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News Release: 2016 Academic Distinctions

For Immediate Release

(September 14, 2016) – Schools across Crowley ISD are being recognized for receiving academic distinction designations in the 2016 State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR).


Distinction designations are awarded for achievement in several different areas and are based on performance relative to a group of campuses of similar type, size, grade span and student demographics.


By the Numbers:


- **15** distinction designations awarded for 2016; two more than in 2015 and 2014 (*increase of 15%*)
- **7** campuses receiving distinction designations
- **6** distinction designations for academic achievement in math (*CISD record*)


Campus	Academic Achievement Math	Academic Achievement Social Studies	Student Progress Top 25%	Closing Performance Gaps	Postsecondary Readiness	Total Distinctions
North Crowley High School & 9 th Grade		★				1
Sue Crouch Intermediate	★				★	2
Mary Harris Intermediate	★		★			2
Sycamore Elementary	★			★	★	3
Jackie Carden Elementary	★		★			2
Parkway Elementary	★		★			2
Oakmont Elementary	★		★	★		3


“We celebrate these academic distinctions that represent the hard work of students and educators across Crowley ISD,” Superintendent Dan Powell said. “In a challenging accountability system where standards rise each year, we take great pride in increasing our number of distinctions this year to 15. We will soon be hanging banners outside each of these schools so that our entire community can know about these great achievements.”


NORTH CROWLEY HIGH SCHOOL
ACADEMIC DISTINCTION
Achievement in Social Studies
2016 


NORTH CROWLEY 9TH GRADE
ACADEMIC DISTINCTION
Achievement in Social Studies
2016 


SUE CROUCH INTERMEDIATE
ACADEMIC DISTINCTION
Achievement in Math • Postsecondary Readiness
2016 

MARY HARRIS INTERMEDIATE
ACADEMIC DISTINCTION
Achievement in Math • Top 25% Student Progress
2016 

SYCAMORE ELEMENTARY
ACADEMIC DISTINCTION
Achievement in Math • Closing Performance Gaps • Postsecondary Readiness
2016 

JACKIE CARDEN ELEMENTARY
ACADEMIC DISTINCTION
Achievement in Math • Top 25% Student Progress
2016 

PARKWAY ELEMENTARY
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OAKMONT ELEMENTARY
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[Complete accountability report for Crowley ISD \(released August 15\)](#)