

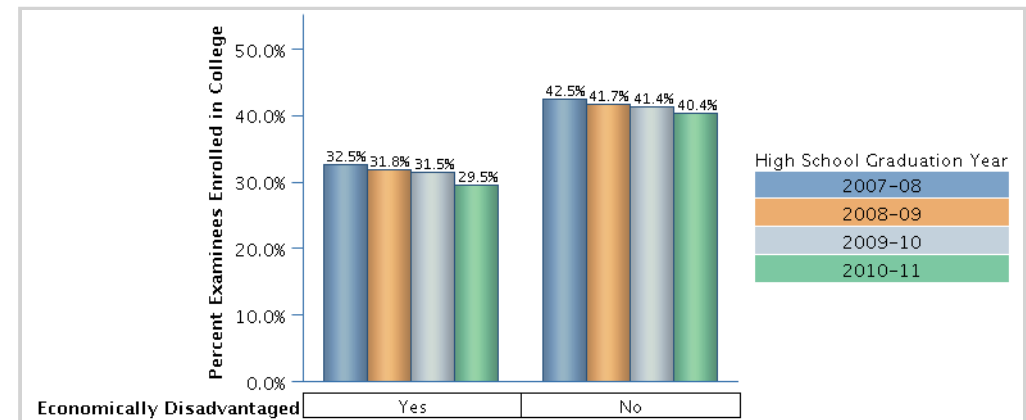
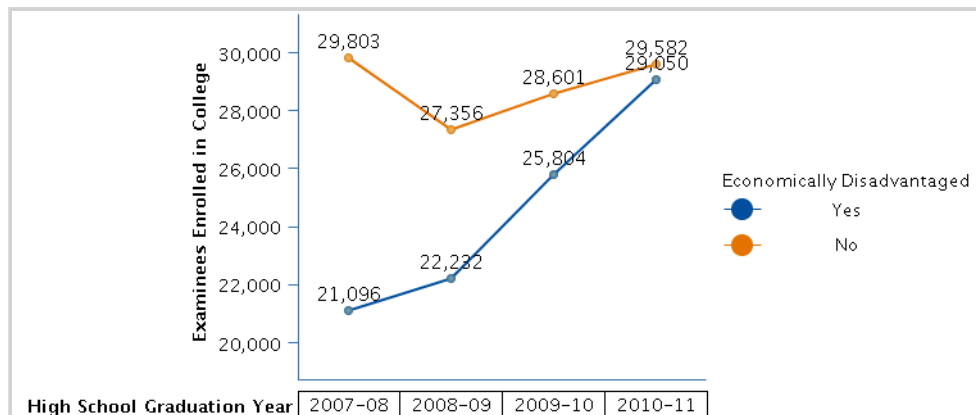
## Texas Public Four-Year College Enrollment of Texas Public High School Graduates Taking the SAT and/or ACT by Economically Disadvantaged Status

For school years 2007-08 through 2010-11, the percentage of Texas public high school graduates who took an SAT and/or ACT examination and enrolled in a Texas public four-year college changed very little from year to year. Texas public high school students who were identified as economically disadvantaged at some point during their Texas public school education enrolled in Texas public four-year colleges at lower rates than non-economically disadvantaged graduates for all four years.

Notes: 1. In this report, economically disadvantaged is defined as Texas public high school students who were identified as economically disadvantaged at any time during their enrollment in Texas public schools. 2. Examinees enrolled in college is the number of examinees enrolled in a Texas public four-year college the academic year following high school graduation.

### SAT and/or ACT Examinees Enrollment in Four-Year Colleges by Economically Disadvantaged Status

High School Graduation Year		Economically Disadvantaged	SAT and/or ACT Examinees	Examinees Enrolled in College	Percent Examinees Enrolled in College
2007-08	Yes		64,846	21,096	32.5%
	No		70,207	29,803	42.5%
Subtotal: 2007-08			135,053	50,899	37.7%
2008-09	Yes		69,891	22,232	31.8%
	No		65,678	27,356	41.7%
Subtotal: 2008-09			135,569	49,588	36.6%
2009-10	Yes		82,043	25,804	31.5%
	No		69,158	28,601	41.4%
Subtotal: 2009-10			151,201	54,405	36.0%
2010-11	Yes		98,446	29,050	29.5%
	No		73,170	29,582	40.4%
Subtotal: 2010-11			171,616	58,632	34.2%



