

District Profile  
**TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 145<sup>1</sup>**  
**ACS 2014-2018 Estimates**

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate <sup>1,2</sup>	District Percent <sup>3</sup>	State <sup>3</sup>
Total population	174,379		27,885,195
Age			
0 to 4 years	13,546	7.8%	7.2%
5 to 17 years	33,424	19.2%	19.0%
18 to 64 years	111,812	64.1%	61.9%
65 years and over	15,597	8.9%	12.0%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	23,414	13.4%	42.3%
Non-Anglo	150,965	86.6%	57.7%
Hispanic	131,208	75.2%	39.2%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	14,499	8.3%	13.1%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	6,170	3.5%	5.4%
Population age 5 and over	160,833		25,886,326
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	54,914	34.1%	64.5%
Speaks other than English at home	105,919	65.9%	35.5%
Speaks English very well or well	74,024	46.0%	28.0%
Does not speak English well or at all	31,895	19.8%	7.6%
<b>Special populations<sup>4</sup></b>			
Moved in the past 12 months	31,087	NA	4,378,563
Individuals with disabilities	15,873	NA	3,152,865
Veterans	4,629	NA	1,474,232
Active duty military	38	NA	89,701
<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>
Number of households	56,463		9,553,046
Average number of persons per household <sup>4</sup>	2.99	NA	2.86
Households by composition			
1 person	15,084	26.7%	25.1%
2 persons	14,615	25.9%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	17,956	31.8%	31.1%
5 or more persons	8,808	15.6%	12.4%
Household type			
Family households	37,793	66.9%	69.4%
Nonfamily households	18,670	33.1%	30.6%
Number of families	37,793		6,629,325
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	18,527	49.0%	47.1%
Married-couple families	11,280	29.8%	32.4%
Families with both parents employed	5,182	13.7%	18.2%
Single-parent families	7,247	19.2%	14.7%
Families with the parent employed	5,496	14.5%	11.9%

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<b>SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS</b>	<b>District Estimate<sup>1,2</sup></b>	<b>District Percent<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>State<sup>3</sup></b>
<b>Population age 3 and over enrolled in school</b>	<b>47,247</b>		<b>7,626,437</b>
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	2,692	5.7%	6.0%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	34,262	72.5%	69.7%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	35,065	74.2%	68.8%
In college, graduate, or professional school	10,293	21.8%	24.3%
<b>Population age 25 and over</b>	<b>107,656</b>		<b>17,815,359</b>
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	17,158	15.9%	29.3%
Less than high school graduate	35,242	32.7%	16.8%
<b>SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>	<b>District Estimate<sup>1,2</sup></b>	<b>District Percent<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>State<sup>3</sup></b>
<b>Civilian employed population age 16 and over</b>	<b>79,980</b>		<b>12,985,624</b>
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	67,090	83.9%	80.1%
Government sector	7,271	9.1%	13.0%
Self-employed	5,484	6.9%	6.7%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	1,492	1.9%	3.1%
Construction	13,598	17.0%	8.4%
Manufacturing	8,871	11.1%	8.6%
Wholesale trade	2,619	3.3%	2.9%
Retail trade	8,727	10.9%	11.4%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	4,840	6.1%	5.7%
Information	705	0.9%	1.8%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	3,421	4.3%	6.6%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	8,441	10.6%	11.4%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	12,784	16.0%	21.6%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	8,209	10.3%	9.2%
Other services, except public administration	4,596	5.7%	5.2%
Public administration	1,677	2.1%	4.0%
<b>Population age 16 to 64</b>	<b>116,894</b>		<b>18,056,306</b>
Worked at all in the past 12 months	86,557	74.0%	75.2%
Worked 50-52 weeks	65,337	55.9%	58.1%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	58,110	49.7%	51.5%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	7,227	6.2%	6.6%

