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Malakoff ISD earns A rating from TEA for 2022 Accountability

Malakoff ISD employees had much to celebrate at Monday morning's convocation when it was revealed that the Texas Education Agency had awarded them a grade of A for their student achievement and accountability measures in the 2021-2022 school year. Superintendent Don Layton told the crowd their hard work and dedication to the children in the district showed as every campus scored either an A or B on their accountability measures.

This is the first time districts and campuses have been rated since COVID-19 wreaked havoc across school systems and caused districts to implement at-home learning programs with little to no training. Today's ratings are significant because it shows students at Malakoff ISD have moved forward in a big way to close those learning gaps caused by the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Texas Education Agency looks at three different pieces of evidence when determining letter grades for districts: Student Achievement, School Progress, and Closing the Gaps. Malakoff ISD scored a 95 in all three areas, thereby receiving a final grade of an A.

Superintendent Layton says, "We are extremely proud of our students and staff and the hard work they put forth this past school year. It has not been easy for them coming out of the COVID-19 pandemic but they dug their heels in and got results for the students of this community".

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