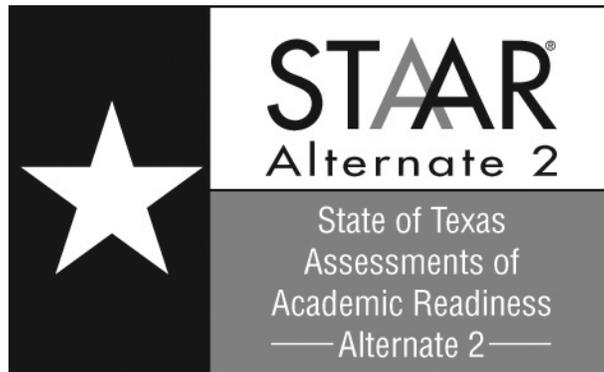


**STAAR Alternate 2 End-of-Course**  
**2017 Test Administration**



**Reporting Student  
Data File Format**

## Overview

STAAR End-of-Course (EOC) and STAAR Alternate 2 EOC results are reported separately. However, the file format for STAAR EOC and STAAR Alternate 2 EOC are the same for fields that are the same on both assessments. For example, fields like the ECONOMIC-DISADVANTAGE-CODE and SCORE CODE (and many others) will be found in the same positions on both files.

Following is a list of the most significant changes being implemented in 2017.

- The FALL 2016 PEIMS MILITARY-CONNECTED-STUDENT-CODE and NEW TO TEXAS fields have been added to the Other Student Information section (see positions 165 and 190 respectively).
- On-Track Measure has been added for English I to report on track to achieve Level II: Satisfactory Academic Performance in English II (see position 401).
- Because the STAAR Alternate 2 assessments are not being released in 2017, item reporting category numbers (see positions 431-450) and student responses (see positions 499-518) have been removed.
- The Photocopy or Cut Out Accommodation has been removed (see position 703).

NOTE: The data will be provided in a fixed-length text file format with the layout defined below. The file extension will be .dat.

## Attention For Users of Tab-delimited Files

If you ordered a tab-delimited file, a delimiter has been placed after each data field in the file (Hex = 09). The field order is the same as contained in the format below, but the field positions do not apply. The tab-delimited file does not contain a header row.

NOTE: The file extension will be .dat.

# STAAR ALTERNATE 2 END-OF-COURSE REPORTING STUDENT DATA FILE FORMAT

**LOCATION FIELD**    **FIELD DESCRIPTION**  
**FROM-TO**   **LENGTH**   (PEIMS data element names are used where available)

## ADMINISTRATION AND STUDENT ID INFORMATION

1-4	4	<b>ADMINISTRATION DATE</b> 1517 = Spring 2017
5-6	2	<b>GRADE-LEVEL-CODE</b>
7-8	2	<b>ESC REGION NUMBER</b>
9-17	9	<b>COUNTY-DISTRICT-CAMPUS NUMBER</b>
18-32	15	<b>DISTRICT-NAME</b>
33-47	15	<b>CAMPUS-NAME</b>
48-62	15	<b>LAST-NAME</b>
63-72	10	<b>FIRST-NAME</b>
73-73	1	<b>MIDDLE INITIAL</b>
74-82	9	<b>STUDENT-ID</b> (as used for PEIMS)
83-83	1	<b>SEX-CODE</b> M = Male F = Female
84-91	8	<b>DATE-OF-BIRTH</b> (MMDDYYYY)
92-92	1	BLANK

## DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

93-93	1	<b>HISPANIC-LATINO-CODE</b> Student has been identified as Hispanic or Latino. 1 = Yes 0 = No
94-94	1	<b>AMERICAN-INDIAN-ALASKA-NATIVE-CODE</b> Student has been identified as American Indian or Alaska Native. 1 = Yes 0 = No
95-95	1	<b>ASIAN-CODE</b> Student has been identified as Asian. 1 = Yes 0 = No
96-96	1	<b>BLACK-AFRICAN-AMERICAN-CODE</b> Student has been identified as Black or African American. 1 = Yes 0 = No
97-97	1	<b>NATIVE-HAWAIIAN-PACIFIC-ISLANDER-CODE</b> Student has been identified as Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander. 1 = Yes 0 = No
98-98	1	<b>WHITE-CODE</b> Student has been identified as White. 1 = Yes 0 = No

