly served in special education (SPED) who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR 3-8 assessments (mathematics, reading, science, social studies, and writing).

Calculation

\[
\text{number of special education YAE STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] passers} \over \text{number of special education YAE STAAR 3-8 [subject (i-v)] takers}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students (a) reported by the district on the previous year’s PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and receiving special education services or reported on the previous year’s PEIMS 400 Record and 500 Record as in attendance and receiving special education services; and (b) reported by the district on the current year’s PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as not participating in a special education program (special education indicator code).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: (New!) 3 (reading, science, and writing); 2 (social studies); 1 (mathematics)
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Spring 2015 and May 2015 SSI retest (reading only)
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2013, Summer 2014, and Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s SPED YAE STAAR 3-8 passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>2(i): Mathematics</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2(ii): Reading</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2(iii): Science</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>45.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2(iv): Social Studies</td>
<td>65.0% - 100%</td>
<td>55.0% - 64.9%</td>
<td>45.0% - 54.9%</td>
<td>0% - 44.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2(v): Writing</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>60.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The SPED YAE STAAR 3-8 passing rate is based on STAAR and STAAR Spanish results from the following grade-level assessments: mathematics (3-8), reading (3-8), science (5,8), social studies (8), and writing (4,7).
- New! Since performance standards for the redesigned grades 3-8 mathematics tests will not be determined prior to finalizing the 2015 PBMAS, passing standards equivalent to the previous mathematics tests will be used.
SPED Indicator #3(i-iv): SPED STAAR EOC Passing Rate

This indicator measures the percent of students served in special education (SPED) who met the Phase-In 1 Level II performance standard or higher on the STAAR EOC assessments (mathematics, science, social studies, and English language arts).

Calculation

\[
\text{number of special education STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] passers} \\
\text{number of special education STAAR EOC [subject (i-iv)] takers}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the performance of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as participating in a special education program (special education indicator code).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Summer 2014, Fall 2014, and Spring 2015
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2013 and Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s SPED STAAR EOC passing rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
<th>PL 4</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>3(i): Mathematics</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>30.0% - 39.9%</td>
<td>0% - 29.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3(ii): Science</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>30.0% - 39.9%</td>
<td>0% - 29.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3(iii): Social Studies</td>
<td>60.0% - 100%</td>
<td>50.0% - 59.9%</td>
<td>40.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>30.0% - 39.9%</td>
<td>0% - 29.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The SPED STAAR EOC passing rate is based on STAAR, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 results from the following EOC assessments as applicable: mathematics (Algebra I), science (Biology), social studies (U.S. History), and English language arts (English I and II).
- Students assessed with STAAR Alternate 2 EOC will count in the numerator if they achieve the Final Recommended Level II performance or higher.
- New! The hold harmless provision described in Section II of this manual applies to this indicator.
**SPED Indicator #4: SPED STAAR Alternate 2 Participation Rate**

This indicator measures the percent of students in Grades 3-9 served in special education (SPED) who were tested on STAAR Alternate 2 in all subjects applicable to the student’s grade level.

**Calculation**

\[
\frac{\text{number of students in Grades 3-9 served in special education tested on STAAR Alternate 2 for all subjects applicable to the student's grade level}}{\text{number of students in Grades 3-9 served in special education for whom any STAAR assessment was submitted}}
\]

**Data Source**

The data for this indicator are based on the participation of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record as enrolled in the district and also reported on the STAAR assessments as participating in a special education program (special education indicator code).

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3 (New!)
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: Yes
- Test Administrations: Spring 2015 and May 2015 SSI retest (reading only)
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s SPED STAAR Alternate 2 participation rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<th>SPED Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>0% - 10.0%</td>
<td>10.1% - 12.9%</td>
<td>13.0% - 16.9%</td>
<td>17.0% - 100%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes**

- The SPED STAAR Alternate 2 participation rate denominator includes STAAR, STAAR Spanish, STAAR L, STAAR A, and STAAR Alternate 2 assessments.
- Students qualifying for a Medical Exception or a No Authentic Academic Response designation are not included in the calculation of this indicator.
- Students will count in the numerator if they test on STAAR Alternate 2 for all applicable grade-level or EOC assessments: mathematics (3-8 and Algebra I), reading (3-8 and English I), science (5, 8, and Biology), social studies (8), and writing (4, 7, and English I).
SPED Indicator #5: SPED Regular Early Childhood Program Rate (Ages 3-5)

This indicator measures the percent of students ages 3-5 served in special education (SPED) who were placed in a regular early childhood program.

