

District Profile  
**TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 50<sup>1</sup>**  
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<b>SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS</b>	<b>District Estimate<sup>1,2</sup></b>	<b>District Percent<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>State<sup>3</sup></b>
<b>Total population</b>	<b>213,848</b>		<b>28,260,856</b>
Age			
0 to 4 years	16,577	7.8%	7.1%
5 to 17 years	34,789	16.3%	18.9%
18 to 64 years	143,381	67.0%	61.8%
65 years and over	19,101	8.9%	12.3%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	90,302	42.2%	42.0%
Non-Anglo	123,546	57.8%	58.0%
Hispanic	66,457	31.1%	39.3%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	30,801	14.4%	13.2%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	27,906	13.0%	5.5%
<b>Population age 5 and over</b>	<b>197,271</b>		<b>26,261,053</b>
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	127,859	64.8%	64.5%
Speaks other than English at home	69,412	35.2%	35.5%
Speaks English very well or well	53,494	27.1%	28.1%
Does not speak English well or at all	15,918	8.1%	7.4%
<b>Special populations<sup>4</sup></b>			
Moved in the past 12 months	36,783	NA	4,358,441
Individuals with disabilities	19,589	NA	3,187,623
Veterans	10,964	NA	1,453,450
Active duty military	150	NA	93,394
<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>
<b>Number of households</b>	<b>80,463</b>		<b>9,691,647</b>
Average number of persons per household <sup>4</sup>	2.65	NA	2.85
Households by composition			
1 person	23,402	29.1%	25.2%
2 persons	25,123	31.2%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	24,123	30.0%	31.1%
5 or more persons	7,815	9.7%	12.4%
Household type			
Family households	50,621	62.9%	69.3%
Nonfamily households	29,842	37.1%	30.7%
<b>Number of families</b>	<b>50,621</b>		<b>6,712,183</b>
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	25,312	50.0%	46.8%
Married-couple families	19,239	38.0%	32.3%
Families with both parents employed	10,792	21.3%	18.4%
Single-parent families	6,073	12.0%	14.5%
Families with the parent employed	5,224	10.3%	11.8%

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<b>SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS</b>	<b>District Estimate</b> <sup>1,2</sup>	<b>District Percent</b> <sup>3</sup>	<b>State</b> <sup>3</sup>
<b>Population age 3 and over enrolled in school</b>	50,601		7,681,758
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	4,046	8.0%	6.0%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	34,915	69.0%	69.8%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	33,723	66.6%	68.8%
In college, graduate, or professional school	11,640	23.0%	24.3%
<b>Population age 25 and over</b>	148,804		18,131,554
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	65,215	43.8%	29.9%
Less than high school graduate	14,057	9.4%	16.3%
<b>SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>	<b>District Estimate</b> <sup>1,2</sup>	<b>District Percent</b> <sup>3</sup>	<b>State</b> <sup>3</sup>
<b>Civilian employed population age 16 and over</b>	119,494		13,253,631
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	92,425	77.3%	80.1%
Government sector	19,253	16.1%	13.0%
Self-employed	7,640	6.4%	6.7%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	956	0.8%	3.0%
Construction	8,987	7.5%	8.6%
Manufacturing	11,587	9.7%	8.5%
Wholesale trade	2,806	2.3%	2.9%
Retail trade	11,665	9.8%	11.4%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	5,579	4.7%	5.9%
Information	3,231	2.7%	1.7%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	8,086	6.8%	6.7%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	20,427	17.1%	11.5%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	23,329	19.5%	21.6%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	9,156	7.7%	9.2%
Other services, except public administration	5,839	4.9%	5.2%
Public administration	7,846	6.6%	4.0%
<b>Population age 16 to 64</b>	148,852		18,273,711
Worked at all in the past 12 months	123,705	83.1%	75.4%
Worked 50-52 weeks	98,956	66.5%	59.0%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	90,574	60.8%	52.2%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	8,382	5.6%	6.8%

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<b>Workers age 16 and over</b>	<b>117,610</b>		<b>13,115,511</b>
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	1,777	1.5%	1.4%
Private vehicle	104,352	88.7%	90.5%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	1,701	1.4%	1.9%
Taxi / other means	1,001	0.9%	1.2%
Worked at home	8,779	7.5%	5.0%
Travel time to work <sup>5</sup>			
Less than 15 minutes	20,195	17.2%	23.6%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	43,917	37.3%	34.2%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	28,104	23.9%	20.8%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	10,302	8.8%	8.3%
60 minutes or more	6,313	5.4%	8.1%
<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>	16,502	7.8%	14.7%
Per capita income <sup>4</sup>	\$38,255	NA	\$31,277
<b>Number of households</b>	<b>80,463</b>		<b>9,691,647</b>
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	2,761	3.4%	6.1%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	5,490	6.8%	12.9%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	14,804	18.4%	21.8%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	27,516	34.2%	30.1%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	23,404	29.1%	21.7%
\$200,000 and over	6,488	8.1%	7.4%
Households with social security income	14,016	17.4%	25.6%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	2,142	2.7%	4.7%
Households with public assistance income <sup>7</sup>	1,263	1.6%	1.4%
Households that received food stamps/SNAP in the past 12 months	5,938	7.4%	11.8%
<b>Number of families living in poverty</b>	<b>3,120</b>		<b>759,269</b>
With related children under age 18	2,468	79.1%	77.1%
Married couple families	989	31.7%	26.2%
Single-parent families	1,479	47.4%	50.9%
Female head of household	1,352	43.3%	44.4%
Male head of household	127	4.1%	6.4%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS <sup>4</sup>	District Estimate <sup>1,2</sup>	District Percent <sup>3</sup>	State <sup>3</sup>
<b>Number of housing units</b>	85,294		10,937,026
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	14,124	16.6%	10.4%
Built between 2000 and 2009	20,863	24.5%	19.3%
Built between 1990 and 1999	19,659	23.0%	15.2%
Built between 1970 and 1989	26,955	31.6%	31.4%
Built before 1970	3,693	4.3%	23.7%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	44,312	52.0%	54.9%
Renter-occupied	36,151	42.4%	33.7%
Vacant	4,831	5.7%	11.4%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) <sup>4</sup>	\$1,246	NA	\$1,045
Median value of owner-occupied housing units <sup>4</sup>	\$256,300	NA	\$172,500
<b>Number of owner-occupied housing units</b>	44,312		6,004,802
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	1,014	2.3%	8.9%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1,164	2.6%	16.5%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	8,645	19.5%	32.2%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	30,030	67.8%	34.8%
\$500,000 and above	3,459	7.8%	7.6%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income <sup>8</sup>			
35 percent or more	7,089	16.0%	15.3%
20 to 34.9 percent	12,938	29.2%	24.9%
Less than 20 percent	24,013	54.2%	59.0%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	609	1.4%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	43,703	98.6%	97.9%
<b>Number of renter-occupied housing units</b>	36,151		3,686,845
Gross rent <sup>9</sup>			
Less than \$500	448	1.2%	6.2%
\$500 to \$749	859	2.4%	13.4%
\$750 to \$999	4,924	13.6%	24.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	11,854	32.8%	20.7%
\$1,250 and above	17,664	48.9%	30.5%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income <sup>8</sup>			
35 percent or more	11,615	32.1%	35.9%
20 to 34.9 percent	13,889	38.4%	32.1%
Less than 20 percent	9,942	27.5%	24.9%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	2,258	6.2%	10.5%
One or more vehicles	33,893	93.8%	89.5%

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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 2015-2019 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.