

## DFW Realignment Winners and Losers

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Coaches in Birdville search for non-district opponents after realignment (Photo: Jonathan Rodriguez, 247Sports)

The anticipation, excitement and anxiety of Realignment Day has come to an end.

Live look at Texas. [#UILRealignment](https://twitter.com/djZwB9hQPP)  [pic.twitter.com/djZwB9hQPP](https://pic.twitter.com/djZwB9hQPP)

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See The Old Coach's morning-to-night coverage of UIL Realignment [HERE](#).

The results have been released, leaving some programs feeling relieved and others feeling as though they have received the short end of the stick.

If you're wondering how the [@Abilene\\_Eagles](#)  feel about moving to DFW.

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As some teams have the amount of opposing competition increased or decreased, Realignment Day had its "winners" and its "losers."

Here are just a few observations from the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex.

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## WINNERS

Duncanville - Duncanville is unfortunately out of the highly competitive District 7-6A and placed in a district composed of Dallas ISD and Richardson ISD schools.

Duncanville leaves the district on top as last season's undefeated 7-6A District Champions and can be considered a strong favorite to win in their new district with the competition level not as imposing as the likes of former district foes DeSoto, Cedar Hill and South Grand Prairie.

Duncanville has been divorced from DeSoto and Cedar Hill and they are part of Dallas iSD!

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District 8-6A — [#UILRealignment](#)

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Skyline - [@SKYLINEfb](#) 🏈

White - [@WTWLonghorns](#) 🐾

Duncanville - [@Duncanville\\_Fb](#) 🐾

Richardson - [@RichardsonHS\\_FB](#) 🏈

Berkner - [@BerknerHS](#) 🏈

Lake Highlands - [@LHHS\\_Football](#) 🐾

Pearce - [@PearceFootball](#) 🏈 [pic.twitter.com/2wQFiEYsQ0](http://pic.twitter.com/2wQFiEYsQ0)

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Justin Northwest - Justin Northwest moves on from Aledo and has a great shot of coming out on top of a district that places them against Fort Worth teams that combined for a 22-38 record last season.

Kennedale - Kennedale can be considered a safe bet to run their new district as they too enter a district of Fort Worth area teams that saw the other six teams in their district only muster a combined 10 wins.

## LOSERS:

District 3-6A - Distance is a big factor here with West Texas teams San Angelo Central and Abilene High having to share a district with their DFW Metroplex counterparts in Euless Trinity, Richland, Hurst L.D. Bell, Haltom and Weatherford.

The distance alone between Abilene and San Angelo is an hour & a half and the trek from Abilene to Weatherford is almost two.

Trinity, L.D. Bell, Haltom, and Richland are all within quick distance from one another.

The travel among the schools in this district will be a haul.

District 3-6A — [#UILRealignment](#)

Abilene - [@Abilene\\_Eagles](#)

Haltom - [@HHSBuffNation](#)

SA Central - [@AngryOrangeCats](#)

Weatherford - [@WHSRooFootball](#)

Eules Trinity - [@trinityfootball](#)

Hurst Bell - [@LDBellFootball](#)

Richland - [@Richlandhigh](#) [pic.twitter.com/bNjIL9s5YD](https://pic.twitter.com/bNjIL9s5YD)

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Keller ISD - Keller ISD, which has produced some talented and respectful teams, will now have to share a district with Southlake Carroll and Denton Guyer, who instantly add a different level a play which Keller's four teams will have to try and match.

District 5-6A — [#UILRealignment](#)

Keller - [@kellerindiansfb](#)

Keller Central - [@CHSChargerFB](#)

Fossil Ridge - [@ridgepanthers](#)

Timber Creek - [@TCHSTalon](#)

Byron Nelson - [@BNHSFootball09](#)

Eaton - [@EatonEagleFB](#)

Guyer - [@GHS\\_Wildcats](#)

Carroll - [@SLCDragonFB](#) [pic.twitter.com/et3T57HCKz](https://pic.twitter.com/et3T57HCKz)

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Trimble Tech & YMLA - Unfortunately for these two Fort Worth ISD schools that appeared to be classified as 5A, their requests were denied.

Pitted against stronger Arlington ISD schools to round out a nine team district, it seems as though their work will be cut out for them.

District 4-6A — [#UILRealignment](#)

Paschal - [@PaschalHigh](#)

Arlington - [@ahscoltfootball](#)

Arl Bowie - [@JamesBowieHS](#)

Arl Houston - [@SamHoustonHS](#)

Arl Lamar - [@lamarvikings](#)

Arl Martin - [@martin\\_football](#)

Trimble Tech - [@TTHSBulldogs](#)

YMLA - [@ymlafw](#) [pic.twitter.com/8Kx6mV7Bkg](https://pic.twitter.com/8Kx6mV7Bkg)

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Dallas ISD - For the Dallas ISD teams in District 6-5A, it will be a daunting task going up against the likes of Highland Park, Lancaster, Mansfield Timberview, and Mansfield Legacy.

I imagine the Dallas ISD teams in that district are not happy about that realignment.

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