**Calculation**

\[
\text{number of students ages 3-5 served in special education reported with PPCD service location code 1 or 4 and placed in instructional settings 00, 40, 41, 81, 82, 91, and 92} \div \text{number of students ages 3-5 served in special education}
\]

**Data Source**

The data for this indicator are based on the number of special education students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record and 163 Record (Elements E0173, E0832, and E1077) as enrolled in the district with Child Count Funding Type 3 (denominator) and reported with PPCD service location code 1 or 4 and placed in instructional settings 00, 40, 41, 81, 82, 91, and 92 (numerator).

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator \( \geq 30 \) (*New!*)
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 1
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: No
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s SPED regular early childhood program rate (ages 3-5) is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
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<th>PL 3</th>
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</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>30.0% - 100%</td>
<td>20.0% - 29.9%</td>
<td>10.1% - 19.9%</td>
<td>0% - 10.0%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes**

- *New!* Performance levels will be assigned in 2015.
- Students whose PEIMS Average Daily Attendance (ADA) Code = 0 are included in the calculation of this indicator in both the numerator and denominator.
- The student’s age is determined as of Friday, October 31, 2014, for this indicator and is derived from the 101 Record (Element E0006).
- A complete list and descriptions of all instructional settings can be found in the PEIMS Data Standards available at: [http://tea.texas.gov/Reports_and_Data/Data_Submission/PEIMS/PEIMS_Data_Standards/PEIMS_Data_Standards/](http://tea.texas.gov/Reports_and_Data/Data_Submission/PEIMS/PEIMS_Data_Standards/PEIMS_Data_Standards/).
SPED Indicator #6: SPED Regular Class ≥80% Rate (Ages 6-11)

This indicator measures the percent of students ages 6-11 served in special education (SPED) in the regular class 80% or more of the day.

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of students ages 6-11 served in special education and placed in instructional settings 00, 40, 41, 81, 82, 91, and 92}}{\text{number of students ages 6-11 served in special education}}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the number of special education students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record and 163 Record (Element E0173) as enrolled in the district (denominator) and placed in instructional settings 00, 40, 41, 81, 82, 91, and 92 (numerator).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator: ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 2 (New!)
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: Yes (New!)
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s SPED regular class ≥80% rate (ages 6-11) is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>57.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>45.1% - 56.9%</td>
<td>0% - 45.0%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- Students whose PEIMS Average Daily Attendance (ADA) Code = 0 are included in the calculation of this indicator in both the numerator and denominator.
- The student’s age is determined as of September 1, 2014, for this indicator and is derived from the 101 Record (Element E0006).
- A complete list and descriptions of all instructional settings can be found in the PEIMS Data Standards available at: [http://tea.texas.gov/Reports_and_Data/Data_Submission/PEIMS/PEIMS_Data_Standards/PEIMS_Data_Standards/](http://tea.texas.gov/Reports_and_Data/Data_Submission/PEIMS/PEIMS_Data_Standards/PEIMS_Data_Standards/).
SPED Indicator #7: SPED Regular Class <40% Rate (Ages 6-11)

This indicator measures the percent of students ages 6-11 served in special education (SPED) in the regular class less than 40% of the day.

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of students ages 6-11 served in special education and placed in instructional settings 08, 44, 85, 88, and 95}}{\text{number of students ages 6-11 served in special education}}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the number of special education students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record and 163 Record (Element E0173) as enrolled in the district (denominator) and placed in instructional settings 08, 44, 85, 88, and 95 (numerator).

