

District Profile
TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 123¹
ACS 2010-2014 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Total population	178,230		26,092,033
Age			
0 to 4 years	11,377	6.4%	7.4%
5 to 17 years	27,679	15.5%	19.4%
18 to 64 years	114,892	64.5%	62.3%
65 years and over	24,282	13.6%	10.9%
Population 5 years and over	166,853		24,151,280
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	78,832	47.2%	65.1%
Speaks other than English at home	88,021	52.8%	34.9%
Speaks English very well or well	71,271	42.7%	27.0%
Does not speak English well or at all	16,750	10.0%	8.0%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	39,013	NA	4,370,297
Individuals with disabilities	23,579	NA	2,969,042
Veterans	12,133	NA	1,564,501
Active duty military	366	NA	97,573
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Number of households	68,296		9,013,582
Average number of persons per household ^{4,5}	2.49	NA	2.83
Households by composition			
1 person	24,980	36.6%	24.9%
2 persons	20,546	30.1%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	16,402	24.0%	31.1%
5 or more persons	6,368	9.3%	12.6%
Household type			
Family households	38,183	55.9%	69.6%
Nonfamily households	30,113	44.1%	30.4%
Number of families	38,183		6,277,955
Families with children by birth, marriage or adoption under 18 years	16,875	44.2%	48.4%
Married-couple families	9,168	24.0%	32.9%
Families with both parents employed	5,134	13.4%	18.0%
Single-parent families	7,707	20.2%	15.6%
Families with the parent employed	5,831	15.3%	12.1%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate ^{1,2}	District percent ³	State ³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	45,390		7,366,632
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	2,313	5.1%	6.1%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	27,688	61.0%	69.0%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	26,885	59.2%	68.4%
In college, graduate, or professional school	15,389	33.9%	24.9%
Population age 25 and over	117,440		16,426,730
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	25,577	21.8%	27.1%
Less than high school graduate	27,771	23.6%	18.4%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate ^{1,2}	District percent ³	State ³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	81,795		11,809,010
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	66,072	80.8%	78.8%
Government sector	9,864	12.1%	14.3%
Self-employed	5,778	7.1%	6.7%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	819	1.0%	3.3%
Construction	6,705	8.2%	7.8%
Manufacturing	4,564	5.6%	9.3%
Wholesale trade	1,402	1.7%	3.0%
Retail trade	9,459	11.6%	11.6%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	2,985	3.6%	5.4%
Information	1,773	2.2%	1.8%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	5,867	7.2%	6.6%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	9,843	12.0%	10.9%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	18,478	22.6%	21.8%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	11,972	14.6%	8.8%
Other services, except public administration	4,848	5.9%	5.4%
Public administration	3,080	3.8%	4.4%
Population 16 to 64 years	119,424		17,008,325
Worked at all in the past 12 months	88,276	73.9%	74.3%
Worked 50 - 52 weeks	65,220	54.6%	56.1%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	54,910	46.0%	49.3%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	10,310	8.6%	6.7%

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Number of housing units	77,285		10,187,189
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	797	1.0%	2.1%
Built between 2000 and 2009	4,328	5.6%	21.9%
Built between 1990 and 1999	4,635	6.0%	15.5%
Built between 1970 and 1989	22,731	29.4%	34.3%
Built before 1970	44,794	58.0%	26.2%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	29,454	38.1%	55.5%
Renter-occupied	38,842	50.3%	33.0%
Vacant	8,989	11.6%	11.5%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ^{4,5}	\$752	NA	\$870
Median value of owner-occupied housing units ^{4,5}	\$102,300	NA	\$131,400
Number of owner-occupied housing units	29,454		5,652,542
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	2,660	9.0%	12.3%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11,737	39.8%	23.7%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	10,175	34.5%	37.1%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	4,100	13.9%	22.7%
\$500,000 and above	782	2.7%	4.3%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁹			
35 percent or more	5,761	19.6%	17.4%
20 to 34.9 percent	7,263	24.7%	27.0%
Less than 20 percent	16,189	55.0%	54.8%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	1,547	5.3%	2.4%
One or more vehicles	27,907	94.7%	97.6%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	38,842		3,361,040
Gross rent ¹⁰			
Less than \$500	5,225	13.5%	9.3%
\$500 to \$749	13,317	34.3%	24.0%
\$750 to \$999	10,567	27.2%	27.3%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	4,833	12.4%	16.4%
\$1,250 and above	3,421	8.8%	17.4%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁹			
35 percent or more	14,460	37.2%	36.9%
20 to 34.9 percent	12,555	32.3%	31.0%
Less than 20 percent	9,534	24.5%	24.3%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	8,092	20.8%	11.8%
One or more vehicles	30,750	79.2%	88.2%

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- ¹ Comparisons to the previous district profiles should be made with caution. Previous district profiles were compiled by 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 2010-2014 ACS, 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 margins of error (MOEs) that accompany each of the estimates are 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 Statistical weights are used to calculate the district estimates.
- ⁶ Individuals who work at home are not included in these categories.
- ⁷ Percentages are based on the population for whom poverty status is determined.
- ⁸ Public assistance income includes Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) but not SSI or Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) / food stamps.
- ⁹ Households reporting no income or a negative income (where expenses are more than income) are excluded.
- ¹⁰ 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.