

District Profile
TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 125¹
ACS 2014-2018 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Total population	193,832		27,885,195
Age			
0 to 4 years	13,152	6.8%	7.2%
5 to 17 years	36,897	19.0%	19.0%
18 to 64 years	119,452	61.6%	61.9%
65 years and over	24,331	12.6%	12.0%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	37,389	19.3%	42.3%
Non-Anglo	156,443	80.7%	57.7%
Hispanic	142,077	73.3%	39.2%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	9,527	4.9%	13.1%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	5,958	3.1%	5.4%
Population age 5 and over	180,680		25,886,326
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	93,360	51.7%	64.5%
Speaks other than English at home	87,320	48.3%	35.5%
Speaks English very well or well	74,062	41.0%	28.0%
Does not speak English well or at all	13,258	7.3%	7.6%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	26,169	NA	4,378,563
Individuals with disabilities	29,045	NA	3,152,865
Veterans	12,199	NA	1,474,232
Active duty military	484	NA	89,701
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Number of households	60,492		9,553,046
Average number of persons per household ⁴	3.16	NA	2.86
Households by composition			
1 person	14,861	24.6%	25.1%
2 persons	17,158	28.4%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	20,328	33.6%	31.1%
5 or more persons	8,145	13.5%	12.4%
Household type			
Family households	43,064	71.2%	69.4%
Nonfamily households	17,428	28.8%	30.6%
Number of families	43,064		6,629,325
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18			
Married-couple families	11,605	26.9%	32.4%
Families with both parents employed	6,636	15.4%	18.2%
Single-parent families	7,953	18.5%	14.7%
Families with the parent employed	6,016	14.0%	11.9%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	54,631		7,626,437
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	3,091	5.7%	6.0%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	37,251	68.2%	69.7%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	36,964	67.7%	68.8%
In college, graduate, or professional school	14,289	26.2%	24.3%
Population age 25 and over	123,548		17,815,359
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	26,940	21.8%	29.3%
Less than high school graduate	26,491	21.4%	16.8%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	87,171		12,985,624
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	71,040	81.5%	80.1%
Government sector	11,870	13.6%	13.0%
Self-employed	4,212	4.8%	6.7%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	712	0.8%	3.1%
Construction	8,658	9.9%	8.4%
Manufacturing	4,503	5.2%	8.6%
Wholesale trade	1,723	2.0%	2.9%
Retail trade	10,291	11.8%	11.4%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	3,889	4.5%	5.7%
Information	1,217	1.4%	1.8%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	8,589	9.9%	6.6%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	8,898	10.2%	11.4%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	21,218	24.3%	21.6%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	9,941	11.4%	9.2%
Other services, except public administration	4,036	4.6%	5.2%
Public administration	3,496	4.0%	4.0%
Population age 16 to 64	125,153		18,056,306
Worked at all in the past 12 months	91,649	73.2%	75.2%
Worked 50-52 weeks	69,838	55.8%	58.1%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	61,678	49.3%	51.5%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	8,160	6.5%	6.6%

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SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS (continued)	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Workers age 16 and over	86,079		12,842,820
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	2,350	2.7%	1.4%
Private vehicle	78,429	91.1%	90.7%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	1,478	1.7%	1.9%
Taxi / other means	880	1.0%	1.2%
Worked at home	2,942	3.4%	4.7%
Travel time to work ⁵			
Less than 15 minutes	15,307	17.8%	24.1%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	35,865	41.7%	34.4%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	21,166	24.6%	20.6%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	5,934	6.9%	8.3%
60 minutes or more	4,865	5.7%	7.9%
SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Persons in poverty ⁶	36,119	18.9%	15.5%
Per capita income ⁴	\$22,331	NA	\$30,143
Number of households	60,492		9,553,046
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	5,092	8.4%	6.4%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	9,762	16.1%	13.6%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	14,487	23.9%	22.4%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19,128	31.6%	30.0%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	10,634	17.6%	20.7%
\$200,000 and over	1,389	2.3%	6.9%
Households with social security income	17,933	29.6%	25.4%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	4,697	7.8%	4.8%
Households with public assistance income ⁷	907	1.5%	1.5%
Households that received food stamps/SNAP in the past 12 months	10,354	17.1%	12.2%
Number of families living in poverty	6,668		788,889
With related children under age 18	5,190	77.8%	77.9%
Married couple families	1,311	19.7%	27.1%
Single-parent families	3,879	58.2%	50.8%
Female head of household	3,541	53.1%	44.2%
Male head of household	338	5.1%	6.5%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Number of housing units	64,587		10,769,900
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	2,556	4.0%	8.4%
Built between 2000 and 2009	11,189	17.3%	20.0%
Built between 1990 and 1999	11,371	17.6%	15.4%
Built between 1970 and 1989	22,057	34.2%	32.0%
Built before 1970	17,414	27.0%	24.2%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	36,523	56.5%	54.9%
Renter-occupied	23,969	37.1%	33.8%
Vacant	4,095	6.3%	11.3%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ⁴	\$937	NA	\$998
Median value of owner-occupied housing units ⁴	\$132,900	NA	\$161,700
Number of owner-occupied housing units	36,523		5,917,771
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	4,029	11.0%	9.8%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	9,208	25.2%	18.3%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	16,272	44.6%	33.5%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	6,776	18.6%	31.6%
\$500,000 and above	238	0.7%	6.8%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	5,290	14.5%	15.5%
20 to 34.9 percent	8,805	24.1%	25.1%
Less than 20 percent	21,902	60.0%	58.6%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	1,316	3.6%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	35,207	96.4%	97.9%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	23,969		3,635,275
Gross rent ⁹			
Less than \$500	2,616	10.9%	6.7%
\$500 to \$749	3,660	15.3%	15.7%
\$750 to \$999	6,774	28.3%	25.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	4,659	19.4%	20.1%
\$1,250 and above	5,126	21.4%	27.1%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	9,699	40.5%	36.0%
20 to 34.9 percent	7,420	31.0%	31.7%
Less than 20 percent	5,120	21.4%	24.9%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	3,466	14.5%	10.6%
One or more vehicles	20,503	85.5%	89.4%

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- ¹ Comparisons to the previous district profiles should be made with caution. Previous district profiles were compiled by Texas Legislative Council (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 2014-2018 ACS Summary File, 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 margin of error (MOE) that accompanies each of the estimates is 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 Individuals who worked at home are not included in these categories.
- ⁶ Percentages are based on the population for whom poverty status is determined.
- ⁷ Public assistance income includes Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) but not SSI or Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)/food stamps.
- ⁸ Households reporting no income or a negative income (where expenses are more than income) are excluded.
- ⁹ 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 22% across senate and house districts.