

District Profile  
**TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 123<sup>1</sup>**  
**ACS 2012-2016 Estimates**

<b>SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS</b>	<b>District estimate<sup>1,2</sup></b>	<b>District percent<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>State<sup>3</sup></b>
<b>Total population</b>	<b>181,225</b>		<b>26,956,435</b>
Age			
0 to 4 years	10,996	6.1%	7.3%
5 to 17 years	27,581	15.2%	19.1%
18 to 64 years	117,566	64.9%	62.1%
65 years and over	25,082	13.8%	11.5%
<b>Population 5 years and over</b>	<b>170,229</b>		<b>24,985,749</b>
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	84,085	49.4%	64.8%
Speaks other than English at home	86,144	50.6%	35.2%
Speaks English very well or well	70,308	41.3%	27.5%
Does not speak English well or at all	15,836	9.3%	7.7%
<b>Special populations<sup>4</sup></b>			
Moved in the past 12 months	35,020	NA	4,375,825
Individuals with disabilities	25,182	NA	3,083,141
Veterans	11,831	NA	1,513,294
Active duty military	319	NA	92,754
<b>SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS</b>	<b>District estimate<sup>1,2</sup></b>	<b>District percent<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>State<sup>3</sup></b>
<b>Number of households</b>	<b>68,425</b>		<b>9,289,554</b>
Average number of persons per household <sup>4,5</sup>	2.55	NA	2.84
Households by composition			
1 person	24,770	36.2%	25.1%
2 persons	21,546	31.5%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	16,007	23.4%	31.1%
5 or more persons	6,102	8.9%	12.5%
Household type			
Family households	37,791	55.2%	69.4%
Nonfamily households	30,634	44.8%	30.6%
<b>Number of families</b>	<b>37,791</b>		<b>6,450,049</b>
Families with children by birth, marriage or adoption under 18 years	15,714	41.6%	47.8%
Married-couple families	8,413	22.3%	32.5%
Families with both parents employed	4,815	12.7%	18.0%
Single-parent families	7,301	19.3%	15.3%
Families with the parent employed	5,657	15.0%	12.1%

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<b>SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS</b>	<b>District estimate</b> <sup>1,2</sup>	<b>District percent</b> <sup>3</sup>	<b>State</b> <sup>3</sup>
<b>Population age 3 and over enrolled in school</b>	44,342		7,488,362
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	1,916	4.3%	6.1%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	28,152	63.5%	69.2%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	27,012	60.9%	68.6%
In college, graduate, or professional school	14,274	32.2%	24.6%
<b>Population age 25 and over</b>	120,967		17,085,128
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	27,125	22.4%	28.1%
Less than high school graduate	27,490	22.7%	17.7%
<b>SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>	<b>District estimate</b> <sup>1,2</sup>	<b>District percent</b> <sup>3</sup>	<b>State</b> <sup>3</sup>
<b>Civilian employed population age 16 and over</b>	85,339		12,371,392
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	70,192	82.3%	79.7%
Government sector	9,586	11.2%	13.5%
Self-employed	5,471	6.4%	6.6%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	807	0.9%	3.3%
Construction	6,852	8.0%	8.0%
Manufacturing	4,914	5.8%	8.9%
Wholesale trade	1,769	2.1%	3.0%
Retail trade	9,788	11.5%	11.5%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	3,554	4.2%	5.5%
Information	1,592	1.9%	1.8%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	6,472	7.6%	6.6%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	10,405	12.2%	11.2%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	18,602	21.8%	21.6%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	13,532	15.9%	9.0%
Other services, except public administration	4,436	5.2%	5.3%
Public administration	2,616	3.1%	4.2%
<b>Population 16 to 64 years</b>	121,810		17,502,656
Worked at all in the past 12 months	90,501	74.3%	74.7%
Worked 50 - 52 weeks	69,437	57.0%	57.0%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	58,799	48.3%	50.4%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	10,638	8.7%	6.6%

