

## ***2008-09 School Report Card***

***School Name: HIGHTOWER H S***

***School Number: 079907008***

***2009 School Accountability Rating: Recognized***

***Gold Performance Acknowledgments:***

***Commended on Social Studies***

***Comparable Improvement: Reading/ELA & Mathematics***

***District Name: FORT BEND ISD***

***2009 District Accountability Rating: Academically Acceptable***

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		State Average	District Average	School Group Median	School (All Students)	African American	Hispanic	White	Native American	Asian/ Pac.Is.	Econ. Disadv.
<b>TAKS Met 2009 Standard (Sum of All Grades Tested)</b> (INCLUDES SELECTED TAKS (Accommodated)) (Standard Accountability Indicator)											
Reading/ELA	2009	91%	94%	88%	94%	94%	91%	97%	*	> 99%	93%
	2008	91%	93%	86%	94%	93%	89%	98%	*	99%	88%
Mathematics	2009	82%	85%	64%	77%	72%	68%	94%	*	98%	69%
	2008	80%	83%	59%	71%	64%	60%	93%	*	98%	59%
Science	2009	78%	82%	69%	83%	80%	73%	98%	*	98%	73%
	2008	74%	78%	60%	77%	71%	68%	99%	*	99%	65%
Soc Studies	2009	93%	95%	91%	94%	93%	91%	98%	*	> 99%	92%
	2008	91%	94%	89%	93%	92%	88%	> 99%	*	> 99%	89%
All Tests	2009	74%	79%	56%	72%	68%	62%	92%	*	97%	64%
	2008	72%	75%	50%	66%	58%	55%	92%	*	97%	52%
<b>Students Not Tested Due to Exemptions</b>											
LEP Exempt	2009	0.9%	0.8%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	*	0.0%	0.0%
	2008	0.9%	0.8%	0.2%	0.5%	0.1%	2.1%	0.4%	*	0.0%	1.0%
<b>Progress of Prior Year TAKS Failers (Sum of Gr 4-11)</b> (INCLUDES TAKS (Accommodated) for grade 11 only) Percent of Failers Passing TAKS											
Reading/ELA	2009	49%	52%	53%	61%	61%	60%	*	*	*	76%
	2008	53%	54%	58%	65%	69%	55%	60%	*	*	53%
Mathematics	2009	37%	40%	30%	46%	45%	45%	63%	*	71%	41%
	2008	36%	40%	29%	37%	36%	33%	73%	*	67%	35%

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<b>Student Success Initiative</b>										
<b>Grade 8 Reading</b>										
TAKS Met Standard (Failed in Previous Year)										
Promoted to Grade 9 2009	32%	31%	33%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Grade 8 Mathematics</b>										
TAKS Met Standard (Failed in Previous Year)										
Promoted to Grade 9 2009	15%	21%	9%	20%	9%	42%	*	*	*	21%
<b>Attendance Rate</b>										
2007-08	95.5%	96.4%	94.2%	94.9%	95.0%	92.8%	95.3%	*	98.1%	93.9%
2006-07	95.5%	96.3%	93.8%	93.9%	94.2%	91.9%	93.7%	*	97.2%	93.0%
<b>Annual Dropout Rate (Gr 9-12)</b>										
2007-08	3.2%	1.5%	2.6%	2.0%	1.8%	3.9%	1.3%	*	0.3%	2.0%
2006-07	3.9%	2.5%	3.5%	2.5%	1.8%	5.5%	2.0%	*	0.3%	3.7%