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99-99	1	<b>ETHNICITY/RACE REPORTING CATEGORY</b> H = Hispanic/Latino I = American Indian or Alaska Native A = Asian B = Black or African American P = Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander W = White T = Two or More Races N = No Information Provided
100-100	1	<b>ECONOMIC-DISADVANTAGE-CODE</b> 1 = Eligible for free meals under the National School Lunch and Child Nutrition Program 2 = Eligible for reduced-price meals under the National School Lunch and Child Nutrition Program 9 = Other economic disadvantage 0 = Not identified as economically disadvantaged
101-101	1	<b>TITLE-I-PART-A-INDICATOR-CODE</b> 6 = Student attends campus with schoolwide program 7 = Student participates in program at targeted assistance school 8 = Student is previous participant in program at targeted assistance school (not a current participant) 9 = Student does not attend a Title I, Part A school but receives Title I, Part A services because the student is homeless 0 = Student does not currently participate in and has not previously participated in program at current campus
102-102	1	<b>MIGRANT-INDICATOR-CODE</b> Student has been identified as a migrant student. 1 = Yes 0 = No
103-106	4	BLANK
107-107	1	<b>LEP-INDICATOR-CODE</b> C = Student is currently identified as LEP F = Student has met criteria for bilingual/ESL program exit, is no longer classified as LEP in PEIMS, and is in his or her first year of monitoring S = Student has met criteria for bilingual/ESL program exit, is no longer classified as LEP in PEIMS, and is in his or her second year of monitoring 0 = Other Non-LEP student
108-108	1	<b>BILINGUAL-INDICATOR-CODE</b> 2 = Transitional bilingual/early exit 3 = Transitional bilingual/late exit 4 = Dual language immersion/two-way 5 = Dual language immersion/one-way 0 = Student is not participating in a state-approved full bilingual program
109-109	1	<b>ESL-INDICATOR-CODE</b> Student participates only in English as a Second Language (ESL) program. 2 = ESL/content-based 3 = ESL/pull-out 0 = Student is not participating in a state-approved ESL program
110-121	12	BLANK

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122-122	1	<p><b>CAREER-AND-TECHNICAL-ED-INDICATOR-CODE</b></p> <p>Indicates whether student is enrolled in one or more state-approved technical education courses.</p> <p>1 = Enrolled in one or more state-approved career and technical courses as an elective</p> <p>2 = Participant in the district’s career and technical coherent sequence of courses program</p> <p>3 = Participant in district’s tech prep courses</p> <p>0 = No participation in career and technical courses</p>

