

District Profile
TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 69¹
ACS 2012-2016 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Total population	160,031		26,956,435
Age			
0 to 4 years	10,156	6.3%	7.3%
5 to 17 years	25,847	16.2%	19.1%
18 to 64 years	99,955	62.5%	62.1%
65 years and over	24,073	15.0%	11.5%
Population 5 years and over	149,875		24,985,749
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	130,715	87.2%	64.8%
Speaks other than English at home	19,160	12.8%	35.2%
Speaks English very well or well	15,936	10.6%	27.5%
Does not speak English well or at all	3,224	2.2%	7.7%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	30,112	NA	4,375,825
Individuals with disabilities	22,920	NA	3,083,141
Veterans	13,847	NA	1,513,294
Active duty military	6,088	NA	92,754
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Number of households	59,655		9,289,554
Average number of persons per household ^{4,5}	2.42	NA	2.84
Households by composition			
1 person	17,998	30.2%	25.1%
2 persons	20,489	34.3%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	16,172	27.1%	31.1%
5 or more persons	4,996	8.4%	12.5%
Household type			
Family households	38,677	64.8%	69.4%
Nonfamily households	20,978	35.2%	30.6%
Number of families	38,677		6,450,049
Families with children by birth, marriage or adoption under 18 years	17,124	44.3%	47.8%
Married-couple families	10,883	28.1%	32.5%
Families with both parents employed	7,199	18.6%	18.0%
Single-parent families	6,241	16.1%	15.3%
Families with the parent employed	4,944	12.8%	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	38,923		7,488,362
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	2,386	6.1%	6.1%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	26,057	66.9%	69.2%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	26,533	68.2%	68.6%
In college, graduate, or professional school	10,480	26.9%	24.6%
Population age 25 and over	103,713		17,085,128
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	22,503	21.7%	28.1%
Less than high school graduate	14,182	13.7%	17.7%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate ^{1,2}	District percent ³	State ³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	67,987		12,371,392
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	50,342	74.0%	79.7%
Government sector	12,667	18.6%	13.5%
Self-employed	4,707	6.9%	6.6%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	3,362	4.9%	3.3%
Construction	4,085	6.0%	8.0%
Manufacturing	5,813	8.6%	8.9%
Wholesale trade	1,675	2.5%	3.0%
Retail trade	8,699	12.8%	11.5%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	2,603	3.8%	5.5%
Information	1,303	1.9%	1.8%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	2,965	4.4%	6.6%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	4,794	7.1%	11.2%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	17,698	26.0%	21.6%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	6,847	10.1%	9.0%
Other services, except public administration	3,896	5.7%	5.3%
Public administration	4,247	6.2%	4.2%
Population 16 to 64 years	103,816		17,502,656
Worked at all in the past 12 months	76,241	73.4%	74.7%
Worked 50 - 52 weeks	57,108	55.0%	57.0%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	49,716	47.9%	50.4%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	7,392	7.1%	6.6%

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SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS (continued)	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Workers age 16 and over	72,678		12,237,558
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	456	0.6%	1.5%
Private vehicle	63,715	87.7%	90.9%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	4,730	6.5%	2.0%
Taxi / other means	818	1.1%	1.2%
Worked at home	2,959	4.1%	4.3%
Travel time to work ⁶			
Less than 15 minutes	36,395	50.1%	25.1%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	25,603	35.2%	34.7%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	4,299	5.9%	20.4%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	1,101	1.5%	8.0%
60 minutes or more	2,321	3.2%	7.5%
	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS			
Persons in poverty ⁷	25,038	17.3%	16.7%
Per capita income ^{4,5}	\$23,863	NA	\$27,828
Number of households	59,655		9,289,554
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	4,970	8.3%	6.9%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	11,295	18.9%	15.3%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	15,839	26.6%	23.6%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	18,066	30.3%	29.7%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	7,990	13.4%	18.8%
\$200,000 and over	1,495	2.5%	5.7%
Households with social security income	19,317	32.4%	25.0%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	3,730	6.3%	4.9%
Households with public assistance income ⁸	954	1.6%	1.6%
Number of families living in poverty	5,233		835,775
With related children under 18	4,062	77.6%	79.4%
Married couple families	1,011	19.3%	28.2%
Single-parent families	3,051	58.3%	51.2%
Female head of household	2,397	45.8%	44.5%
Male head of household	654	12.5%	6.7%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate ^{1,2}	District percent ³	State ³
Number of housing units	70,848		10,441,643
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	1,180	1.7%	4.8%
Built between 2000 and 2009	6,741	9.5%	21.2%
Built between 1990 and 1999	6,802	9.6%	15.6%
Built between 1970 and 1989	21,118	29.8%	33.2%
Built before 1970	35,007	49.4%	25.2%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	38,269	54.0%	55.0%
Renter-occupied	21,386	30.2%	33.9%
Vacant	11,193	15.8%	11.0%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ^{4,5}	\$736	NA	\$911
Median value of owner-occupied housing units ^{4,5}	\$89,200	NA	\$142,700
Number of owner-occupied housing units	38,269		5,747,458
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	8,551	22.3%	11.3%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	12,914	33.7%	21.6%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	11,673	30.5%	35.7%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	4,660	12.2%	26.1%
\$500,000 and above	471	1.2%	5.3%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁹			
35 percent or more	5,608	14.7%	16.0%
20 to 34.9 percent	8,998	23.5%	25.6%
Less than 20 percent	23,331	61.0%	57.6%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	723	1.9%	2.2%
One or more vehicles	37,546	98.1%	97.8%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	21,386		3,542,096
Gross rent ¹⁰			
Less than \$500	3,968	18.6%	8.2%
\$500 to \$749	6,297	29.4%	21.1%
\$750 to \$999	4,998	23.4%	27.0%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	2,557	12.0%	17.5%
\$1,250 and above	1,890	8.8%	20.8%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁹			
35 percent or more	7,316	34.2%	36.1%
20 to 34.9 percent	6,690	31.3%	31.4%
Less than 20 percent	5,423	25.4%	25.0%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	2,784	13.0%	11.1%
One or more vehicles	18,602	87.0%	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.