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 2 (New!)
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: Yes (New!)
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s SPED regular class <40% rate (ages 6-11) is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>0% - 10.0%</td>
<td>10.1% - 18.9%</td>
<td>19.0% - 23.9%</td>
<td>24.0% - 100%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- Students whose PEIMS Average Daily Attendance (ADA) Code = 0 are included in the calculation of this indicator in both the numerator and denominator.
- The student’s age is determined as of September 1, 2014, for this indicator and is derived from the 101 Record (Element E0006).
- A complete list and descriptions of all instructional settings can be found in the PEIMS Data Standards available at: [http://tea.texas.gov/Reports_and_Data/Data_Submission/PEIMS/PEIMS_Data_Standards/PEIMS_Data_Standards/](http://tea.texas.gov/Reports_and_Data/Data_Submission/PEIMS/PEIMS_Data_Standards/PEIMS_Data_Standards/).
SPED Indicator #8: SPED Regular Class ≥80% Rate (Ages 12-21)

This indicator measures the percent of students ages 12-21 served in special education (SPED) in the regular class 80% or more of the day.

**Calculation**

\[
\frac{\text{number of students ages 12-21 served in special education and placed in instructional settings 00, 40, 41, 81, 82, 91, and 92}}{\text{number of students ages 12-21 served in special education}}
\]

**Data Source**

The data for this indicator are based on the number of special education students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record and 163 Record (Element E0173) as enrolled in the district (denominator) and placed in instructional settings 00, 40, 41, 81, 82, 91, and 92 (numerator).

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 2 *(New!)*
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: Yes *(New!)*
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s SPED regular class ≥80% rate (ages 12-21) is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
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<th>PL 3</th>
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</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>70.0% - 100%</td>
<td>57.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>45.1% - 56.9%</td>
<td>0% - 45.0%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes**

- Students whose PEIMS Average Daily Attendance (ADA) Code = 0 are included in the calculation of this indicator in both the numerator and denominator.
- The student’s age is determined as of September 1, 2014, for this indicator and is derived from the 101 Record (Element E0006).
- A complete list and descriptions of all instructional settings can be found in the PEIMS Data Standards available at:
**SPED Indicator #9: SPED Regular Class <40% Rate (Ages 12-21)**

This indicator measures the percent of students ages 12-21 served in special education (SPED) in the regular class less than 40% of the day.

**Calculation**

\[
\text{number of students ages 12-21 served in special education and placed in instructional settings} \\
\quad \text{08, 44, 85, 88, and 95} \\
\text{number of students ages 12-21 served in special education}
\]

**Data Source**

The data for this indicator are based on the number of special education students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record and 163 Record (Element E0173) as enrolled in the district (denominator) and placed in instructional settings 08, 44, 85, 88, and 95 (numerator).

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 2 *(New!)*
- Automated Special Analysis: No *(New!)*
- Required Improvement: Yes *(New!)*
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s SPED regular class <40% rate (ages 12-21) is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>9</td>
<td>0% - 10.0%</td>
<td>10.1% - 18.9%</td>
<td>19.0% - 23.9%</td>
<td>24.0% - 100%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes**

- Students whose PEIMS Average Daily Attendance (ADA) Code = 0 are included in the calculation of this indicator in both the numerator and denominator.
- The student’s age is determined as of September 1, 2014, for this indicator and is derived from the 101 Record (Element E0006).
- A complete list and descriptions of all instructional settings can be found in the PEIMS Data Standards available at: [http://tea.texas.gov/Reports_and_Data/Data_Submission/PEIMS/PEIMS_Data_Standards/PEIMS_Data_Standards/](http://tea.texas.gov/Reports_and_Data/Data_Submission/PEIMS/PEIMS_Data_Standards/PEIMS_Data_Standards/).
**SPED Indicator #10: SPED Annual Dropout Rate (Grades 7-12)**

This indicator measures the percent of students in Grades 7-12 served in special education (SPED) who dropped out in a given school year.

**Calculation**

\[
\frac{\text{number of Grades 7-12 students served in special education who dropped out}}{\text{number of Grades 7-12 students served in special education in attendance}}
\]

**Data Source**

- For additional information about data sources and methods for calculating the annual dropout rate, see the *Secondary School Completion and Dropouts in Texas Public Schools* report available at [http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html](http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html).
- Confidential student-level listings of dropouts served in special education are available to districts through the secure Accountability TEASE application. Select the Accountability Research (RES) tab for more information.

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- Minimum Size Requirements:
  - Denominator $\geq 30$
  - Numerator $\geq 5$
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s Grades 7-12 SPED annual dropout rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>10</td>
<td>0% - 1.8%</td>
<td>1.9% - 3.8%</td>
<td>3.9% - 5.8%</td>
<td>5.9% - 100%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes**

Dropout data are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
SPED Indicator #11: SPED RHSP/DAP Diploma Rate

This indicator measures the percent of students served in special education (SPED) who graduated with a Recommended High School Program (RHSP) or Distinguished Achievement Program (DAP) diploma.

