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TEA releases results for statewide STAAR® grades 3–8

AUSTIN – The Texas Education Agency (TEA) today released results for the State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR®) reading and mathematics tests in grades 3, 4, 6, and 7; writing tests in grades 4 and 7; science tests in grades 5 and 8; and the social studies test in grade 8.

According to results for the spring 2017 administration of STAAR, 76 percent of third-grade students passed the STAAR mathematics test.

MATH	GRADE	2016-2017
	3	76%
	4	75%
	6	75%
	7	68%

Seventy-two percent of third grade and seventh grade students passed the STAAR reading test.

READING	GRADE	2016-2017
	3	72%
	4	70%
	6	67%
	7	72%

In addition, STAAR writing tests were administered in grades 4 and 7.

WRITING	GRADE	2016-2017
	4	63%
	7	68%

Fifth graders posted a passing rate of 73 percent in STAAR science. The eighth-grade passing rate in science was 74 percent.

SCIENCE	GRADE	2016-2017
	5	73%
	8	74%

In addition, eighth graders posted a 62 percent passing rate in social studies.

SOCIAL STUDIES	GRADE	2016-2017
	8	62%

TEA released preliminary results for STAAR reading and math in grades 5 and 8 in April. District and campus level results for those assessments are available at <https://txreports.emetric.net/DI>. To review state-level reports for grades 3 through 8, visit the Texas Education Agency website at <http://tea.texas.gov/staar/rpt/sum/>.

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