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<b>Completion/Student Status Rate (Gr 9-12)</b>										
<b>Class of 2008</b>										
Graduated	79.1%	88.4%	81.9%	89.1%	92.3%	77.6%	86.7%	-	98.1%	83.9%
Received GED	1.5%	0.9%	0.6%	0.4%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	-	0.0%	0.0%
Continued HS	8.9%	5.2%	5.3%	2.9%	2.2%	5.2%	5.0%	-	0.0%	3.2%
Dropped Out (4-yr)	10.5%	5.5%	10.1%	7.6%	5.0%	17.2%	8.3%	-	1.9%	12.9%
<b>Class of 2007</b>										
Graduated	78.0%	87.0%	79.2%	85.0%	85.8%	72.3%	91.3%	*	98.6%	77.1%
Received GED	2.0%	0.7%	1.1%	0.8%	0.7%	1.4%	1.1%	*	0.0%	1.7%
Continued HS	8.7%	4.8%	6.8%	4.0%	4.9%	7.1%	0.0%	*	0.0%	5.1%
Dropped Out (4-yr)	11.4%	7.6%	13.3%	10.1%	8.7%	19.1%	7.6%	*	1.4%	16.0%
<b>Completion Rate I (not including GED)</b>										
Class of 2008	88.0%	93.6%	89.4%	92.0%	94.4%	82.8%	91.7%	-	98.1%	87.1%
Class of 2007	86.7%	91.7%	85.3%	89.1%	90.6%	79.4%	91.3%	*	98.6%	82.3%
<b>Recommended HS and Distinguished Achievement Program Graduates</b>										
Class of 2008	81.4%	87.5%	82.5%	83.0%	81.1%	78.3%	88.9%	-	96.1%	74.6%
Class of 2007	77.9%	86.9%	80.7%	90.0%	88.2%	88.9%	90.8%	*	97.2%	84.9%
<b>Texas Success Initiative (TSI) Higher Education Readiness Component (INCLUDES TAKS (Accommodated))</b>										
Eng Lang Arts 2009	63%	74%	55%	68%	64%	57%	80%	*	96%	59%
2008	57%	71%	46%	70%	67%	57%	81%	*	94%	55%
Mathematics 2009	62%	75%	51%	70%	63%	64%	89%	*	96%	58%
2008	56%	67%	47%	57%	47%	49%	80%	*	96%	43%

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<b>SAT/ACT Results</b>										
<b>Tested</b>										
Class of 2008	65.0%	87.5%	67.9%	79.3%	79.4%	56.5%	93.9%	-	100.0%	n/a
Class of 2007	68.2%	?	69.8%	79.1%	73.6%	61.1%	87.3%	*	85.9%	n/a
<b>At/Above Criterion</b>										
Class of 2008	27.2%	37.0%	13.9%	26.1%	15.2%	16.7%	47.8%	-	65.3%	n/a
Class of 2007	27.0%	35.7%	14.6%	31.1%	9.9%	15.5%	59.4%	*	73.8%	n/a
<b>Average SAT Score</b>										
Class of 2008	987	1028	915	957	879	945	1090	-	1182	n/a
Class of 2007	992	1027	916	1006	911	936	1116	*	1202	n/a
<b>Average ACT Score</b>										
Class of 2008	20.5	21.9	18.4	20.3	18.4	19.8	23.9	-	26.4	n/a
Class of 2007	20.2	21.1	18.3	20.5	18.7	17.6	23.5	*	26.2	n/a

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<b>Class Size Averages by Subject</b>				
Secondary: English/Language Arts	19.8	22.7	21.7	25.6
Foreign Languages	21.1	22.3	22.9	25.3
Mathematics	19.6	21.8	21.3	23.4
Science	20.5	23.8	22.3	26.1
Social Studies	21.7	24.0	23.5	26.9
<b>Number of Students per Teacher</b>	14.4	15.7	14.7	16.9
<b>Instructional Staff Percent **</b>	63.9%	63.4%	n/a	n/a
<b>Instructional Expenditure Ratio **</b>	64.4%	67.9%	n/a	n/a
<b>Expenditures per Student (2007-2008):</b>			<b>School Group Average (All Funds)</b>	<b>School (All Funds)</b>
Total Operating Expenditures			\$6,893	\$5,893
Instruction (11,95)			\$4,536	\$4,048
Instructional-Related Services (12,13)			\$193	\$153
Instructional Leadership (21)			\$99	\$71
School Leadership (23)			\$507	\$358
Support Services-Student (31,32,33)			\$409	\$351
Other Campus Costs (35,36,51,52,53)			\$1,150	\$911

'?' Indicates that the data for this item were statistically improbable, or were reported outside a reasonable range.

'\*\*' Indicates results are masked due to small numbers to protect student confidentiality.

'-' Indicates zero observations reported for this group.

'n/a' Indicates data reporting is not applicable for this group.

'\*\*\*' For more details on this Chapter 44 measure, please go to <http://www.tea.state.tx.us/index4.aspx?id=3881>.

A more complete report about your school, the Academic Excellence Indicator System (AEIS) report, is available from your school, or can be accessed on the internet at [www.tea.state.tx.us/perfreport/aeis](http://www.tea.state.tx.us/perfreport/aeis).