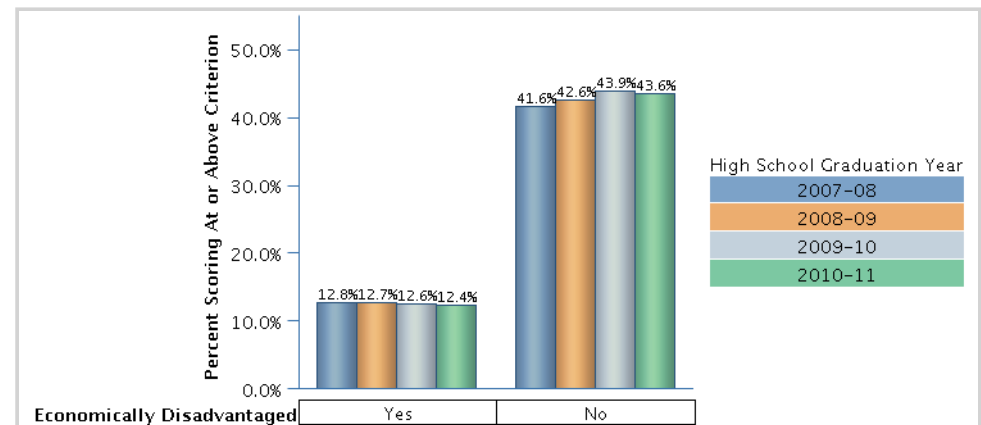
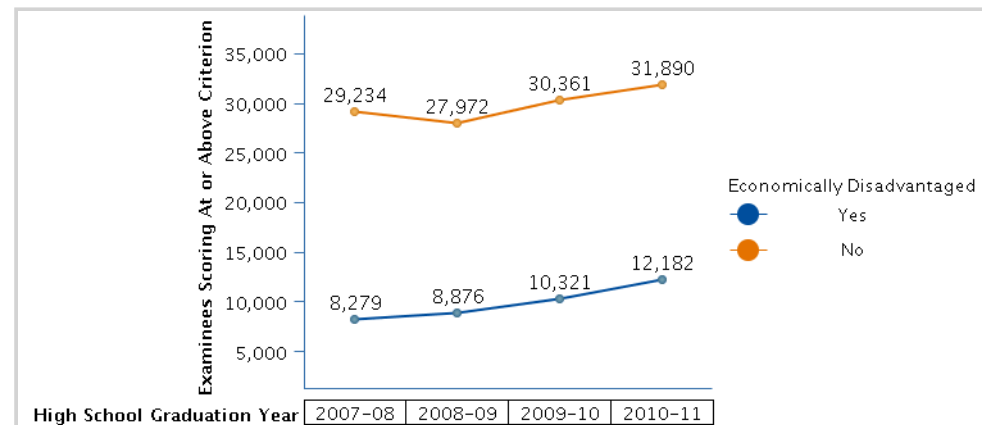
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For school year 2010-11, the number of SAT and/or ACT examinees and the number of SAT and/or ACT examinees scoring at or above criterion increased from the prior year for both economically disadvantaged and non-economically disadvantaged. However, the percent scoring at or above criterion remained nearly constant for both economically disadvantaged and non-economically disadvantaged examinees.

Note: In this report, economically disadvantaged is defined as Texas public high school students who were identified as economically disadvantaged at any time during their enrollment in Texas public schools.

### SAT and/or ACT Results by Economically Disadvantaged Status

High School Graduation Year	Economically Disadvantaged	SAT and/or ACT Examinees	Examinees Scoring At or Above Criterion	Percent Scoring At or Above Criterion
2007-08	Yes	64,846	8,279	12.8%
	No	70,207	29,234	41.6%
<b>Subtotal: 2007-08</b>		<b>135,053</b>	<b>37,513</b>	<b>27.8%</b>
2008-09	Yes	69,891	8,876	12.7%
	No	65,678	27,972	42.6%
<b>Subtotal: 2008-09</b>		<b>135,569</b>	<b>36,848</b>	<b>27.2%</b>
2009-10	Yes	82,043	10,321	12.6%
	No	69,158	30,361	43.9%
<b>Subtotal: 2009-10</b>		<b>151,201</b>	<b>40,682</b>	<b>26.9%</b>
2010-11	Yes	98,446	12,182	12.4%
	No	73,170	31,890	43.6%
<b>Subtotal: 2010-11</b>		<b>171,616</b>	<b>44,072</b>	<b>25.7%</b>