## **OTHER STUDENT INFORMATION**

123-131	9	<b>LOCAL-STUDENT-ID</b> (optional, assigned by school district)
132-140	9	<p><b>DOCUMENT NUMBER</b></p> <p>Identification number printed on the Confidential Student Report</p>
141-143	3	BLANK
144-152	9	<b>FALL 2016 PEIMS COUNTY-DISTRICT-CAMPUS NUMBER</b>
153-154	2	<b>FALL 2016 PEIMS CRISIS CODE</b>
155-156	2	<b>FALL 2016 PEIMS STUDENT ATTRIBUTION CODE</b>
157-162	6	<p><b>STUDENT PORTAL UNIQUE ACCESS CODE</b></p> <p>The access code will provide families with confidential login information to view a student’s assessment results online. The Student Portal can be accessed at <a href="http://www.TexasAssessment.com/Students">http://www.TexasAssessment.com/Students</a>. Families will have access to assessment results that include STAAR, TAKS, and TELPAS administrations. Prior to the 2007–2008 school year, only higher level information (e.g. met standard, scale score, etc.) will be available for TAKS and TELPAS. Students whose student ID information provided does not match the information on the student portal, will not receive a student data portal access code.</p>
163-163	1	<p><b>MIGRANT STUDENT IN TEXAS MIGRANT INTERSTATE PROGRAM (TMIP)</b></p> <p>Student participated in out-of-state testing through the TMIP.</p> <p>1 = Yes</p> <p>0 = No</p>
164-164	1	BLANK
165-165	1	<b>FALL 2016 PEIMS MILITARY-CONNECTED-STUDENT-CODE</b>
166-189	24	BLANK
190-190	1	<p><b>NEW TO TEXAS</b></p> <p>1 = Yes</p> <p>0 = No</p>
191-200	10	<b>TEXAS STUDENT DATA SYSTEM (TSDS) UNIQUE STUDENT ID</b>

## **SUBJECT INFORMATION**

Below are the codes used to indicate the subject reported for each record in the data file.

201-202	2	<p><b>END-OF-COURSE CODE</b></p> <p>A1 = Algebra I</p> <p>BI = Biology</p> <p>E1 = English I</p> <p>E2 = English II</p> <p>US = U.S. History</p>
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203-206      4      **LOCAL USE**  
 207-214      8      BLANK  
 215-219      5      **AGENCY USE**  
 220-290      71     BLANK

## **SCORE CODE INFORMATION**

291-291      1      **SCORE CODE**  
                                  A = Absent  
                                  M = Medical Exception  
                                  N = No Authentic Academic Response  
                                  O = Other (e.g., illness during testing, testing irregularity)  
                                  S = Score  
 292-305      14     BLANK

## **TEST VERSION INFORMATION**

306-306      1      **TEST VERSION**  
                                  T = STAAR Alternate 2  
 307-350      44     BLANK

## **ASSESSMENT SCORE INFORMATION**

The following table shows the number of points possible for each reporting category assessed on the STAAR Alternate 2 assessments.

<b>Subject</b>	<b>Reporting Categories</b>						<b>Total</b>
	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	
Algebra I	8	8	8	8	8	N/A	40
Biology	8	8	8	8	8	N/A	40
U.S. History	16	8	8	8	N/A	N/A	40
English I	8	8	8	N/A	8	8	40
English II	8	8	8	N/A	8	8	40

351-362      12     **REPORTING CATEGORY SCORES**  
 Number of points achieved by reporting category.  
 363-364      2      BLANK  
 365-366      2      **RAW SCORE**  
 367-370      4      **SCALE SCORE**  
 371-389      19     BLANK

## **STUDENT'S PERFORMANCE LEVEL RESULTS**

390-390      1      **LEVEL II: SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE**  
                                  1 = Yes  
                                  0 = No  
 391-391      1      **LEVEL III: ACCOMPLISHED ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE**  
                                  1 = Yes  
                                  0 = No  
 392-399      8      BLANK



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## STAAR ALTERNATE 2 ACCOMMODATIONS INFORMATION

701-701	1	<b>Color or Highlight</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
702-702	1	<b>Color Overlays</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
703-703	1	BLANK
704-704	1	<b>Photographs or Objects</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
705-705	1	<b>Textured Materials</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
706-706	1	<b>Demonstrate</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
707-707	1	<b>Raise or Darken Outline</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
708-708	1	<b>Enlarge</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
709-709	1	<b>Braille</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
710-710	1	<b>Describe Images</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
711-711	1	<b>Presentation</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
712-712	1	<b>Isolate Images</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
713-713	1	<b>Picture Representations</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
714-714	1	<b>Reread Text</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
715-715	1	<b>Calculator</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
716-716	1	<b>Provide Structured Reminders</b> 1 = Yes 0 = No
717-1999	1283	BLANK
2000-2000	1	<b>PERIOD</b>