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**Kerrville ISD Scores Above State Average
In All Subject Areas on 2016 ACT Test**

KERRVILLE, TEXAS (September 8, 2016) – Kerrville ISD students who took the ACT exam in 2016 scored higher than the state average in all subject areas tested. The ACT consists of curriculum-based tests of educational development in the areas of College English Composition, College Algebra, College Social Science and College Biology. KISD students also scored higher than the state average on the composite scores of the four tests combined.

In an ACT score report showing results over a five-year span, scores indicate that Kerrville ISD students have consistently performed greater than the state in all four areas from the years 2012-2016.

“The achievement shown over the five-year span indicates that our high school graduates are continually entering postsecondary institutions equipped with the skills necessary for success,” Heather Engstrom, Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction said.

Additionally, the ACT is designed to measure the skills necessary for success in first-year college coursework. Overall, 43 percent of KISD students met the college readiness standard in all four subject areas combined. The state average was 26 percent.

“College readiness for all students is essential. I give credit to our teachers for the rigorous instruction they provide our students daily as well as the high expectations they hold for students,” Engstrom said.

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