

# Graduation (Texas)

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Fields on the Graduation tab that are specific to the state of Texas are described below. Fields that do not require unique, state-specific data are described in the [Graduation](#) article.


## General Graduation Information

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Graduation Date:  

Graduation Type:  ▼

Diploma Period:  ▼

Date First Entered the 9th Grade:   **User Modified**

NGA Cohort End Year:  ▼ **User Modified**

NCLB Cohort End Year:   
Enter NCLB Cohort End Year above.

Post Grad Location:  ▼

Post Grad Plans:  ▼

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## Graduation Type

The Graduation Type drop-list allows users to select the type of plan under which the student graduated.

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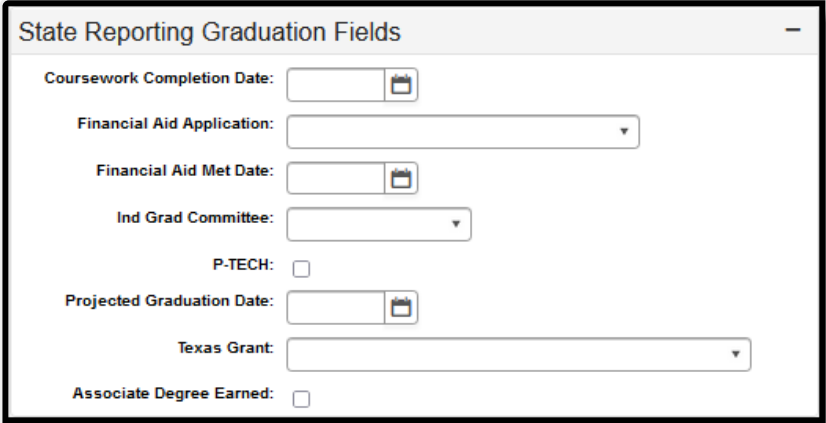
## Post Grad Plans

The Post Grad Plans field allows districts to track information about a student's *potential* plans once they have graduated from high school. This field is used only for district-tracking purposes and is not used for state reporting.

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# State Reporting Graduation Fields

The State Reporting Graduation fields are unique to the state of Texas. These fields allow districts to enter graduation-specific data for each student in the state of Texas.



## Coursework Completion Date

The date on which the district awards a certificate of coursework completion to a student. Districts have the option of awarding a certificate of coursework completion to a student who successfully completes all coursework requirements but who fails to perform satisfactorily on the statewide exit-level assessment.

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## Financial Aid Application

Indicates the manner in which the student completed the graduation requirement of either submitting a financial aid application (FAFSA or TASFA) or submitting an exception.

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## Financial Aid Met Date

Indicates the month and year the student completed a financial aid application (FAFSA or TASFA) or submitted an exception.

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## Ind Grad Committee

The Individual (Ind) Graduation Committee (IGC) selection indicates whether a student for whom an IGC was established has graduated based on an IGC decision.

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## P-TECH

The P-TECH checkbox indicates that a student in grades 9-12 is participating in the Pathways in Technology (P-TECH) Early College High School program.

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## Projected Graduation Date

This field is used to enter the date on which a student is expected to graduate.

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## Texas Grant

Texas Grant is used to indicate that a student on the Minimum/Recommended/Distinguished/High School Program (RHSP) is on track to graduate by completing the requirements of the State Board of Education-approved Minimum/Recommended/Distinguished/High School Program.

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## Associate Degree Earned

Marking this checkbox indicates the student earned an associate degree prior to graduation from high school.

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## Graduation Endorsement/Certification Information

Use the fields to indicate a student's status in obtaining a FHSP program, industry certification, or license.

Graduation Endorsement/Certification Information							
Type	Date Started	Date Completed	*Endorsement	*Status	*Certification	IBC Vendor	IBC Exam Fee
X E: Endorsement	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	1: STEM	1: Pursuing	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
X C: Certification	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	99: Certification Only	01: IBC Earned	017: Adobe Certified.	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
X <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

*Graduation Endorsement/Certification Information Editor*

## Type

Use the Type field to select Endorsement or Certification. An **Endorsement** indicates whether a student is currently enrolled in (pursuing) or has successfully completed a FHSP program to earn a Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Endorsement. A **Certification** indicates a nationally or internationally recognized business or industry certification or license earned by a student. If **Certification** is selected the **Endorsement** field must be set to **99:Certification only** and the **Certification** field must be populated.

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## Endorsement

Use the Endorsement field to indicate the field of study a student is currently enrolled in (pursuing) to earn the qualifying endorsement.

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## Status

This field indicates the student's graduation endorsement or graduation certification status.

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## Certification

This drop list includes the industry based certifications.

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## IBC Vendor

Indicates the vendor that administered the certification exam.

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## IBC Exam Fee

This drop list includes the industry based certifications.

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