Documentation Supporting Statements in the Texas Proposal for Use of the Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate in 2010 Adequate Yearly Progress Determinations

Graduation Rate Technical Documentation
_District Processing Documentation for the Completion Rate_, technical documentation for processing for the graduation rates prepared annually by the Texas Education Agency (TEA), provides the steps to be used by the TEA to build the Grade 9 completion rate cohort and compute the longitudinal rates used in agency publications and for state and federal accountability. Following is a link to the technical documentation for the class of 2009 and the graduation rates that will be used for 2010 Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) determinations. The processing decisions in the document are current as of November 2009 and are subject to change prior to final processing in spring 2010.

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_Section 2:  Data Submission Requirements_

Chart showing the relationship of data submission files to record types on page 2.2
Student data submission requirements begin on page 2.86
School leaver data submission requirements begin on page 2.135

Appendix D:  Leaver Reason Codes and Documentation Standards
Contains an expanded definition and specific guidelines on acceptable documentation for each of the leaver reason codes.

Following is a link to the PEIMS Data Standards for previous years:
http://www.tea.state.tx.us/index4.aspx?id=3014

http://www.tea.state.tx.us/index4.aspx?id=7189