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TAKS 2007-2008

HOME of the 2009 Texas Secondary Teacher of the Year

*Educators Excellence Award
2006-2007-2008*

Robert Sepulveda
Principal

Rosa Garcia
Dean of Instruction

Jose Martinez
Athletic Director

Ruben Carrillo
Assistant Principal

December 10, 2008

Fabens High School staff:

I received an e-mail from Andrea Bennett, Wrights Reprints, congratulating Fabens High School for being selected as one of America's Best High Schools by U.S. News & World Report. This magazine comes out once a month, with the issue of Best High Schools being in December.

U. S. News & World Report - in collaboration with School Evaluation Services, a K-12 education and data research and analysis business that provides parents with education data on **schoolmasters.com** - analyzed academic and enrollment data from more than 21,000 public high schools to find the very best across the country. These top schools were placed into gold, silver, bronze, or honorable mention categories.

Facts from the report:

Out of 21,069 schools analyzed:

- * 100 schools were chosen as Gold Medal Schools
- * 504 schools were chosen as Silver Medal Schools

In Texas:

- * There were 10 Gold Medal Schools, all except Highland Park High School, are Magnet Schools
- * There were 22 Silver Medal Schools, 10 of which are Magnet Schools
- * There were 119 Bronze Medal Schools

In El Paso County:

- * There were no Gold Medal Schools
- * There were 3 Silver Medal Schools, 2 of which are Magnet Schools
- * There is one Bronze Medal School, Tornillo High School

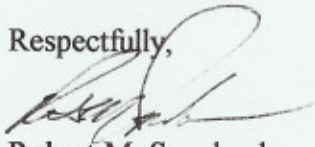
What does this all mean?

- * Fabens High School was selected as one of America's Best High Schools by U. S. News & World Report
- * Fabens High School is one of 504 high schools, out of 21,069 High Schools in America to be recognized as a Silver Medal School
- * Fabens High School is one of 22 high schools in Texas to be selected as a Silver Medal School
- * Fabens High School is one of 3 high schools in El Paso County to be selected as a Silver Medal School, with the other two being Magnet Schools

We are very proud of our staff and students. This recognition is based academic and enrollment data. The AP/IB classes and scores are part of the data collected.

Again, thanks. We are one of the Best High Schools in America, as selected by U. S. News & World Report magazine.

Respectfully,

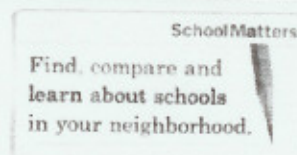


Robert M. Sepulveda

Best High Schools Search - US News and World Report



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Fabens High School

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El Paso County

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College Readiness Index **21.9**

Poverty-Adjusted Performance Index **1.14**

Disadvantaged Students Performance Gap **5.4**

For more information, visit this school on the [SchoolMatters](#) website.

Detailed Information ([methodology](#))

School Data

Grades Served **9-12**

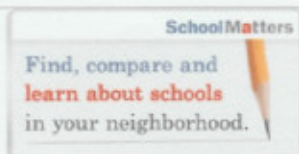
Magnet School **Not Available**



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Bel Air High School El Paso County , El Paso , TX					Silver
Poverty-Adjusted Performance	Disadvantaged Student Performance Gap	College Readiness Index	Minority Enrollment	Disadvantaged Student Enrollment	
1.04	6.2	21.4	96.7%	81.1%	
Fabens High School El Paso County , Fabens , TX					Silver
Poverty-Adjusted Performance	Disadvantaged Student Performance Gap	College Readiness Index	Minority Enrollment	Disadvantaged Student Enrollment	
1.14	5.4	21.9	98.2%	91.8%	
Silva Health Magnet El Paso County , El Paso , TX					Silver
Poverty-Adjusted Performance	Disadvantaged Student Performance Gap	College Readiness Index	Minority Enrollment	Disadvantaged Student Enrollment	
2.77	30.9	34.9	87.3%	56.7%	
Tornillo High School El Paso County , Tornillo , TX					Bronze
Poverty-Adjusted Performance	Disadvantaged Student Performance Gap	College Readiness Index	Minority Enrollment	Disadvantaged Student Enrollment	
1.06	3.4	Not applicable	98.1%	95.1%	

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