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<b>Workers age 16 and over</b>	77,823		12,842,820
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	2,196	2.8%	1.4%
Private vehicle	69,644	89.5%	90.7%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	2,058	2.6%	1.9%
Taxi / other means	1,889	2.4%	1.2%
Worked at home	2,036	2.6%	4.7%
Travel time to work <sup>5</sup>			
Less than 15 minutes	17,255	22.2%	24.1%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	26,791	34.4%	34.4%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	18,440	23.7%	20.6%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	5,806	7.5%	8.3%
60 minutes or more	7,495	9.6%	7.9%
<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>6</sup>	37,047	21.9%	15.5%
Per capita income <sup>4</sup>	\$21,710	NA	\$30,143
<b>Number of households</b>	56,463		9,553,046
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	4,327	7.7%	6.4%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	10,261	18.2%	13.6%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	15,759	27.9%	22.4%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	16,521	29.3%	30.0%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	7,870	13.9%	20.7%
\$200,000 and over	1,725	3.1%	6.9%
Households with social security income	10,978	19.4%	25.4%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	2,915	5.2%	4.8%
Households with public assistance income <sup>7</sup>	825	1.5%	1.5%
Households that received food stamps/SNAP in the past 12 months	11,510	20.4%	12.2%
<b>Number of families living in poverty</b>	7,455		788,889
With related children under age 18	5,882	78.9%	77.9%
Married couple families	1,816	24.4%	27.1%
Single-parent families	4,066	54.5%	50.8%
Female head of household	3,575	48.0%	44.2%
Male head of household	491	6.6%	6.5%

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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>63,719</b>		<b>10,769,900</b>
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	3,115	4.9%	8.4%
Built between 2000 and 2009	8,004	12.6%	20.0%
Built between 1990 and 1999	3,300	5.2%	15.4%
Built between 1970 and 1989	17,355	27.2%	32.0%
Built before 1970	31,945	50.1%	24.2%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	25,336	39.8%	54.9%
Renter-occupied	31,127	48.9%	33.8%
Vacant	7,256	11.4%	11.3%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) <sup>4</sup>	\$872	NA	\$998
Median value of owner-occupied housing units <sup>4</sup>	\$115,900	NA	\$161,700
<b>Number of owner-occupied housing units</b>	<b>25,336</b>		<b>5,917,771</b>
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	1,873	7.4%	9.8%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7,872	31.1%	18.3%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	10,570	41.7%	33.5%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	4,008	15.8%	31.6%
\$500,000 and above	1,013	4.0%	6.8%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income <sup>8</sup>			
35 percent or more	4,716	18.6%	15.5%
20 to 34.9 percent	5,423	21.4%	25.1%
Less than 20 percent	15,036	59.3%	58.6%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	762	3.0%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	24,574	97.0%	97.9%
<b>Number of renter-occupied housing units</b>	<b>31,127</b>		<b>3,635,275</b>
Gross rent <sup>9</sup>			
Less than \$500	2,081	6.7%	6.7%
\$500 to \$749	7,575	24.3%	15.7%
\$750 to \$999	9,590	30.8%	25.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	5,903	19.0%	20.1%
\$1,250 and above	5,025	16.1%	27.1%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income <sup>8</sup>			
35 percent or more	12,029	38.6%	36.0%
20 to 34.9 percent	9,921	31.9%	31.7%
Less than 20 percent	7,533	24.2%	24.9%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	4,186	13.4%	10.6%
One or more vehicles	26,941	86.6%	89.4%

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- <sup>1</sup> 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.
- <sup>2</sup> 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.
- <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> Individuals who worked at home are not included in these categories.
- <sup>6</sup> Percentages are based on the population for whom poverty status is determined.
- <sup>7</sup> Public assistance income includes Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) but not SSI or Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)/food stamps.
- <sup>8</sup> Households reporting no income or a negative income (where expenses are more than income) are excluded.
- <sup>9</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 22% across senate and house districts.