

Understanding The Actual Performance Standards Of STAAR Testing's Passing (APPROACHES) And Meets Grade Level Is Essential To Understanding Performance Data Tables & System's Pervasive Deception

8th Math	Raw Score MAX	Top Fail Raw	Just APP Raw	Meet Raw	MSTR RAW	% FAIL	% APP	% MEET	% MSTR
2018-19	42	18	19	27	36	43%	45%	64%	86%
2021-22	42	18	19	28	36	43%	45%	67%	86%
2022-23	48	16	17	26	37	33%	35%	54%	77%

EOC Eng I	Raw Score MAX	Top Fail Raw	Just APP Raw	Meet Raw	MSTR RAW	% FAIL	% APP	% MEET	% MSTR
2018-19	68	38	39	45	59	56%	57%	66%	87%
2021-22	68	37	38	45	59	54%	56%	66%	87%
2022-23	64	26	27	36	54	41%	42%	56%	84%

We'll use 8th Grade Math and End of Course English I to get your eyes focused on the accountability system's performance standards. While the TEA would like us to believe psychometric testing theory gibberish, the truth is as simple as it looks. The table shows the bottom line standards over three academic years.

The truth is a compelling truth represented by one historically true factor for criterion tests not designed like a national Iowa Test of Basic Skills, for instance, whose goal is to create a bell curve distribution.

- ◆ How many questions or total points did a student have to answer correctly to make a PERFECT SCORE or 100% content mastery?
- ◆ How many questions of total points (content mastery) did a student have to answer correctly to PASS the test or MEET GRADE LEVEL on the test?

The TEA has discreet grade-level standards in every subject tested.

The STAAR - at least theoretically - tests those standards.

2018-19 is chosen to establish recent historical perspective and the two most current years are shown as well. Keep in mind: Achieving Just Approach Includes Below Grade Level Performance as the tables will demonstrate. 35% & 42% content mastery respectively on 8th grade math and EOC English I is what the TEA asserts is its statutory and constitutional burden to close achievement gaps for Texas disadvantaged, at-risk students statistically dominated by children of color. THIS TOPIC WILL BE COVERED IN MORE DETAIL ON AEA.

2022-23 8th Grade Math

- ◆ 48 Total Raw Points = 100%
- ◆ 17 Total Raw Points = 35%
- ◆ 35% Content Mastery is PASSING
- ◆ 26 Total Raw Points = 54%
- ◆ 54% Content Mastery is GRADE LEVEL

**Understanding This Is
Essential To Understanding
This System—Even IF One Is
“Moved” By The TEA’s Self-
Serving Testing Gibberish.
*More Grade Levels Follow***

2022-23 EOC ENGLISH I

- ◆ 64 Total Raw Points = 100%
- ◆ 27 Total Raw Points = 42%
- ◆ 42% Content Mastery is PASSING
- ◆ 36 Total Raw Points = 56%
- ◆ 56% Content Mastery is GRADE LEVEL

Tables Show PERFECT RAW SCORE - Number & Percent Right Answers Needed

5th Read	Raw Score MAX	Top Fail Raw	Just APP Raw	Meet Raw	MSTR RAW	% FAIL	% APP	% MEET	% MSTR
2018-19	38	21	22	29	33	55%	58%	76%	87%
2021-22	38	20	21	29	33	53%	55%	76%	87%
2022-23	52	20	21	31	39	38%	40%	60%	75%
5th Math	Raw Score MAX	Top Fail Raw	Just APP Raw	Meet Raw	MSTR RAW	% FAIL	% APP	% MEET	% MSTR
2018-19	36	17	18	26	30	47%	50%	72%	83%
2021-22	36	16	17	25	30	44%	47%	69%	83%
2022-23	42	14	15	24	33	33%	36%	57%	79%
5th SCI.	Raw Score MAX	Top Fail Raw	Just APP Raw	Meet Raw	MSTR RAW	% FAIL	% APP	% MEET	% MSTR
2018-19	36	21	22	28	32	58%	61%	78%	89%
2021-22	36	20	21	28	32	56%	58%	78%	89%
2022-23	39	17	18	25	30	44%	46%	64%	77%
6th Read	Raw Score MAX	Top Fail Raw	Just APP Raw	Meet Raw	MSTR RAW	% FAIL	% APP	% MEET	% MSTR
2018-19	40	22	23	31	35	55%	58%	78%	88%
2021-22	40	21	22	30	34	53%	55%	75%	85%
2022-23	56	19	20	30	41	34%	36%	54%	73%
6th Math	Raw Score MAX	Top Fail Raw	Just APP Raw	Meet Raw	MSTR RAW	% FAIL	% APP	% MEET	% MSTR
2018-19	38	13	14	23	30	34%	37%	61%	79%
2021-22	38	13	14	23	30	34%	37%	61%	79%
2022-23	43	14	15	24	33	33%	35%	56%	77%
7th Read	Raw Score MAX	Top Fail Raw	Just APP Raw	Meet Raw	MSTR RAW	% FAIL	% APP	% MEET	% MSTR
2018-19	42	22	23	31	35	52%	55%	74%	83%
2021-22	42	21	22	31	35	50%	52%	74%	83%
2022-23	56	22	23	33	42	39%	41%	59%	75%

7th Math	Raw Score MAX	Top Fail Raw	Just APP Raw	Meet Raw	MSTR RAW	% FAIL	% APP	% MEET	% MSTR
2018-19	40	15	16	25	33	38%	40%	63%	83%
2021-22	40	15	16	25	32	38%	40%	63%	80%
2022-23	46	18	19	26	37	39%	41%	57%	80%

8th Read	Raw Score MAX	Top Fail Raw	Just APP Raw	Meet Raw	MSTR RAW	% FAIL	% APP	% MEET	% MSTR
2018-19	44	23	24	33	37	52%	55%	75%	84%
2021-22	44	22	23	33	37	50%	52%	75%	84%
2022-23	56	18	19	30	40	32%	34%	54%	71%

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2021-22	44	21	22	31	35	48%	50%	70%	80%
2022-23	49	20	21	30	36	41%	43%	61%	73%

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2021-22	68	37	38	44	61	54%	56%	65%	90%
2022-23	64	26	27	36	56	41%	42%	56%	88%
EOC Alg I	Raw Score MAX	Top Fail Raw	Just APP Raw	Meet Raw	MSTR RAW	% FAIL	% APP	% MEET	% MSTR
2018-19	54	20	21	33	41	37%	39%	61%	76%
2021-22	54	20	21	34	41	37%	39%	63%	76%
2022-23	59	19	20	32	41	32%	34%	54%	69%
EOC Hist	Raw Score MAX	Top Fail Raw	Just APP Raw	Meet Raw	MSTR RAW	% FAIL	% APP	% MEET	% MSTR
2018-19	68	28	29	43	53	41%	43%	63%	78%
2021-22	68	27	28	42	53	40%	41%	62%	78%
2022-23	78	21	22	36	50	27%	28%	46%	64%
EOC Bio	Raw Score MAX	Top Fail Raw	Just APP Raw	Meet Raw	MSTR RAW	% FAIL	% APP	% MEET	% MSTR
2018-19	50	18	19	30	41	36%	38%	60%	82%
2021-22	50	18	19	30	41	36%	38%	60%	82%
2022-23	53	13	14	25	38	25%	26%	47%	72%