

District Profile
TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 127¹
ACS 2018-2022 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Total population	204,023		29,243,342
Age			
0 to 4 years	14,199	7.0%	6.6%
5 to 17 years	45,010	22.1%	18.7%
18 to 64 years	120,700	59.2%	61.8%
65 years and over	24,114	11.8%	12.9%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	95,288	46.7%	40.1%
Non-Anglo	108,735	53.3%	59.9%
Hispanic	58,579	28.7%	39.9%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	40,742	20.0%	13.7%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	8,662	4.2%	6.1%
Population age 5 and over	189,824		27,319,920
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	142,765	75.2%	64.9%
Speaks other than English at home	47,059	24.8%	35.1%
Speaks English very well or well	42,323	22.3%	28.4%
Does not speak English well or at all	4,736	2.5%	6.7%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	20,357	NA	4,235,358
Veterans	11,646	NA	1,416,973
Active duty military	313	NA	110,177
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Number of households	68,129		10,490,553
Average number of persons per household ⁴	2.99	NA	2.73
Households by composition			
1 person	11,808	17.3%	25.7%
2 persons	20,370	29.9%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	26,549	39.0%	30.7%
5 or more persons	9,402	13.8%	12.2%
Household type			
Family households	53,818	79.0%	68.4%
Nonfamily households	14,311	21.0%	31.6%
Number of families	53,818		7,173,843
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	27,199	50.5%	46.1%
Married-couple families	21,436	39.8%	31.9%
Families with both parents employed	13,427	24.9%	18.6%
Single-parent families	5,763	10.7%	14.2%
Families with the parent employed	5,134	9.5%	11.4%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	60,465		7,768,251
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	4,082	6.8%	5.5%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	45,359	75.0%	70.1%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	45,356	75.0%	67.9%
In college, graduate, or professional school	11,024	18.2%	24.4%
Population age 25 and over	129,966		18,910,948
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	51,319	39.5%	32.3%
Less than high school graduate	9,356	7.2%	14.8%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	97,843		13,908,128
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	76,603	78.3%	79.2%
Government sector	15,407	15.7%	13.7%
Self-employed	5,833	5.7%	6.9%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	3,290	3.4%	2.6%
Construction	7,174	7.3%	8.7%
Manufacturing	8,812	9.0%	8.5%
Wholesale trade	2,407	2.5%	2.6%
Retail trade	8,180	8.4%	11.3%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	10,251	10.5%	6.4%
Information	1,485	1.5%	1.6%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	6,132	6.3%	6.9%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	11,974	12.2%	12.2%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	22,081	22.6%	21.5%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	7,416	7.6%	8.7%
Other services, except public administration	4,436	4.5%	5.0%
Public administration	4,205	4.3%	4.1%
Population age 16 to 64	127,798		18,929,419
Worked at all in the past 12 months	100,629	78.7%	76.3%
Worked 50-52 weeks	82,014	64.2%	60.4%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	73,008	57.1%	53.1%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	9,006	7.0%	7.3%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Number of housing units	72,276		11,654,971
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	14,459	20.0%	16.8%
Built between 2000 and 2009	17,755	24.6%	18.2%
Built between 1990 and 1999	12,262	17.0%	14.0%
Built between 1970 and 1989	25,238	34.9%	29.4%
Built before 1970	2,562	3.5%	21.6%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	53,674	74.3%	56.2%
Renter-occupied	14,455	20.0%	33.8%
Vacant	4,147	5.7%	10.0%
Average gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ⁴	\$1,688	NA	\$1,349
Average value of owner-occupied housing units ⁴	\$289,057	NA	\$311,438
Number of owner-occupied housing units	53,674		6,545,727
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	1,169	2.2%	6.7%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	548	1.0%	9.9%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	12,594	23.5%	23.5%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	34,898	65.0%	46.4%
\$500,000 and above	4,465	8.3%	13.5%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	8,644	16.1%	16.0%
20 to 34.9 percent	15,277	28.5%	24.7%
Less than 20 percent	29,431	54.8%	58.4%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	506	0.9%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	53,168	99.1%	97.9%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	14,455		3,944,826
Gross rent ⁹			
Less than \$500	89	0.6%	4.4%
\$500 to \$749	284	2.0%	6.6%
\$750 to \$999	391	2.7%	16.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	2,426	16.8%	20.4%
\$1,250 and above	10,854	75.1%	47.8%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	5,383	37.2%	37.8%
20 to 34.9 percent	5,175	35.8%	32.1%
Less than 20 percent	3,451	23.9%	23.5%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	786	5.4%	10.5%
One or more vehicles	13,669	94.6%	89.5%

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- ¹ These district profiles use the census geographies for the Texas house and senate districts corresponding to PlanH2316 and PlanS2168. Comparisons to previous profiles should be made with caution. In some past profiles, including the 2017-2021 vintage, districts were compiled by aggregating block group data since census geographies did not correspond to the legislative plans in effect at the time in Texas. Additionally, the Census Bureau advises against comparing estimates from overlapping 5-year periods.
- 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 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.