



Transparency Stars

DEBT OBLIGATIONS CHECKLIST

(see [guidelines](#) for further details)

Required Elements	Self Check
<p>Dedicated Webpage or Section of Website</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General narrative overview of the transparency area; and • Three (3) clicks or less from the homepage. 	
<p>Debt Obligations Summary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Total outstanding debt obligations; • Tax-supported debt obligations expressed as total and per capita/per student amounts; • Total revenue-supported debt obligations; • Total lease-purchase or lease-revenue obligations; and • Historical bond election information that includes date of election, purpose, amount. 	
<p>Visualizations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Time trend for last five years showing total outstanding tax-supported and revenue-supported debt; and • Time trend for last five years showing inflation adjusted tax-supported debt per capita or per student. 	
<p>Documents</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The entity's most recent Local Annual Debt Report or a document created in compliance with Local Government Code § 140.008; • Document containing tax rates for current fiscal year; and • Link(s) to debt information in previous years adopted budgets dating back five fiscal years. 	
<p>Downloadable Data</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Time trend for total outstanding tax-supported and revenue-supported debt going back at least five fiscal years; and • Issue-by-issue listing including principal amount of each outstanding debt obligation. 	
<p>Other Information</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Link to Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts Debt at a Glance tool; • Link to Bond Review Board local government debt data; and • Upcoming bond election information that includes date of election, purpose, and amount. 	

