

2009 Gold Performance Acknowledgments for Glen Rose ISD

Glen Rose ISD is proud to announce increases in our district Gold Performance Acknowledgment ratings for 2009. The Gold Performance Acknowledgment (GPA) system acknowledges districts and campuses for high performance on indicators other than those used to determine accountability ratings. These indicators are in statute (*Texas Education Code*) or determined by the Commissioner of Education. To receive an acknowledgment, the campus or district must be rated *Academically Acceptable* or higher, have results to be evaluated, and have met the acknowledgment criteria on one or more of the indicators.

Our district increased the number of Gold Performance Acknowledgements by 50%, with 4 out of 13 measures being awarded the distinction of Gold Performance. Glen Rose High School added to our previous year's award for Recommended High School Program with an award for ensuring that the Class of 2008 was "College Ready." Glen Rose Junior High School was able to maintain their Gold Performance Acknowledgement in the area of Social Studies and Glen Rose Intermediate School received a Gold Performance Acknowledgment in the area of Writing. Our students and staff are to be commended for their hard work and extra efforts! We sincerely appreciate all of the support we receive from our staff, students, and community to raise the standards of educating our children to become life-long learners.

District

- **Recommended High School Program (RHSP/DAP) Class of 2008:** This reflects the percent of graduates meeting or exceeding requirements for the RHSP/Distinguished Achievement Program.
- **College Ready Graduates Class of 2008** This reflects that 53% of our graduating seniors scored at or above the criteria for being considered ready to be successful in college math and English language arts.
- **Commended on Writing:** This reflects that 58% of our students received commended performance (2400) on the TAKS Writing tests.
- **Commended on Social Studies:** This reflects that 53% of our students received commended performance (2400) on the TAKS Social Studies tests.

High School

- **Recommended High School Program (RHSP/DAP) Class of 2008:** This reflects the percent of graduates meeting or exceeding requirements for the RHSP/Distinguished Achievement Program.
- **College Ready Graduates Class of 2008** This reflects that 53% of our graduating seniors scored at or above the criteria for being considered ready to be successful in college math and English language arts.

Junior High

- **Commended on Social Studies:** This reflects that 57% of our 8th grade students received commended performance (2400) on the TAKS Social Studies test.

Intermediate

- **Commended on Writing:** This reflects that 51% of our 4th grade students received commended performance (2400) on the TAKS Writing test.