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Below are the areas where Dallas County's 14 public school districts made year-over-year gains of at least 5 percentage points in meeting grade-level standards. Given the direct link between students experiencing financial instability and STAAR results, each subject lists districts in descending order of the percentage of economically disadvantaged students.

3RD GRADE READING

- **DeSoto ISD** grew 5 percentage points, from 29% to 34% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Cedar Hill ISD** grew 8 percentage points, from 34% to 42% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Sunnyvale ISD** grew 6 percentage points, from 67% to 73% of students meeting grade-level standards

3RD GRADE MATH

- **Cedar Hill ISD** grew 12 percentage points, from 23% to 35% of students meeting grade-level standards

4TH GRADE READING

- **Highland Park ISD** grew 7 percentage points, from 81% to 88% of students meeting grade-level standards

4TH GRADE MATH

- **Irving ISD** grew 8 percentage points, from 22% to 30% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Dallas ISD** grew 9 percentage points, from 36% to 45% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Duncanville ISD** grew 9 percentage points, from 23% to 32% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Grand Prairie ISD** grew 9 percentage points, from 36% to 45% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Garland ISD** grew 8 percentage points, from 40% to 48% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Uplift** grew 9 percentage points, from 26% to 35% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Carrollton-Farmers Branch ISD** grew 8 percentage points, from 38% to 46% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Richardson ISD** grew 5 percentage points, from 44% to 49% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Sunnyvale ISD** grew 5 percentage points, from 52% to 57% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Highland Park ISD** grew 12 percentage points, from 77% to 89% of students meeting grade-level standards

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5TH GRADE READING

- **Cedar Hill ISD** grew 5 percentage points, from 45% to 50% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Sunnyvale ISD** grew 17 percentage points, from 63% to 80% of students meeting grade-level standards

5TH GRADE MATH

- **Irving ISD** grew 5 percentage points, from 28% to 33% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Lancaster ISD** grew 9 percentage points, from 32% to 41% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Mesquite ISD** grew 5 percentage points, from 39% to 44% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **DeSoto ISD** grew 19 percentage points, from 25% to 44% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Cedar Hill ISD** grew 12 percentage points, from 26% to 38% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Carrollton-Farmers Branch ISD** grew 10 percentage points, from 43% to 53% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Richardson ISD** grew 8 percentage points, from 48% to 56% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Sunnyvale ISD** grew 15 percentage points, from 56% to 71% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Coppell ISD** grew 9 percentage points, from 71% to 80% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Highland Park ISD** grew 9 percentage points, from 70% to 79% of students meeting grade-level standards

6TH GRADE READING

- **Irving ISD** grew 10 percentage points, from 24% to 34% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Dallas ISD** grew 11 percentage points, from 33% to 44% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Lancaster ISD** grew 6 percentage points, from 28% to 34% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Grand Prairie ISD** grew 10 percentage points, from 34% to 44% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Garland ISD** grew 7 percentage points, from 38% to 45% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Uplift** grew 8 percentage points, from 34% to 42% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **DeSoto ISD** grew 13 percentage points, from 27% to 40% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Cedar Hill ISD** grew 14 percentage points, from 26% to 40% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Carrollton-Farmers Branch ISD** grew 15 percentage points, from 31% to 46% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Richardson ISD** grew 7 percentage points, from 48% to 55% of students meeting grade-level standards

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6TH GRADE READING (CON'T)

- **Sunnyvale ISD** grew 13 percentage points, from 62% to 75% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Coppell ISD** grew 15 percentage points, from 69% to 84% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Highland Park ISD** grew 20 percentage points, from 69% to 89% of students meeting grade-level standards

6TH GRADE MATH

- **Irving ISD** grew 9 percentage points, from 16% to 25% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Dallas ISD** grew 5 percentage points, from 31% to 36% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **DeSoto ISD** grew 7 percentage points, from 11% to 18% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Cedar Hill ISD** grew 6 percentage points, from 14% to 20% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Highland Park ISD** grew 9 percentage points, from 78% to 87% of students meeting grade-level standards

7TH GRADE READING

- **Lancaster ISD** grew 5 percentage points, from 36% to 41% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Sunnyvale ISD** grew 9 percentage points, from 78% to 87% of students meeting grade-level standards

7TH GRADE MATH

- **Dallas ISD** grew 6 percentage points, from 8% to 14% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Lancaster ISD** grew 5 percentage points, from 12% to 17% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Duncanville ISD** grew 5 percentage points, from 12% to 17% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Grand Prairie ISD** grew 6 percentage points, from 20% to 26% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Garland ISD** grew 7 percentage points, from 14% to 21% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Uplift** grew 7 percentage points, from 20% to 27% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Cedar Hill ISD** grew 7 percentage points, from 7% to 14% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Sunnyvale ISD** grew 12 percentage points from 32% to 44% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Coppell ISD** grew 5 percentage points, from 78% to 83% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Highland Park ISD** grew 15 percentage points, from 56% to 71% of students meeting grade-level standards

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8TH GRADE READING

- **DeSoto ISD** grew 6 percentage points, from 49% to 55% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Cedar Hill ISD** grew 8 percentage points, from 44% to 52% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Coppell ISD** grew 6 percentage points, from 82% to 88% of students meeting grade-level standards

8TH GRADE MATH

- **Irving ISD** grew 12 percentage points, from 21% to 33% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Mesquite ISD** grew 11 percentage points, from 37% to 48% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Grand Prairie ISD** grew 7 percentage points, from 30% to 37% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Garland ISD** grew 6 percentage points, from 35% to 41% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Uplift** grew 10 percentage points, from 21% to 31% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **DeSoto ISD** grew 23 percentage points, from 24% to 47% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Cedar Hill ISD** grew 17 percentage points, from 15% to 32% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Carrollton-Farmers Branch ISD** grew 7 percentage points, from 37% to 44% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Richardson ISD** grew 5 percentage points, from 30% to 35% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Sunnyvale ISD** grew 14 percentage points, from 65% to 79% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Coppell ISD** grew 5 percentage points, from 80% to 85% of students meeting grade-level standards

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- **Garland ISD** grew 10 percentage points, from 40% to 50% of students meeting grade-level standards
- **Sunnyvale ISD** grew 10 percentage points, from 61% to 71% of students meeting grade-level standards

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