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<b>Workers age 16 and over</b>	84,451		12,237,558
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	4,446	5.3%	1.5%
Private vehicle	73,953	87.6%	90.9%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	2,882	3.4%	2.0%
Taxi / other means	670	0.8%	1.2%
Worked at home	2,500	3.0%	4.3%
Travel time to work <sup>6</sup>			
Less than 15 minutes	21,939	26.0%	25.1%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	41,672	49.3%	34.7%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	12,540	14.8%	20.4%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	2,377	2.8%	8.0%
60 minutes or more	3,423	4.1%	7.5%
<b>SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS</b>	<b>District estimate<sup>1,2</sup></b>	<b>District percent<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>State<sup>3</sup></b>
Persons in poverty <sup>7</sup>	40,984	23.5%	16.7%
Per capita income <sup>4,5</sup>	\$22,734	NA	\$27,828
<b>Number of households</b>	68,425		9,289,554
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	7,269	10.6%	6.9%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	14,775	21.6%	15.3%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	19,266	28.2%	23.6%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	18,629	27.2%	29.7%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	6,619	9.7%	18.8%
\$200,000 and over	1,867	2.7%	5.7%
Households with social security income	18,989	27.8%	25.0%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	4,861	7.1%	4.9%
Households with public assistance income <sup>8</sup>	1,258	1.8%	1.6%
<b>Number of families living in poverty</b>	7,535		835,775
With related children under 18	5,745	76.2%	79.4%
Married couple families	1,562	20.7%	28.2%
Single-parent families	4,183	55.5%	51.2%
Female head of household	3,649	48.4%	44.5%
Male head of household	534	7.1%	6.7%

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<b>SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS</b>	<b>District estimate<sup>1,2</sup></b>	<b>District percent<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>State<sup>3</sup></b>
<b>Number of housing units</b>	<b>77,234</b>		<b>10,441,643</b>
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	1,678	2.2%	4.8%
Built between 2000 and 2009	4,551	5.9%	21.2%
Built between 1990 and 1999	4,874	6.3%	15.6%
Built between 1970 and 1989	22,539	29.2%	33.2%
Built before 1970	43,592	56.4%	25.2%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	29,702	38.5%	55.0%
Renter-occupied	38,723	50.1%	33.9%
Vacant	8,809	11.4%	11.0%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) <sup>4,5</sup>	\$790	NA	\$911
Median value of owner-occupied housing units <sup>4,5</sup>	\$109,400	NA	\$142,700
<b>Number of owner-occupied housing units</b>	<b>29,702</b>		<b>5,747,458</b>
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	2,547	8.6%	11.3%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10,942	36.8%	21.6%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	10,638	35.8%	35.7%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	4,749	16.0%	26.1%
\$500,000 and above	826	2.8%	5.3%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income <sup>9</sup>			
35 percent or more	5,640	19.0%	16.0%
20 to 34.9 percent	7,168	24.1%	25.6%
Less than 20 percent	16,658	56.1%	57.6%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	1,433	4.8%	2.2%
One or more vehicles	28,269	95.2%	97.8%
<b>Number of renter-occupied housing units</b>	<b>38,723</b>		<b>3,542,096</b>
Gross rent <sup>10</sup>			
Less than \$500	5,234	13.5%	8.2%
\$500 to \$749	11,320	29.2%	21.1%
\$750 to \$999	11,331	29.3%	27.0%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	5,479	14.1%	17.5%
\$1,250 and above	3,901	10.1%	20.8%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income <sup>9</sup>			
35 percent or more	14,225	36.7%	36.1%
20 to 34.9 percent	12,625	32.6%	31.4%
Less than 20 percent	9,630	24.9%	25.0%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	7,796	20.1%	11.1%
One or more vehicles	30,927	79.9%	88.9%

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- <sup>1</sup> Comparisons to the previous district profiles should be made with caution. Previous district profiles were compiled by TLC Research by aggregating census block group data into senate and house districts. Block groups that crossed district lines were counted in the district totals of the district in which more than 50% of the population lived. In the 2012-2016 ACS, the Census Bureau reported data for the most recent Texas house and senate districts.
- <sup>2</sup> The ACS data is gathered from surveys distributed to a sample of the population. The margins of error (MOEs) that accompany each of the estimates are available upon request from TLC. The MOE indicates the reliability of these estimates.
- <sup>3</sup> State and district percentages are based on the totals in the general category shown above each group and marked by a gray bar.
- <sup>4</sup> This report does not include state and district percentages for the special populations group or the variables that illustrate average or median values. For these variables, the state estimate is provided.
- <sup>5</sup> Statistical weights are used to calculate the district estimates.
- <sup>6</sup> Individuals who work at home are not included in these categories.
- <sup>7</sup> Percentages are based on the population for whom poverty status is determined.
- <sup>8</sup> Public assistance income includes Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) but not SSI or Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) / food stamps.
- <sup>9</sup> Households reporting no income or a negative income (where expenses are more than income) are excluded.
- <sup>10</sup> Only housing units with tenants paying rent are included in these categories. Rental units with tenants living in them for free or in exchange for services are not included. The percentages of units with no cash rent range from 1% to 21% across senate and house districts.