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TEXES™ PPR EC-12 (160)

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REA's TExES PPR EC-12 (160) Test Prep with Online Practice Tests Gets You Certified and in the Classroom! Nationwide, more than 4 million teachers will be needed over the next decade, and all must take appropriate tests to be licensed. REA gets you ready for your teaching career with our outstanding library of Teacher Certification test preps. Our test prep is designed to help teacher candidates master the information on the TExES PPR EC-12 (160) exam and get certified to teach in Texas. It's perfect for college students, teachers, and career-changing professionals who are looking to become Texas Early Childhood through Grade 12 teachers. Written by a leading specialist in teacher education, our complete study package contains an in-depth review of all four state-defined domains and the 13 competencies, including discussions of key educational concepts, theories, and laws. A diagnostic test and two full-length practice tests are offered online in a timed format with instant scoring, diagnostic feedback, and detailed explanations of answers. Each test features every type of question, subject area, and skill you need to know for the exam. Our online practice tests replicate the TExES question format, allowing you to assess your skills and gauge your test-readiness. The online tests at REA's Study Center offer the most powerful scoring and diagnostic tools available today. Automatic scoring and instant reports help you zero in on the topics and types of questions that give you trouble now, so you'll succeed when it counts. Every practice exam comes with detailed feedback on every question. We don't just say which answers are right - we explain why the other answer choices are wrong - so you'll be prepared on test day. The book includes the same two practice tests that are offered online, but without the added benefits of detailed scoring analysis and diagnostic feedback. This complete test prep package comes with a customized study schedule and REA's test-taking strategies and tips. This test prep is a must-have for anyone who wants to teach EC-12 in Texas!

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Customer Reviews

52 days after Ronald Reagan left office, I took the National Teachers Exam in another state. I aced it. And I took those great scores and taught for a few years. Then I had a baby, and I quit teaching to stay home with her. We moved to Texas, and I decided that I wouldn't take the TExES quite yet. After all, I was going to be a stay-at-home mom for a while. I put the test off and made the decision to take it later. And then I had another baby, and another baby. "Take the TExES later on," I kept telling myself. "You can always do it down the road. After all, you don't even know if you'll ever go back to teaching." So I didn't. I focused on my kids and was quite happy living the June Cleaver life. As previously noted, I had taken the NTE in the very early days of the first Bush administration. And as I lived my happy at-home life, time passed. All the way through the Clinton administration and through the next Bush administration and through the first Obama term, I was blissful in my life at home, centered around my family. I piled my kids into the minivan and drove them to music lessons and to ball practice and to driver's ed. This was what I wanted to do. I could teach other people's kids later on; this was the only shot I had with my own. And time passed and babies grew and suddenly it was the spring of 2015 and Mr. Obama was well into his second term. I looked around and realized that my youngest baby was getting ready to enter high school. "Oh, my," I said to myself. "That happened quickly. Maybe you should see about taking the TExES." I told myself that was a great idea.

Pros: I tried this book to prepare for the TExES PPR EC-12 and passed on the first try. This TExES Professional Pedagogy and Professional Responsibilities study guide provides a thorough review. It covers most of the main topics you would expect on this exam. There were a few areas that I feel it could have been augmented more on. Therefore, I had to find other books to complement my preparation. There needs to be more TExES PPR practice tests that very closely reflect the real test in this guide, but there are some so can't complain too much. One area that could be improved is proper categorization for ELL levels per the official website info. The book is organized into the domains into the content tested. It has vocabulary terms in all sections. Cons: The guide provides

online access to a practice test. However, the test can only be used once. It seemed strange I was only able to use the practice questions once and then was barred from reviewing them again. Huuh? I was told I would have to buy the book and the test each time I wanted to see the practice questions. A little silly. As many complained here, chapters 6, 7, and 8 were missing. It appears a section from an AP Spanish was inserted instead of the PPR material any Texas teacher candidate would expect. I discovered pages 69 - 100 missing. This where pages from another book called "AP Spanish Language and Culture" was inserted. This is a publishing error which I just noticed. I don't have chapters 5, 6, 7 or 8 because apparently there was a misprint and there are chapters on Advanced Placement High School Spanish instead. I got a 277 on the actual PPR EC-12 test.

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