

District Profile
TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 150¹
ACS 2012-2016 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Total population	193,873		26,956,435
Age			
0 to 4 years	15,005	7.7%	7.3%
5 to 17 years	38,871	20.0%	19.1%
18 to 64 years	120,429	62.1%	62.1%
65 years and over	19,568	10.1%	11.5%
Population 5 years and over	178,868		24,985,749
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	131,851	73.7%	64.8%
Speaks other than English at home	47,017	26.3%	35.2%
Speaks English very well or well	39,047	21.8%	27.5%
Does not speak English well or at all	7,970	4.5%	7.7%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	28,120	NA	4,375,825
Individuals with disabilities	16,981	NA	3,083,141
Veterans	9,812	NA	1,513,294
Active duty military	54	NA	92,754
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS			
	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Number of households	65,762		9,289,554
Average number of persons per household ^{4,5}	2.94	NA	2.84
Households by composition			
1 person	12,171	18.5%	25.1%
2 persons	21,967	33.4%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	22,923	34.9%	31.1%
5 or more persons	8,701	13.2%	12.5%
Household type			
Family households	50,752	77.2%	69.4%
Nonfamily households	15,010	22.8%	30.6%
Number of families	50,752		6,450,049
Families with children by birth, marriage or adoption under 18 years	24,968	49.2%	47.8%
Married-couple families	18,647	36.7%	32.5%
Families with both parents employed	10,231	20.2%	18.0%
Single-parent families	6,321	12.5%	15.3%
Families with the parent employed	5,539	10.9%	12.1%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate ^{1,2}	District percent ³	State ³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	56,461		7,488,362
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	4,025	7.1%	6.1%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	38,882	68.9%	69.2%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	36,939	65.4%	68.6%
In college, graduate, or professional school	13,554	24.0%	24.6%
Population age 25 and over	123,142		17,085,128
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	45,917	37.3%	28.1%
Less than high school graduate	10,341	8.4%	17.7%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate ^{1,2}	District percent ³	State ³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	96,350		12,371,392
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	78,736	81.7%	79.7%
Government sector	11,092	11.5%	13.5%
Self-employed	6,295	6.5%	6.6%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	4,664	4.8%	3.3%
Construction	5,758	6.0%	8.0%
Manufacturing	9,256	9.6%	8.9%
Wholesale trade	4,907	5.1%	3.0%
Retail trade	11,480	11.9%	11.5%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	7,394	7.7%	5.5%
Information	1,430	1.5%	1.8%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	5,841	6.1%	6.6%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	12,398	12.9%	11.2%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	19,444	20.2%	21.6%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	6,533	6.8%	9.0%
Other services, except public administration	4,691	4.9%	5.3%
Public administration	2,554	2.7%	4.2%
Population 16 to 64 years	126,416		17,502,656
Worked at all in the past 12 months	98,314	77.8%	74.7%
Worked 50 - 52 weeks	78,714	62.3%	57.0%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	70,504	55.8%	50.4%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	8,210	6.5%	6.6%

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SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS (continued)	District estimate ^{1,2}	District percent ³	State ³
Workers age 16 and over	94,569		12,237,558
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	1,737	1.8%	1.5%
Private vehicle	87,126	92.1%	90.9%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	976	1.0%	2.0%
Taxi / other means	871	0.9%	1.2%
Worked at home	3,859	4.1%	4.3%
Travel time to work ⁶			
Less than 15 minutes	12,676	13.4%	25.1%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	29,053	30.7%	34.7%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	23,246	24.6%	20.4%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	12,885	13.6%	8.0%
60 minutes or more	12,850	13.6%	7.5%
	District estimate ^{1,2}	District percent ³	State ³
SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS			
Persons in poverty ⁷	16,252	8.4%	16.7%
Per capita income ^{4,5}	\$35,193	NA	\$27,828
Number of households	65,762		9,289,554
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	2,106	3.2%	6.9%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	5,193	7.9%	15.3%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	11,624	17.7%	23.6%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	21,546	32.8%	29.7%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	19,070	29.0%	18.8%
\$200,000 and over	6,223	9.5%	5.7%
Households with social security income	14,030	21.3%	25.0%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	2,176	3.3%	4.9%
Households with public assistance income ⁸	1,192	1.8%	1.6%
Number of families living in poverty	3,294		835,775
With related children under 18	2,535	77.0%	79.4%
Married couple families	991	30.1%	28.2%
Single-parent families	1,544	46.9%	51.2%
Female head of household	1,391	42.2%	44.5%
Male head of household	153	4.6%	6.7%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate ^{1,2}	District percent ³	State ³
Number of housing units	70,383		10,441,643
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	6,720	9.5%	4.8%
Built between 2000 and 2009	22,117	31.4%	21.2%
Built between 1990 and 1999	8,897	12.6%	15.6%
Built between 1970 and 1989	29,314	41.6%	33.2%
Built before 1970	3,335	4.7%	25.2%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	48,503	68.9%	55.0%
Renter-occupied	17,259	24.5%	33.9%
Vacant	4,621	6.6%	11.0%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ^{4,5}	\$1,108	NA	\$911
Median value of owner-occupied housing units ^{4,5}	\$168,500	NA	\$142,700
Number of owner-occupied housing units	48,503		5,747,458
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	1,628	3.4%	11.3%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4,657	9.6%	21.6%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	24,695	50.9%	35.7%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	15,164	31.3%	26.1%
\$500,000 and above	2,359	4.9%	5.3%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁹			
35 percent or more	7,738	16.0%	16.0%
20 to 34.9 percent	13,234	27.3%	25.6%
Less than 20 percent	27,150	56.0%	57.6%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	425	0.9%	2.2%
One or more vehicles	48,078	99.1%	97.8%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	17,259		3,542,096
Gross rent ¹⁰			
Less than \$500	327	1.9%	8.2%
\$500 to \$749	2,621	15.2%	21.1%
\$750 to \$999	3,972	23.0%	27.0%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	3,135	18.2%	17.5%
\$1,250 and above	6,492	37.6%	20.8%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁹			
35 percent or more	5,722	33.2%	36.1%
20 to 34.9 percent	6,057	35.1%	31.4%
Less than 20 percent	4,642	26.9%	25.0%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	762	4.4%	11.1%
One or more vehicles	16,497	95.6%	88.9%

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- ¹ 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.
- ² 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.
- ³ State and district percentages are based on the totals in the general category shown above each group and marked by a gray bar.
- ⁴ 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.
- ⁵ Statistical weights are used to calculate the district estimates.
- ⁶ Individuals who work at home are not included in these categories.
- ⁷ Percentages are based on the population for whom poverty status is determined.
- ⁸ Public assistance income includes Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) but not SSI or Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) / food stamps.
- ⁹ Households reporting no income or a negative income (where expenses are more than income) are excluded.
- ¹⁰ 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.