**Calculation**

\[
\frac{\text{number of students served in special education who graduated with a RHSP/DAP diploma}}{\text{number of students served in special education who graduated}}
\]

**Data Source**

The data for this indicator are based on the number of special education graduates (denominator) reported by the district on the PEIMS 203 Record who earned a RHSP (graduation codes 19, 22, 25, 28, or 31) or DAP (graduation codes 20, 23, 26, 29, or 32) diploma (numerator).

**Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria**

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s SPED RHSP/DAP diploma rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>11</td>
<td>20.0% - 100%</td>
<td>11.0% - 19.9%</td>
<td>3.6% - 10.9%</td>
<td>0% - 3.5%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes**

- A graduate is counted as a special education graduate if (a) any 405 or 505 Record was submitted for the student; (b) Element E0940 on any 400 Record submitted for the student contains anything but 0000; (c) Element E1049 on any 500 Record submitted for the student contains anything but 000; or (d) Element E0806 (graduation type code) on any 203 Record submitted for the student contains 04, 05, 06, 07, 18, 19, or 20.
- Graduation data are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
SPED Indicator #12: SPED Graduation Rate

This indicator measures the percent of students served in special education (SPED) who graduated with a high school diploma in four years.

Calculation

\[
\frac{\text{number of students in the Grade 9 cohort served in special education who graduated with a high school diploma}}{\text{number of students in the class of 2014 served in special education}}
\]

Data Source

- For additional information about data sources and methods for calculating the special education graduation rate, see the Secondary School Completion and Dropouts in Texas Public Schools report available at http://tea.texas.gov/acctres/dropcomp_index.html.
- Confidential student-level listings of special education cohort members are available to districts through the secure Accountability TEASE application. Select the Accountability Research (RES) tab for more information.

Minimum Size Requirements, Special Analysis, and Other Criteria

- Minimum Size Requirements: Denominator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s SPED graduation rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<th>SPED Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>12</td>
<td>75.0% - 100%</td>
<td>70.0% - 74.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - 69.9%</td>
<td>0% - 49.9%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

Graduation data are for the class of 2014 and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
**SPED Indicator #13: SPED Representation**

This indicator measures the percent of enrolled students who received special education (SPED) services.

**Calculation**

\[
\frac{\text{number of enrolled students served in special education}}{\text{number of students enrolled}}
\]

**Data Source**

The data for this indicator are based on the number of students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record and 163 Record as enrolled in the district and receiving special education services.

- Minimum Size Requirements: Numerator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: No
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s SPED representation rate is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>13</td>
<td>0% - 8.5%</td>
<td>8.6% - 11.0%</td>
<td>11.1% - 15.0%</td>
<td>15.1% - 100%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Notes**

- A district is obligated to identify and provide a free appropriate public education to all students with disabilities who require special education services.
- Students whose PEIMS instructional setting code on the 163 Record (Element E0173) is 02 (Hospital class); 30 (State Supported Living Centers); 31, 32, or 34 (ECI 0-2); or 81-89 (Residential Care and Treatment Facility) are not included in the calculation of this indicator in either the numerator or denominator.
- Students whose PEIMS code on the 163 Record (Element E0833) is 3 (Receiving instructional services from the Regional Day School Program for the Deaf) are not included in the calculation of this indicator in either the numerator or denominator.
- Students whose PEIMS Average Daily Attendance (ADA) Code = 0 are included in the calculation of this indicator in both the numerator and denominator.
SPED Indicator #14: SPED African American (Not Hispanic/Latino) Representation

This indicator compares the representation of African American students served in special education to the representation of African American students in the total population.

Calculation

1. African American representation in special education:

\[
\frac{\text{number of enrolled African American students served in special education}}{\text{number of enrolled students served in special education}}
\]

2. African American representation in the total population:

\[
\frac{\text{number of enrolled African American students}}{\text{number of enrolled students}}
\]

3. Difference:

\[
\text{African American representation in special education} - \text{African American representation in the total population}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the number of Black or African American (Element E1061) but not Hispanic/Latino (Element E1064) students and all students reported by the district on the PEIMS 101 Record, 110 Record, and 163 Record as enrolled in the district and receiving special education services.

