Note: The following provisions took effect beginning with the 2009–10 school year. However, TEA is not required to prepare certain data elements until the 2012–13 school year.

DISTRICT PERFORMANCE REPORT

REQUIRED CONTENTS

The Board shall publish an annual report describing the educational performance of the District and of each campus in the District. The report shall include uniform student performance and descriptive information as determined under rules adopted by the Commissioner. The annual performance report must also include:

1. Campus performance objectives and the progress of each campus toward those objectives, which shall be available to the public;
2. The District's accreditation status and each campus awarded a distinction designation or considered an unacceptable campus;
3. The District's current special education compliance status with TEA;
4. The number, rate, and type of violent or criminal incidents that occurred on each District campus, to the extent permitted under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act [see FL];
5. Information concerning school violence prevention and violence intervention policies and procedures that the District is using to protect students;
6. The findings that result from evaluations conducted under the Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1994 (20 U.S.C. Section 7101 et seq.); and
7. Information received under Education Code 51.403(e) (student performance reports from institutions of higher education) for each high school campus in the District, presented in a form determined by the Commissioner.

The report must include a statement of the amount, if any, of the District's unencumbered surplus fund balance as of the last day of the preceding fiscal year and the percentage of the preceding year's budget that the surplus represents.

The annual performance report must also include a comparison provided by TEA of:

1. The performance of each campus to its previous performance and to state-established standards; and

2. The performance of each district to its previous performance and to state-established standards.

Performance information on the student achievement and quality of learning indicators and descriptive information shall be provided by TEA.

OPTIONAL CONTENTS

The report may include the following information:

1. Student information, including total enrollment, enrollment by ethnicity, socioeconomic status, and grade groupings and retention rates;
2. Financial information, including revenues and expenditures;
3. Staff information, including number and type of staff by sex, ethnicity, years of experience, and highest degree held, teacher and administrator salaries, and teacher turnover;
4. Program information, including student enrollment by program, teachers by program, and instructional operating expenditures by program; and
5. The number of students placed in a disciplinary alternative education program under Education Code Chapter 37.

Supplemental information to be included in the reports shall be determined by the Board.

Education Code 39.306(a)–(b), (d)–(e), (g)

PUBLIC HEARING

The Board shall hold a hearing for public discussion of the annual performance report. The Board shall give notice of the hearing to property owners in the District and parents of and other persons standing in parental relation to a District student. The notice of hearing must include notice to a newspaper of general circulation in the District and notice to electronic media serving the District.

After the hearing the report shall be widely disseminated within the District in a manner to be determined under Commissioner rules.

Education Code 39.306(c)

REPORT USES

The information in the annual performance report shall be a primary consideration in District and campus planning. It shall also be a primary consideration of the Board in the evaluation of the performance of the Superintendent and of the Superintendent in the evaluation of the performance of campus principals. *Education Code 39.307*

CAMPUS PERFORMANCE REPORT

Each school year, TEA shall distribute to each district a report card for each campus. Annually, the District shall distribute the following information from each campus report card to the parent, guardian, conservator, or other person having lawful control of each student at the campus:

1. The District's instructional expenditures ratio and instructional employees ratio, and the statewide average of those ratios;
2. Appropriate class size information; and
3. Appropriate student performance information.

On written request, the District shall provide a copy of a campus report card to any other party.

Education Code 39.305

WEB SITE NOTICES

Not later than the tenth day after the first day of instruction of each school year, a district that maintains an Internet Web site shall make the following information available:

1. The information in the most recent campus report card for each campus in the District;
2. The information contained in the most recent performance report for the District;
3. The most recent accreditation status and performance rating of the District; and
4. A definition and explanation of each accreditation status, based on Commissioner rule.

Education Code 39.362

STUDENT PERFORMANCE REPORT

Each year, TEA shall report to the District whether each student fell below, met, or exceeded the necessary target for improvement necessary to be prepared to perform satisfactorily on, as applicable, the grade five assessments, the grade eight assessments, and the end-of-course assessments required for graduation. *Education Code 39.034, .302*

NOTICE TO PARENTS

The district a student attends shall provide a record of the annual improvement information from TEA in a written notice to the student's parent or other person standing in parental relationship. If a student failed to perform satisfactorily on a state assessment, the District shall include specific information relating to access to online educational resources at the appropriate assessment instrument content level, including educational resources and assessment instrument questions and released answers. *Education Code 39.303*

NOTICE TO TEACHERS AND STUDENTS

The District shall prepare a report of the annual improvement information and provide the report at the beginning of the school year to:

1. Each teacher for all students, including incoming students, who took a state assessment; and

2. All students who were provided instruction by that teacher in the subject for which the assessment instrument was administered.

The report shall indicate whether the student performed satisfactorily or, if the student did not perform satisfactorily, whether the student met the standard for annual improvement.

Education Code 39.304