

Intro Music...

Narrator: "Answers...In About A Minute"... from the Texas Education Agency.

Man on Street:

I want to learn more about the School Progress domain in the new A-Through-F accountability system. How are schools graded on progress?

Host:

Schools are given an overall rating based on performance in three different areas...or domains.

Student Achievement...School Progress...and Closing The Gaps.

Grades for School Progress are based on a comparison of how students are performing.

This is based...in part...on how many students show a full year of academic growth in reading and math on STAAR.

Why is this important?

We want every student to gain a year's worth of academic knowledge in reading and math each year they are in school.

The School Progress domain is also based... in part... on comparisons of how well students are doing compared to similar schools.

Closing Music...**Host:**

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