- Minimum Size Requirements: Numerator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s difference value is compared to the PBMAS cut points\(^6\) for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>14</td>
<td>MIN - 1.0 percentage point difference</td>
<td>1.1 - 5.9</td>
<td>6.0 - 10.0</td>
<td>10.1 - 100</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The minimum size requirements for this indicator are evaluated at the first step of the indicator’s calculation.
- An African American student for purposes of this indicator is a student who is not reported as Hispanic/Latino and is reported (with one or more races) as Black or African American (Element E1061).

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\(^6\) MIN = minimum and denotes values less than 0.
- Students whose PEIMS instructional setting code on the 163 Record (Element E0173) is 02 (Hospital class); 30 (State Supported Living Centers); 31, 32, or 34 (ECI 0-2); or 81-89 (Residential Care and Treatment Facility) are not included in the calculation of this indicator in either the numerators or denominators.
- Students whose PEIMS code on the 163 Record (Element E0833) is 3 (Receiving instructional services from the Regional Day School Program for the Deaf) are not included in the calculation of this indicator in either the numerators or denominators.
- Students whose PEIMS Average Daily Attendance (ADA) Code = 0 are included in the calculation of this indicator in both the numerators and denominators.
SPED Indicator #15: SPED Hispanic Representation

This indicator compares the representation of Hispanic students served in special education to the representation of Hispanic students in the total population.

Calculation

1. Hispanic representation in special education:

\[
\frac{\text{number of enrolled Hispanic students served in special education}}{\text{number of enrolled students served in special education}}
\]

2. Hispanic representation in the total population:

\[
\frac{\text{number of enrolled Hispanic students}}{\text{number of enrolled students}}
\]

3. Difference:

\[
\text{Hispanic representation in special education} - \text{Hispanic representation in the total population}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the number of Hispanic/Latino (Element E1064) students and all students reported by the district on the PEIMS 101 Record, 110 Record, and 163 Record as enrolled in the district and receiving special education services.

- Minimum Size Requirements: Numerator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s difference value is compared to the PBMAS cut points\(^7\) for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>15</td>
<td>MIN - 1.0 percentage point difference</td>
<td>1.1 - 5.9</td>
<td>6.0 - 10.0</td>
<td>10.1 - 100</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The minimum size requirements for this indicator are evaluated at the first step of the indicator’s calculation.
- A Hispanic student for purposes of this indicator is a student who is reported as Hispanic/Latino (Element E1064) regardless of the student’s reported race(s).

\(^7\) MIN = minimum and denotes values less than 0.
• Students whose PEIMS instructional setting code on the 163 Record (Element E0173) is 02 (Hospital class); 30 (State Supported Living Centers); 31, 32, or 34 (ECI 0-2); or 81-89 (Residential Care and Treatment Facility) are not included in the calculation of this indicator in either the numerators or denominators.
• Students whose PEIMS code on the 163 Record (Element E0833) is 3 (Receiving instructional services from the Regional Day School Program for the Deaf) are not included in the calculation of this indicator in either the numerators or denominators.
• Students whose PEIMS Average Daily Attendance (ADA) Code = 0 are included in the calculation of this indicator in both the numerators and denominators.
SPED Indicator #16: SPED LEP Representation

This indicator compares the representation of students identified as limited English proficient (LEP) served in special education to the representation of LEP students in the total population.

Calculation

1. LEP representation in special education:

\[
\text{LEP representation in special education} = \frac{\text{number of enrolled LEP students served in special education}}{\text{number of enrolled students served in special education}}
\]

2. LEP representation in the total population:

\[
\text{LEP representation in the total population} = \frac{\text{number of enrolled LEP students}}{\text{number of enrolled students}}
\]

3. Difference:

\[
\text{Difference} = \text{LEP representation in special education} - \text{LEP representation in the total population}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator are based on the number of LEP students (Element E0790) and all students reported by the district on the PEIMS 110 Record and 163 Record as enrolled in the district and receiving special education services.

