

TEXAS EDUCATION CODE
TITLE 2. PUBLIC EDUCATION
SUBTITLE H. PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM ACCOUNTABILITY
CHAPTER 39. PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM ACCOUNTABILITY
SUBCHAPTER B. ASSESSMENT OF ACADEMIC SKILLS

TEC, §39.022. ASSESSMENT PROGRAM.

- (a) The State Board of Education by rule shall create and implement a statewide assessment program that is knowledge- and skills-based to ensure school accountability for student achievement that achieves the goals provided under Section [4.002](#). After adopting rules under this section, the State Board of Education shall consider the importance of maintaining stability in the statewide assessment program when adopting any subsequent modification of the rules.
- (b) It is the policy of this state that the statewide assessment program be designed to:
 - (1) provide assessment instruments that are as short as practicable; and
 - (2) minimize the disruption to the educational program.

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Acts 2019, 86th Leg., R.S., Ch. 1315 (H.B. [3906](#)), Sec. 1, eff. June 14, 2019.