

## Additional Public Data

File	Description	Years of Availability
<b>Publicly Available Data (Data to Either Compliment ERC Datasets or Decipher Variables with ERC Data)</b>		
CCD	Common Core of Data (CCD): locale codes developed originally from NCES to describe the location of a school ranging from large city to rural, school addresses are matched against a geographic database kept by the Census Bureau, last revised in 2006 to better coordinate with changes in definitions for "metropolitan" and "nonmetropolitan" areas (i.e., more about the proximity of an address to an urbanized area and less about surrounding population size) – now called "urban-centric locale codes", includes four major categories (e.g., city, suburban, town, and rural) each with three subcategories (e.g., large, midsize, small or fringe, distant, remote), locale codes are assigned to schools/districts based on the percentage of students living in a certain zone (if no single zone accounts for 50% then the major category with the largest percent is assigned and paired with its corresponding smallest subcategory)	1992-2006
FICE	Federal Interagency Committee on Education (FICE) Codes: FICE codes were created by the federal government in the 1960s but have since gone out of use in federal datasets; they have been replaced by the Office of Postsecondary Education ID code (OPEID); Texas still uses FICE codes as a form of institutional ID -- a 2014 glossary of the codes can be found in the reporting manuals and online from THECB; the Texas ERC has worked to turn the information in the reporting manuals into a workable code table for THECB data	
CIP	Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP): a taxonomic scheme to track fields of study and program completion in higher education, last revised in 2010, there are 2-digit, 4-digit, and 6-digit versions which specify more detailed information as digits are added, 2-digit codes indicate a major field of study (e.g., 13-education, 14-engineering, 54-history), 4-digit codes indicates more information if possible or needed as subcategories (e.g., 13.13-teacher education, 14.08-civil engineering, 54.01-history), 6-digit codes indicate the specific program completed (e.g., 13.1323-chemistry teacher education, 14.0803-structural engineering, 54.0106-Asian history); in THECB information Texas adds a seventh and eighth digit as suffixes to better specify diversity of courses and program offerings - these are also considered formula funding codes	1985-2000
SIC	Standard Industrial Classification (SIC): 4-digit code system used to classify industry areas (not occupations); breaks down into major industry group then division with the first two digits signifying the major group; each industry is given a range of SIC codes (e.g., agriculture ranges from 0100-0999 and retail trade is 5200-5999); codes starting with 99 are non-classifiable; an example of a SIC would be 22-major group textile mill products and 2211-industry group broad woven fabric mills-cotton	2014
NAICS	North American Industry Classification System (NAICS): a 6-digit code created to provide more specificity than the SIC codes; the codes provide a taxonomic scheme to organize industries (not occupations); SIC and NAICS major industry codes do not match up number-wise; with changes between years codes have been added and some deleted; an example of NAICS would be 23-major group construction, 236-construction of buildings, 2361-residential building construction, 236118-residential remodelers	1997, 2002, 2007, 2012
Barron's Ratings	Barron's college admissions competitiveness selectivity ratings for 2015 with FICE codes for Texas Public Universities.	2015

**NCES Common Core of Data (CCD):**

[https://nces.ed.gov/ccd/rural\\_locales.asp#tables](https://nces.ed.gov/ccd/rural_locales.asp#tables)

**National List of Federal Interagency Committee on Education (FICE) Codes:**

<https://www.tsbpa.state.tx.us/pdf/files/x0011.pdf>

**THECB FICE Code List:**

<http://www.thecb.state.tx.us/AAR/UndergraduateEd/WorkforceEd/revisions/fice.cfm>

**NCES Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP):**

<https://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/cipcode/Default.aspx?y=55>

**2010 Texas CIP Codes Instructions:**

<http://www.txhighereddata.org/Interactive/CIP/>

**Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Code:**

<https://www.osha.gov/pls/imis/sicsearch.html>

<http://www.stssamples.com/sic-code.asp>

**North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Code:**

<http://www.census.gov/eos/www/naics/>