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*DFW College Graduates:
A Closer Look at
Educational Attainment*

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College Graduates in DFW* from 1990 to 2018

Residents** with	1990	2000	2010	2018
Bachelor's Degree	18%	20%	21%	23%
Graduate Degree	8%	9%	10%	12%
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	26%	29%	31%	34%

* DFW includes Collin, Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Hunt, Johnson, Kaufman, Parker, Rockwall, Tarrant, and Wise counties.

** All resident individuals 25 years and over residing in DFW.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau American Communities Survey, 2014-2018 Average.

College Graduates in Largest DFW Cities* from 1990 to 2018: Residents with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher**

	1990	2000	2010	2018
Dallas	27%	28%	29%	32%
Fort Worth	21%	22%	26%	29%
Arlington	30%	30%	29%	29%
Plano	47%	53%	54%	57%
Irving	26%	30%	33%	36%
Garland	24%	22%	22%	23%
Grand Prairie	19%	19%	21%	23%
McKinney	19%	39%	44%	46%
Frisco	22%	50%	58%	63%
Mesquite	18%	18%	19%	18%

* DFW includes Collin, Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Hunt, Johnson, Kaufman, Parker, Rockwall, Tarrant, and Wise counties. Largest cities by total 2018 population.

** All resident individuals 25 years and over whose highest completed degree is a bachelor's, master's, professional, or doctoral degree.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau American Communities Survey, 2014-2018 Average.

College Graduates in Largest DFW Cities* from 1990 to 2018: Residents with a Bachelor's Degree**

	1990	2000	2010	2018
Dallas	18%	18%	18%	20%
Fort Worth	15%	15%	18%	19%
Arlington	22%	22%	20%	20%
Plano	34%	36%	35%	35%
Irving	19%	20%	21%	22%
Garland	18%	16%	15%	16%
Grand Prairie	15%	14%	15%	16%
McKinney	13%	29%	32%	31%
Frisco	18%	37%	41%	39%
Mesquite	13%	13%	13%	12%

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** All resident individuals 25 years and over whose highest completed degree is a bachelor's degree.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau American Communities Survey, 2014-2018 Average.

College Graduates in Largest DFW Cities* from 1990 to 2018: Residents with a Graduate Degree**

	1990	2000	2010	2018
Dallas	9%	10%	10%	12%
Fort Worth	7%	7%	8%	9%
Arlington	8%	9%	9%	10%
Plano	13%	18%	19%	22%
Irving	7%	10%	11%	15%
Garland	7%	6%	6%	7%
Grand Prairie	5%	5%	6%	7%
McKinney	6%	10%	12%	15%
Frisco	4%	12%	17%	25%
Mesquite	5%	6%	6%	6%

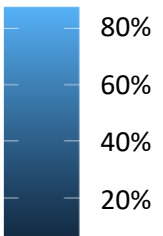
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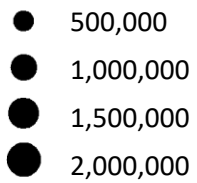
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Texas Educational Attainment, 2018

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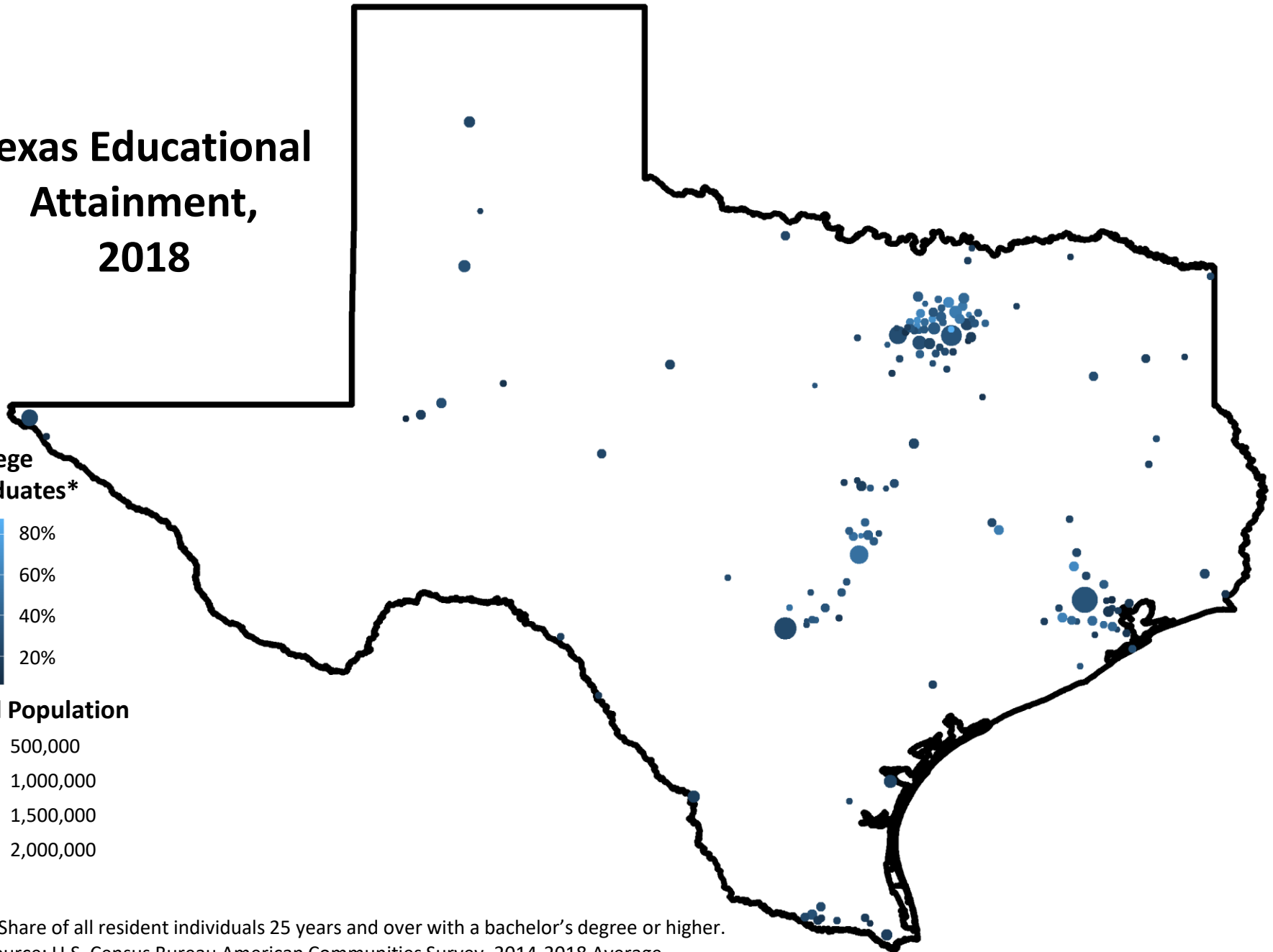


Total Population



* Share of all resident individuals 25 years and over with a bachelor's degree or higher.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau American Communities Survey, 2014-2018 Average.



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