

District Profile
TEXAS SENATE DISTRICT 5¹
ACS 2017-2021 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Total population	916,437		28,862,581
Age			
0 to 4 years	54,313	5.9%	6.8%
5 to 17 years	155,155	16.9%	19.0%
18 to 64 years	580,755	63.4%	61.7%
65 years and over	126,214	13.8%	12.5%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	517,845	56.5%	40.7%
Non-Anglo	398,592	43.5%	59.3%
Hispanic	242,224	26.4%	39.8%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	110,128	12.0%	13.5%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	43,934	4.8%	5.9%
Population age 5 and over	862,124		26,903,358
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	671,189	77.9%	64.9%
Speaks other than English at home	190,935	22.1%	35.1%
Speaks English very well or well	163,966	19.0%	28.3%
Does not speak English well or at all	26,969	3.1%	6.8%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	165,326	NA	4,237,650
Veterans	56,194	NA	1,426,641
Active duty military	1,022	NA	102,600
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Number of households	324,121		10,239,341
Average number of persons per household ⁴	2.69	NA	2.76
Households by composition			
1 person	82,463	25.4%	25.3%
2 persons	108,130	33.4%	31.3%
3 or 4 persons	98,025	30.2%	31.0%
5 or more persons	35,503	11.0%	12.4%
Household type			
Family households	217,647	67.1%	68.9%
Nonfamily households	106,474	32.9%	31.1%
Number of families	217,647		7,055,810
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	98,259	45.1%	46.5%
Married-couple families	71,852	33.0%	32.1%
Families with both parents employed	44,450	20.4%	18.6%
Single-parent families	26,407	12.1%	14.3%
Families with the parent employed	22,040	10.1%	11.5%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	262,016		7,752,643
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	13,308	5.1%	5.6%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	152,233	58.1%	70.4%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	147,409	56.3%	68.5%
In college, graduate, or professional school	96,475	36.8%	24.0%
Population age 25 and over	584,324		18,619,469
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	196,084	33.6%	31.5%
Less than high school graduate	63,745	10.9%	15.2%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	425,178		13,618,630
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	317,421	74.7%	79.4%
Government sector	81,560	19.2%	13.6%
Self-employed	25,145	5.9%	6.8%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	10,150	2.4%	2.8%
Construction	36,175	8.5%	8.7%
Manufacturing	35,086	8.3%	8.5%
Wholesale trade	8,230	1.9%	2.7%
Retail trade	47,425	11.2%	11.1%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	20,959	4.9%	6.2%
Information	6,908	1.6%	1.6%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	24,571	5.8%	6.8%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	48,558	11.4%	11.9%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	105,071	24.7%	21.7%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	36,123	8.5%	8.8%
Other services, except public administration	20,234	4.8%	5.0%
Public administration	25,688	6.0%	4.1%
Population age 16 to 64	604,569		18,640,383
Worked at all in the past 12 months	450,881	74.6%	76.0%
Worked 50-52 weeks	344,900	57.0%	59.7%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	300,286	49.7%	52.7%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	44,614	7.4%	7.0%

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SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS (continued)	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Workers age 16 and over	417,769		13,464,482
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	2,157	0.5%	1.1%
Private vehicle	359,815	86.1%	86.7%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	8,307	2.0%	1.8%
Taxi / other means	4,234	1.0%	1.3%
Worked at home	43,256	10.4%	9.1%
Travel time to work ⁵			
Less than 15 minutes	98,435	23.6%	22.4%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	138,711	33.2%	33.1%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	72,314	17.3%	20.0%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	32,477	7.8%	7.9%
60 minutes or more	32,576	7.8%	7.5%
SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Persons in poverty ⁶	120,331	13.8%	14.0%
Per capita income ⁴	\$33,729	NA	\$34,255
Number of households	324,121		10,239,341
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	20,464	6.3%	5.7%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	35,966	11.1%	11.5%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	61,682	19.0%	20.2%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	96,057	29.6%	29.9%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	83,881	25.9%	23.9%
\$200,000 and over	26,071	8.0%	8.7%
Households with social security income	89,116	27.5%	25.2%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	12,341	3.8%	4.6%
Households with public assistance income ⁷	5,984	1.8%	1.9%
Number of families living in poverty	18,498		757,317
With related children under age 18	12,984	70.2%	75.4%
Married couple families	3,964	21.4%	25.4%
Single-parent families	9,020	48.8%	50.0%
Female head of household	7,788	42.1%	43.6%
Male head of household	1,232	6.7%	6.4%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Number of housing units	368,271		11,433,880
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	77,045	20.9%	14.5%
Built between 2000 and 2009	83,884	22.8%	18.4%
Built between 1990 and 1999	62,109	16.9%	14.6%
Built between 1970 and 1989	98,667	26.8%	30.1%
Built before 1970	46,566	12.6%	22.3%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	213,606	58.0%	55.9%
Renter-occupied	110,515	30.0%	33.7%
Vacant	44,150	12.0%	10.4%
Average gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost)⁴	\$1,199	NA	\$1,228
Average value of owner-occupied housing units⁴	\$298,227	NA	\$260,134
Number of owner-occupied housing units	213,606		6,391,061
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	14,930	7.0%	7.7%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19,219	9.0%	12.9%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	45,618	21.4%	28.7%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	112,515	52.7%	41.2%
\$500,000 and above	21,324	10.0%	9.5%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income⁸			
35 percent or more	33,111	15.5%	15.5%
20 to 34.9 percent	55,278	25.9%	24.6%
Less than 20 percent	123,158	57.7%	59.0%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	3,185	1.5%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	210,421	98.5%	97.9%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	110,515		3,848,280
Gross rent⁹			
Less than \$500	5,347	4.8%	5.2%
\$500 to \$749	12,268	11.1%	9.4%
\$750 to \$999	24,005	21.7%	20.6%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	23,229	21.0%	21.5%
\$1,250 and above	39,879	36.1%	38.7%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income⁸			
35 percent or more	44,482	40.2%	36.8%
20 to 34.9 percent	31,591	28.6%	32.3%
Less than 20 percent	25,546	23.1%	24.1%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	9,122	8.3%	10.4%
One or more vehicles	101,393	91.7%	89.6%

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- ¹ The 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. Comparisons to the previous district profiles should be made with caution.
- 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.