- Minimum Size Requirements: Numerator ≥ 30
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Fall 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s difference value is compared to the PBMAS cut points\(^8\) for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>16</td>
<td>MIN - 1.0 percentage point difference</td>
<td>1.1 - 5.9</td>
<td>6.0 - 10.0</td>
<td>10.1 - 100</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes

- The minimum size requirements for this indicator are evaluated at the first step of the indicator’s calculation.
- Students whose PEIMS instructional setting code on the 163 Record (Element E0173) is 02 (Hospital class); 30 (State Supported Living Centers); 31, 32, or 34 (ECI 0-2); or 81-89 (Residential Care and Treatment Facility) are not included in the calculation of this indicator in either the numerators or denominators.

\(^8\) MIN = minimum and denotes values less than 0.
• Students whose PEIMS code on the 163 Record (Element E0833) is 3 (Receiving instructional services from the Regional Day School Program for the Deaf) are not included in the calculation of this indicator in either the numerators or denominators.

• Students whose PEIMS Average Daily Attendance (ADA) Code = 0 are included in the calculation of this indicator in both the numerators and denominators.
SPED Indicator #17: SPED Discretionary DAEP Placements

This indicator compares the discretionary Disciplinary Alternative Education Program (DAEP) placements of students served in special education to the discretionary placements of all students in DAEPs.

Calculation

1. Special education discretionary DAEP placement rate:

\[
\text{Special education discretionary DAEP placement rate} = \frac{\text{number of discretionary DAEP placements of students served in special education}}{\text{number of students served in special education in attendance}}
\]

2. All students’ discretionary DAEP placement rate:

\[
\text{All students’ discretionary DAEP placement rate} = \frac{\text{number of discretionary DAEP placements for all students}}{\text{number of all students in attendance}}
\]

3. Difference:

\[
\text{Difference} = \text{special education discretionary DAEP placement rate} - \text{all students’ discretionary DAEP placement rate}
\]

Data Source

The data for this indicator’s denominators are based on the number of students (all students versus special education students) reported by the district on the PEIMS 400 Record, 405 Record, 500 Record, and 505 Record as in attendance. The data for this indicator’s numerators are based on the number of discretionary DAEP placements (all students versus special education students) reported by the district on the PEIMS 425 Record.

- Minimum Size Requirements:
  - Denominator ≥ 30
  - Numerator ≥ 10

- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3

- Automated Special Analysis: Yes

- Required Improvement: Yes

- Accountability Subset: No

- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Summer 2014

- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Notes

- Disciplinary Action Reason Code 02 (if reported with Behavior Location Code 04 or 05) is now included in this indicator.
- The minimum size requirements for this indicator are evaluated at the first step of the indicator’s calculation.
- Discretionary DAEP placements are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
- A student is counted as a special education student in the first denominator if (a) any 405 Record was submitted for the student; (b) Element E0940 on any 400 Record submitted for the student contains anything but 0000; (c) any 505 Record was submitted for the student; or (d) Element E1049 on any 500 Record submitted for the student contains anything but 000.
- A DAEP placement is counted as a special education DAEP placement in the first numerator if the student has a matching record for the same reporting period on (a) the 400 Record with Element E0041 containing anything but 00 and Element E0937 not equaling zero; or (b) on the 500 Record with Element E0041 containing anything but 00 and Element E1046 not equaling zero.
- Discretionary DAEP placements are defined using the PEIMS 425 Record – Disciplinary Action Codes and Disciplinary Action Reason Codes as follows: Action Codes (Element E1005) = 07, 08, and 10 and Reason Codes (Element E0937) = 02.
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Codes (Element E1006) = 01, 02 (if reported with Behavior Location Code 04 or 05), 10, 21, 23, 33, 34, 41, 49, 50, and/or 56. Only one action per incident number is counted under this indicator.

**Performance Level Assignment**

Each district’s difference value is compared to the PBMAS cut points\(^9\) for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

<table>
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<tr>
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<th>PL 0</th>
<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>17</td>
<td>MIN - 1.0 percentage point difference</td>
<td>1.1 - 2.0</td>
<td>2.1 - 2.9</td>
<td>3.0 - MAX</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**New!** In addition, each district’s disproportionality rate will be reported based on the percentage ranges\(^10\) below:

<table>
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<tr>
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<th>PL 0 (RO)</th>
<th>PL 1 (RO)</th>
<th>PL 2 (RO)</th>
<th>PL 3 (RO)</th>
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</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Disproportionality Rate</td>
<td>MIN - 10.0%</td>
<td>10.1% - 29.9%</td>
<td>30.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - MAX</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Disproportionality Rate Calculation:

\[
\text{percentage point difference} = \frac{\text{all students’ discretionary DAEP placement rate}}{\text{district’s all students DAEP placement rate}}
\]

\(^9\) MIN = minimum and denotes values less than 0. MAX = maximum and denotes values greater than 100.