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<p><b>Purpose</b></p>	<p>This report provides information on student enrollment in Texas public four-year colleges within one academic year following high school graduation for Texas public high school graduates who took the SAT and/or ACT college admission tests. For specific high school graduation years, it displays test participation, number of examinees scoring at or above test criteria, and college enrollment by economically disadvantaged status.</p> <p>For in-depth information on statewide participation and performance results on the SAT and ACT tests, see the Texas Education Agency (TEA) Accountability Research annual reports on college admissions testing of graduating seniors in Texas public schools at <a href="http://www.tea.state.tx.us/acctres/sat_act_index.html">http://www.tea.state.tx.us/acctres/sat_act_index.html</a>.</p> <p>In this report, the number of SAT and/or ACT test examinees and the number of examinees scoring at or above criterion may be different than the numbers reported in the aforementioned annual report on college admissions testing because this report only considers SAT/ACT exam records which have a state of Texas assigned student identifier and therefore can be categorized as either ever-economically disadvantaged or not ever-economically disadvantaged.</p>
<p><b>Data Sources</b></p>	<p>Data in this report come from the Texas Public Education Information Management System (PEIMS), the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB), the College Board, and ACT, Inc.</p> <p>High school graduate data used for this report come from PEIMS.</p> <p>The College Board provides TEA with annual examination results information for Texas public high school SAT examinees. Similarly, ACT, Inc. provides TEA with annual examination results for Texas public high school ACT examinees. Students may take the SAT and ACT examinations more than once, but TEA receives and reports only one of the examinees' test results.</p> <p>College enrollment data consist of THECB enrollment data in Texas public four-year higher education institutions.</p> <p>For information about THECB: <a href="http://www.thecb.state.tx.us/">http://www.thecb.state.tx.us/</a>  For information about PEIMS: <a href="http://www.tea.state.tx.us/index4.aspx?id=3012">http://www.tea.state.tx.us/index4.aspx?id=3012</a></p>

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	Note: Data used in this report represent only Texas public four-year colleges and do not include out-of-state or Texas public two-year or Texas private higher education institutions.
<b>Data Elements</b>	
High School Graduates	Students reported as graduating from a Texas public school through the Texas Public Education Information Management System (PEIMS). Students graduating from the Texas School for the Deaf, the Texas School for the Blind and Visually Impaired, and Texas Youth Commission schools are not included.
Economically Disadvantaged	Indicates whether the high school graduate was ever identified as being economically disadvantaged at anytime during his/her Texas public school enrollment.
SAT and/or ACT Test Examinees	The number of Texas public high school graduates taking either the SAT and/or the ACT exam. Students taking more than one exam in the same district are counted only once. This count only includes student SAT/ACT exam records which were matched to state of Texas assigned student identifiers and includes only those exam results received by the Texas Education Agency no later than the high school graduation school year.
Examinees Enrolled in College	The number of Texas public high school graduates enrolled in a Texas public four-year institution of higher education the academic year immediately following high school graduation and who took an SAT and/or ACT exam. Students enrolled in multiple colleges during the same academic year are counted only once.
Percent Examinees Enrolled in College	Calculated as the number of SAT and/or ACT examinees enrolled in a Texas public four-year college divided by the total number of SAT and/or ACT examinees.

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<p>Examinees Scoring At Or Above Criterion</p>	<p>The AEIS Gold Performance Acknowledgement criterion for the SAT is a combined score of 1110, and the criterion for the ACT is a composite score of 24.</p> <p>An ACT composite score greater than or equal to 24 is considered to be at or above criterion for students taking the ACT. The ACT composite score is the average of the scores on the four sections of the examination: English, mathematics, reading, and science.</p> <p>An SAT combined score greater than or equal to 1110 is considered to be at or above criterion for students taking the SAT. The SAT combined score is the score on the critical reading and mathematics sections combined.</p>
<p>Percent Examinees Scoring At Or Above Criterion</p>	<p>Calculated as the number of SAT and/or ACT examinees scoring at or above criterion divided by the total number of SAT and/or ACT examinees.</p>