



Appendix F

**TEAMS, TAAS,
and TAKS Data
Transfer**

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Starting in 1986, the Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills (TEAMS) examinations was implemented as the first state assessment that students were required to pass mathematics and reading to be eligible to receive a high school diploma. In 1990, another criterion-referenced testing program, the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS), was implemented and passing the exit-level tests in mathematics, reading, and writing at grade 10 was a requirement for high school graduation. In 2013, the Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills (TAKS) replaced TAAS as the assessment graduation exit-level requirement for students in grades 11 and above. Refer to the Timeline section of [chapter 1, "Historical Overview of Assessments in Texas"](#) for more information.

During the period between 1986 and 2019, student-level results for each TEAMS, TAAS, and TAKS exit-level assessment for all students for whom these assessments were a graduation requirement were maintained by Pearson.

Due to an end of contractual obligations in 2018–2019, all past student performance data related to TEAMS, TAAS, and TAKS were transferred from Pearson to TEA. Student results can be requested from the agency by providing the student's PEIMS ID number, first name, last name, and date of birth. No campus or district level information is available. A single history file of TEAMS data was transferred. The TEAMS data file contains the last 10 test occurrences for a student, and has a cumulative section which documents when the student passed a specific subject. The TAAS and TAKS student data files are separated by administration. Tables F.1. and F.2 list all of the TAAS and TAKS administration for which data is available.

Table F.1. 2019 TAAS Data Files Transferred by Administration

Year	Spring	May/Exit Retest	Summer	Fall	February/March Exit	April Exit	July Exit	October Exit
1990				✓				
1991	✓			✓				
1992	✓		✓	✓				
1993	✓		✓	✓				
1994	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1995	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1996	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1997	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1998	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1999	✓	✓		✓				
2000	✓	✓	✓	✓				
2001	✓	✓	✓	✓				
2002	✓	✓	✓	✓				
2003	✓	✓	✓	✓				
2004	✓	✓	✓	✓				
2005	✓	✓	✓	✓				
2006					✓	✓	✓	✓
2007					✓	✓	✓	✓
2008					✓	✓	✓	✓
2009					✓	✓	✓	✓

Table F.2. 2019 TAKS Data Files Transferred by Administration

Year	February/March Exit Retest	April Exit Retest	May/Spring 3–11 English	June Exit Retest	July Exit Level	October/ November Exit Level	December Exit Level
2003			✓				
2004			✓		✓	✓	
2005	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
2006	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
2007	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
2008	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
2009	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
2010	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
2011	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
2012	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
2013	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
2014	✓	✓			✓	✓	
2015	✓				✓	✓	