\(^10\) The percentage is derived by dividing the district’s percentage point difference by the district’s all students DAEP placement rate.
SPED Indicator #18: SPED Discretionary ISS Placements

This indicator compares the discretionary in-school suspension (ISS) placements of students served in special education to the discretionary placements of all students in ISS.

Calculation

1. Special education discretionary ISS placement rate:
   \[
   \frac{\text{number of discretionary ISS placements of students served in special education}}{\text{number of students served in special education in attendance}}
   \]

2. All students’ discretionary ISS placement rate:
   \[
   \frac{\text{number of discretionary ISS placements for all students}}{\text{number of all students in attendance}}
   \]

3. Difference:
   \[
   \text{special education discretionary ISS placement rate} - \text{all students’ discretionary ISS placement rate}
   \]

Data Source

The data for this indicator’s denominators are based on the number of students (all students versus special education students) reported by the district on the PEIMS 400 Record, 405 Record, 500 Record, and 505 Record as in attendance. The data for this indicator’s numerators are based on the number of incidents of discretionary ISS placements (all students versus special education students) reported by the district on the PEIMS 425 Record.

- Minimum Size Requirements:
  - Denominator ≥ 30
  - Numerator ≥ 10
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Summer 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

Notes

- The minimum size requirements for this indicator are evaluated at the first step of the indicator’s calculation.
- Discretionary ISS placements are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
- A student is counted as a special education student in the first denominator if (a) any 405 Record was submitted for the student; (b) Element E0940 on any 400 Record submitted for the student contains anything but 0000; (c) any 505 Record was submitted for the student; or (d) Element E1049 on any 500 Record submitted for the student contains anything but 000.
- An ISS placement is counted as a special education ISS placement in the first numerator if the student has a matching record for the same reporting period (a) on the 400 Record with Element E0041 containing anything but 00 and Element E0937 not equaling zero; or (b) on the 500 Record with Element E0041 containing anything but 00 and Element E1046 not equaling zero.
- Discretionary placements to ISS are defined using the PEIMS 425 Record – Disciplinary Action Codes and Disciplinary Action Reason Codes as follows: Action Code (Element E1005) = 06 and 26 and Reason Code (Element E1006) = All Codes. Only one action per incident number is counted under this indicator.
Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s difference value is compared to the PBMAS cut points for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<tr>
<th>SPED Indicator</th>
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<th>PL 1</th>
<th>PL 2</th>
<th>PL 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>MIN - 10.0%</td>
<td>10.1% - 19.9%</td>
<td>20.0% - 29.9%</td>
<td>30.0% - MAX</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
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*New!* In addition, each district’s disproportionality rate will be reported based on the percentage ranges below:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Disproportionality Rate</th>
<th>PL 0 (RO)</th>
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<th>PL 2 (RO)</th>
<th>PL 3 (RO)</th>
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</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>MIN - 10.0%</td>
<td>10.1% - 29.9%</td>
<td>30.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - MAX</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Disproportionality Rate Calculation:

\[
\frac{\text{percentage point difference}}{\text{all students' ISS placement rate}}
\]

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11 MIN = minimum and denotes values less than 0. MAX = maximum and denotes values greater than 100.
12 The percentage is derived by dividing the district’s percentage point difference by the district’s all students ISS placement rate.
**SPED Indicator #19: SPED Discretionary OSS Placements**

This indicator compares the discretionary out-of-school suspension (OSS) placements of students served in special education to the discretionary placements of all students in OSS.

