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2009 Adequate Yearly Progress ratings released for CCISD

More schools Meet AYP in 2009 compared to 2008

The Texas Education Agency (TEA) released the preliminary Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) ratings for all Texas school districts and campuses today, August 6, 2009.

Ninety-five percent (95%) of all CCISD campuses evaluated achieved *Meets AYP* status including all 40 elementary schools, 11 of 12 middle schools, 5 of 7 high schools, and one special campus. Three CCISD secondary campuses (Carroll HS, Coles HS, and Wynn Seale Academy) and the District are rated *Missed AYP*. The District's Student Learning and Guidance Center was not rated. The number of schools achieving *Meets AYP* status increased from 52 in 2008 to 57 out of 60 campuses in 2009. Only 3 campuses *Missed AYP* in 2009 as compared to 8 in 2008.

Scott Elliff, superintendent of schools, noted several "points of pride" in this year's results including:

- 57 out of the 60 or 95% of CCISD campuses were designated *Meets AYP* for 2009 which is an increase of 6 campuses compared to 2008.
- All 40 CCISD elementary campuses achieved *Meets AYP* for the fourth year in a row.
- 17 of the 19 secondary campuses earned a *Meets AYP* rating.
- Seven campuses rated *Missed AYP* in 2008 (King HS, Miller HS, Moody HS, Ray HS, Cullen MS, Grant MS and Martin MS) have been elevated to *Meets AYP* status for 2009.

"The fact that we increased the number of our campuses that have been designated as *Meets AYP* for 2009 is a testament to the improvement that is taking place here in our District. We have more to do to reach the Board's goal of all campuses and the District meeting AYP," Elliff said.

Campuses receiving Title I federal funds must comply with AYP improvement requirements. If a campus is rated as *Missed AYP* for two or more consecutive years, corrective action is required. Wynn Seale Academy will be required to meet federal conditions for corrective action.

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The individual preliminary AYP ratings as reported by TEA are as follows:

Meets AYP

Elementary Schools

Allen
Barnes
Calk
Carroll Lane
Casa Linda
Central Park
Chula Vista AFA
Club Estates
Crockett
Dawson
ECDC
Evans
Fannin
Galvan
Garcia
Gibson
Houston
Jones
Kostoryz
Lamar
Lexington
Los Encinos SES
Meadowbrook
Menger
Mireles
Montclair
Moore
Oak Park SES
Prescott
Sanders
Schanen Estates
Shaw SES
Smith
Travis

Webb
Wilson
Windsor Park
Woodlawn
Yeager
Zavala SES
Middle Schools

Baker
Browne
Cullen
Cunningham
Driscoll
Grant
Haas
Hamlin
Kaffie
Martin
South Park

High Schools

King
Miller
Moody
Ray
Collegiate
Special Campus
Mary Grett

Missed AYP

High Schools

Carroll
Coles

Middle Schools

Wynn Seale Academy

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