

Texas Student Data System

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2009-2010 Accomplishments

- Developed metrics based on extensive research and national best practices analysis
- Gathered feedback on data dashboards and Student Info Systems (SIS) from over 2,000 educators in regional forums
- Completing initial data dashboard prototype with Lubbock ISD

System Overview:

The Texas Student Data System will create an information platform that will:

- Provide educators with access to historical, real-time, and predictive information on all students to help manage academic performance
- Drive down per-student costs for districts' data collection, improve standardization of data across districts, and improve data quality
- Expand the state's P-20 data warehouse to link critical pre-K, college readiness, and workforce data to evaluate program effectiveness based on how well they prepare students to contribute to 21st century workforce

Funding and Supporting Projects:

Several sources of funding and /or supporting projects:

- TEA PEIMS Redesign \$7.7 Million
- 2009 IES Statewide Longitudinal Data System Grant \$7.9 Million
- The Michael & Susan Dell Foundation TSDS Grant \$10.0 Million

In addition, the project has the following source of *potential funding*:

- U.S. DoE ARRA 2009 IES Statewide Longitudinal Data System Grant

Upcoming Milestones:

- 2011 - Finalize dashboards and data standards based on stakeholder feedback
- 2011 - State-sponsored SIS requirements released
- 2013 - District data dashboards implemented
- 2014 - Expanded P-20 data and reports available