**Calculation**

1. Special education discretionary OSS placement rate:

   \[
   \frac{\text{number of discretionary OSS placements of students served in special education}}{\text{number of students served in special education in attendance}}
   \]

2. All students’ discretionary OSS placement rate:

   \[
   \frac{\text{number of discretionary OSS placements for all students}}{\text{number of all students in attendance}}
   \]

3. Difference:

   \[
   \text{special education discretionary OSS placement rate} - \text{all students’ discretionary OSS placement rate}
   \]

**Data Source**

The data for this indicator’s denominators are based on the number of students (all students versus special education students) reported by the district on the PEIMS 400 Record, 405 Record, 500 Record, and 505 Record as in attendance. The data for this indicator’s numerators are based on the number of incidents of discretionary placements to OSS (all students versus special education students) reported by the district on the PEIMS 425 Record.

- Minimum Size Requirements:
  - Denominator ≥ 30
  - Numerator ≥ 10
- Year(s) of Data Available for Analysis: 3
- Automated Special Analysis: Yes
- Required Improvement: Yes
- Accountability Subset: No
- Applicable PEIMS Collections: Summer 2014
- Section II of this manual includes detailed information on these and other PBMAS components.

**Notes**

- The minimum size requirements for this indicator are evaluated at the first step of the indicator’s calculation.
- Discretionary OSS placements are for the 2013-2014 school year and are the most current data available for use in the 2015 PBMAS.
- A student is counted as a special education student in the first denominator if (a) any 405 Record was submitted for the student; if (b) Element E0940 on any 400 Record submitted for the student contains anything but 0000; if (c) any 505 Record was submitted for the student; or (d) Element E1049 on any 500 Record submitted for the student contains anything but 000.
- An OSS placement is counted as a special education OSS placement in the first numerator if the student has a matching record for the same reporting period (a) on the 400 Record with Element E0941 containing anything but 00 and Element E0937 not equaling zero; or (b) on the 500 Record with Element E0041 containing anything but 00 and Element E1046 not equaling zero.
- Discretionary placements to OSS are defined using the PEIMS 425 Record – Disciplinary Action Codes and Disciplinary Action Reason Codes as follows: Action Code (Element E1005) = 05 and 25 and Reason Code (Element E1006) = All Codes. Only one action per incident number is counted under this indicator.
Performance Level Assignment

Each district’s difference value is compared to the PBMAS cut points\textsuperscript{13} for the indicator, and performance levels are assigned as follows:

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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>19</td>
<td>MIN - 6.0 percentage point difference</td>
<td>6.1 - 10.5</td>
<td>10.6 - 14.9</td>
<td>15.0 - MAX</td>
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</table>

\textbf{New!} In addition, each district’s disproportionality rate will be reported based on the percentage ranges\textsuperscript{14} below:

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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Disproportionality Rate</td>
<td>MIN - 10.0%</td>
<td>10.1% - 29.9%</td>
<td>30.0% - 49.9%</td>
<td>50.0% - MAX</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Disproportionality Rate Calculation:

\[
\text{Disproportionality Rate} = \frac{\text{percentage point difference}}{\text{all students' OSS placement rate}}
\]

\textsuperscript{13} MIN = minimum and denotes values less than 0. MAX = maximum and denotes values greater than 100.

\textsuperscript{14} The percentage is derived by dividing the district’s percentage point difference by the district’s all students OSS placement rate.
Appendix: A – Career and Technical Education Nontraditional Courses (2013-2014 School Year)

The federal Carl D. Perkins law requires states to measure participation in nontraditional courses. Nontraditional courses are defined as occupations or fields of work, including careers in computer science, technology, and other emerging high skill occupations, for which individuals from one gender comprise less than 25 percent of the individuals employed in each such occupation or field of work. The courses below were selected because, generally, they are occupationally specific courses in which the enrollment of one gender falls below 25 percent. Gender enrollments in the courses are reviewed annually at the state and local levels as part of the Carl D. Perkins reporting process.

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<th>PEIMS Number</th>
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<tr>
<td>12701500</td>
<td>PROBLEMS AND SOLUTIONS</td>
</tr>
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Appendix: B – Comments, Questions, and Review of Incorrect Performance Level Assignments

The agency welcomes comments and questions concerning PBMAS district performance levels. In addition, if a district determines that one or more 2015 PBMAS performance level assignments were based on a data or calculation error attributable to the Texas Education Agency or one of the agency’s data contractors, the district should submit specific information about the error, no later than September 18, 2015, to the address below. Requests based on disagreement with the 2015 PBMAS indicators, cut points, and methodologies adopted in rule or requests based on districts’ data errors will not be considered.

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