

Your investment in capacity takes public investment farther.

Texas' outcomes-based funding model creates a rare multiplier effect. Philanthropic investment in advising, data, and intermediaries unlocks public dollars school districts are already positioned to draw down.

Smart Policy

Texas is uniquely positioned to translate strong policy into large-scale student impact.

Three landmark education bills – HB3, HB8, and HB2209 – created an outcomes-based funding environment that rewards school districts and colleges for moving students toward college and career readiness.

HB3 | 2019
**CCMR
Outcomes
Bonus**

State funding flows to districts for every graduate meeting defined college, career, and military readiness thresholds.

HB8 | 2023
FAST Program

Restructured community college funding around completion. Created FAST to cover dual credit tuition for low-income students.

HB2209 | 2023
**Rural Pathways
(R-PEP)**

Established the Rural Pathways Excellence Partnership Program, funding rural district-college-workforce collaborations.

The Gap

Public funding rewards the work. Philanthropic investment makes the work possible.

HB3 and HB8 created incentives that pay school districts for results. But accessing those rewards requires school districts to implement the strategies that produce them.

Philanthropic investment funds that foundation, building the advising capacity and data infrastructure school districts need to qualify for and sustain public funding.

Smart Practice

Three areas where targeted investment produces the highest return.

Levers within the Integrated Pathways Framework where philanthropy accelerates what public funding rewards.



**High-quality
advising**



**Dual credit and
advanced
coursework**



**Real-time data
infrastructure**

Real Impact

**This is not a pilot.
Texas has the
policy, the regions,
and the early
evidence.**

59%

of Corpus Christi ISD's Class of 2025 enrolled in college, the highest rate in eight years and a 9% climb from the year before.

10x

more Aldine ISD students (600 to 6,000) will have access to high-quality postsecondary advising annually starting in 2026-27.

50K

Texas high schoolers served across four regions. Reaching all 600,000 depends on the next wave of philanthropic capital.

Proof Point Regions



Dallas County

Supported by The Commit Partnership
5 systems, ~254K students

Rio Grande Valley

Supported by Region One Education Service Center
4 systems, ~25.6K students

Permian Basin

Supported by Education Partnership of the Permian Basin
6 systems, ~3K students

Houston and Coastal Bend

Supported by Texas Urban Council
4 systems, ~307K students

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