

District Profile
TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 76¹
ACS 2014-2018 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Total population	151,354		27,885,195
Age			
0 to 4 years	9,732	6.4%	7.2%
5 to 17 years	26,537	17.5%	19.0%
18 to 64 years	89,382	59.1%	61.9%
65 years and over	25,703	17.0%	12.0%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	12,175	8.0%	42.3%
Non-Anglo	139,179	92.0%	57.7%
Hispanic	134,832	89.1%	39.2%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	3,652	2.4%	13.1%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	838	0.6%	5.4%
Population age 5 and over	141,622		25,886,326
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	28,593	20.2%	64.5%
Speaks other than English at home	113,029	79.8%	35.5%
Speaks English very well or well	83,616	59.0%	28.0%
Does not speak English well or at all	29,413	20.8%	7.6%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	21,024	NA	4,378,563
Individuals with disabilities	26,874	NA	3,152,865
Veterans	7,610	NA	1,474,232
Active duty military	5,498	NA	89,701
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Number of households	49,605		9,553,046
Average number of persons per household ⁴	2.96	NA	2.86
Households by composition			
1 person	13,131	26.5%	25.1%
2 persons	14,399	29.0%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	16,209	32.7%	31.1%
5 or more persons	5,866	11.8%	12.4%
Household type			
Family households	35,137	70.8%	69.4%
Nonfamily households	14,468	29.2%	30.6%
Number of families	35,137		6,629,325
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	13,584	38.7%	47.1%
Married-couple families	7,433	21.2%	32.4%
Families with both parents employed	3,577	10.2%	18.2%
Single-parent families	6,151	17.5%	14.7%
Families with the parent employed	4,426	12.6%	11.9%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	40,193		7,626,437
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	1,770	4.4%	6.0%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	27,556	68.6%	69.7%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	28,477	70.9%	68.8%
In college, graduate, or professional school	10,867	27.0%	24.3%
Population age 25 and over	96,166		17,815,359
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	13,360	13.9%	29.3%
Less than high school graduate	29,718	30.9%	16.8%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	58,358		12,985,624
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	44,827	76.8%	80.1%
Government sector	9,934	17.0%	13.0%
Self-employed	3,563	6.1%	6.7%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	453	0.8%	3.1%
Construction	3,720	6.4%	8.4%
Manufacturing	3,890	6.7%	8.6%
Wholesale trade	1,621	2.8%	2.9%
Retail trade	7,771	13.3%	11.4%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	4,232	7.3%	5.7%
Information	1,137	1.9%	1.8%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	2,497	4.3%	6.6%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	6,219	10.7%	11.4%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	14,157	24.3%	21.6%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	7,037	12.1%	9.2%
Other services, except public administration	2,634	4.5%	5.2%
Public administration	2,990	5.1%	4.0%
Population age 16 to 64	93,710		18,056,306
Worked at all in the past 12 months	65,700	70.1%	75.2%
Worked 50-52 weeks	50,928	54.3%	58.1%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	42,341	45.2%	51.5%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	8,587	9.2%	6.6%

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SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS (continued)	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Workers age 16 and over	62,648		12,842,820
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	1,627	2.6%	1.4%
Private vehicle	55,077	87.9%	90.7%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	2,070	3.3%	1.9%
Taxi / other means	1,716	2.7%	1.2%
Worked at home	2,158	3.4%	4.7%
Travel time to work ⁵			
Less than 15 minutes	18,892	30.2%	24.1%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	29,116	46.5%	34.4%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	8,255	13.2%	20.6%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	2,024	3.2%	8.3%
60 minutes or more	2,203	3.5%	7.9%
SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Persons in poverty ⁶	39,807	27.1%	15.5%
Per capita income ⁴	\$16,827	NA	\$30,143
Number of households	49,605		9,553,046
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	5,439	11.0%	6.4%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	13,085	26.4%	13.6%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	15,829	31.9%	22.4%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11,680	23.5%	30.0%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	3,157	6.4%	20.7%
\$200,000 and over	415	0.8%	6.9%
Households with social security income	18,756	37.8%	25.4%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	4,970	10.0%	4.8%
Households with public assistance income ⁷	1,083	2.2%	1.5%
Households that received food stamps/SNAP in the past 12 months	13,774	27.8%	12.2%
Number of families living in poverty	8,288		788,889
With related children under age 18	6,111	73.7%	77.9%
Married couple families	1,938	23.4%	27.1%
Single-parent families	4,173	50.3%	50.8%
Female head of household	3,536	42.7%	44.2%
Male head of household	637	7.7%	6.5%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Number of housing units	54,703		10,769,900
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	2,025	3.7%	8.4%
Built between 2000 and 2009	2,977	5.4%	20.0%
Built between 1990 and 1999	4,732	8.7%	15.4%
Built between 1970 and 1989	15,727	28.7%	32.0%
Built before 1970	29,242	53.5%	24.2%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	27,376	50.0%	54.9%
Renter-occupied	22,229	40.6%	33.8%
Vacant	5,098	9.3%	11.3%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ⁴	\$700	NA	\$998
Median value of owner-occupied housing units ⁴	\$91,200	NA	\$161,700
Number of owner-occupied housing units	27,376		5,917,771
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	2,806	10.2%	9.8%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14,111	51.5%	18.3%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	8,493	31.0%	33.5%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	1,742	6.4%	31.6%
\$500,000 and above	224	0.8%	6.8%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	5,039	18.4%	15.5%
20 to 34.9 percent	6,375	23.3%	25.1%
Less than 20 percent	15,797	57.7%	58.6%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	1,784	6.5%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	25,592	93.5%	97.9%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	22,229		3,635,275
Gross rent ⁹			
Less than \$500	5,380	24.2%	6.7%
\$500 to \$749	6,646	29.9%	15.7%
\$750 to \$999	5,911	26.6%	25.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	1,629	7.3%	20.1%
\$1,250 and above	1,086	4.9%	27.1%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	7,421	33.4%	36.0%
20 to 34.9 percent	7,394	33.3%	31.7%
Less than 20 percent	5,431	24.4%	24.9%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	3,179	14.3%	10.6%
One or more vehicles	19,050	85.7%	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.