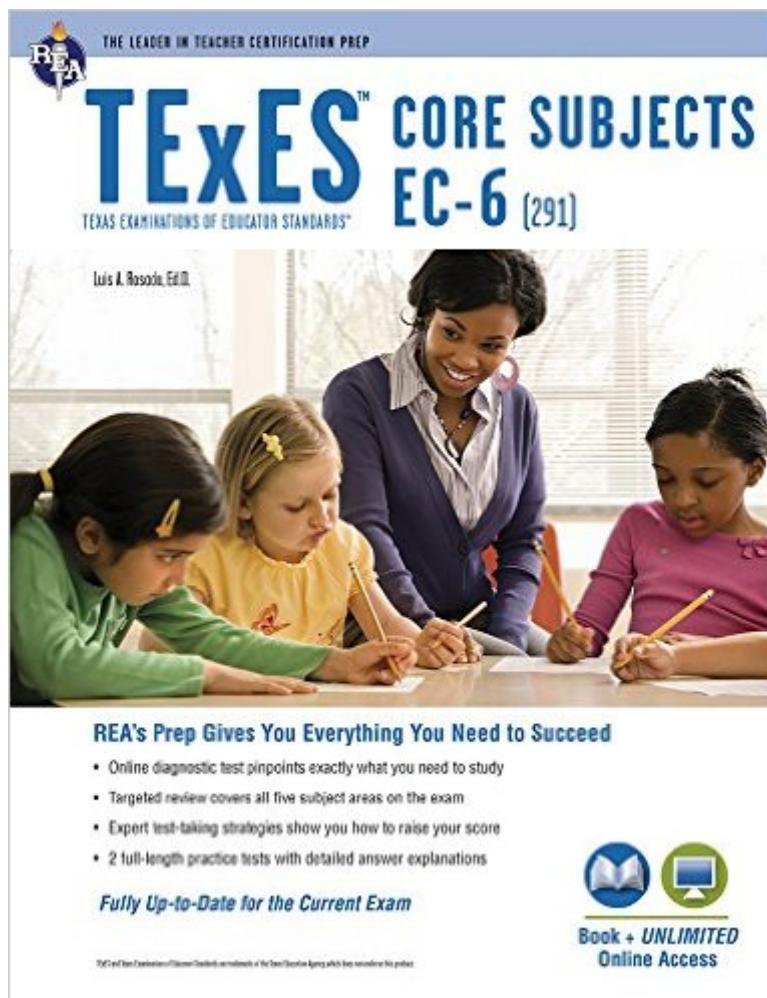


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# TExES Core Subjects EC-6 (291) Book + Online (TExES Teacher Certification Test Prep)



## Synopsis

REA's TExES Core Subjects EC-6 (291) Test Prep with Online Practice Tests Gets You Certified and in the Classroom! Texas teacher candidates seeking a generalist certificate for early childhood and elementary school are required to take the TExES Core Subjects EC-6 (291) test. REA's all-new test prep offers extensive coverage of the five subject areas assessed on the Core Subjects EC-6 exam:<sup>\*</sup> English Language Arts and Reading & the Science of Teaching Reading (801)<sup>\*</sup> Mathematics (802)<sup>\*</sup> Social Studies (803)<sup>\*</sup> Science (804)<sup>\*</sup> Fine Arts, Health and Physical Education (805) The Core Subjects (291) test was launched in January 2015; it replaced the TExES Generalist (191) test. Whether you are a traditional college student or a career-changing professional, REA's TExES Core Subjects EC-6 (291) with Online Practice Tests is designed to help you pass the test so you can get certified and start your teaching career. Written by a team of noted teaching experts led by award-winning Texas-based author Dr. Luis Rosado, this test prep is relevant, up-to-date, and practical. This is focused prep custom-built for the TExES Core Subjects exam EC-6, with the right blend of review and practice content. The book contains five targeted subject reviews that align with each Core Subjects subtest. To help set your study path and boost your confidence, we provide an online diagnostic test plus two full-length practice exams (one in the book and one online at the REA Study Center). Spanning more than 600 questions, the tests cover every domain and competency. In addition, computerized testing at the REA Study Center comes with automatic timing and scoring, as well as diagnostic feedback on every question to help you zero in on the topics that give you trouble now, so you can succeed on test day. REA's TExES Subjects EC-6 (291) is a must-have for anyone who wants to teach early childhood and elementary school.

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## Customer Reviews

I waited until I took my test and got the scores before posting this review. Let me start by saying that I'm a good test-taker. There are some logic and reasoning skills needed to pass the test for sure. I ordered the book and studied it almost constantly for three or four weeks. The diagnostic exams were alright, but after taking a full length exam, I recognized there were other things I needed to work on. I read almost the whole book through. I will tell you that the Fine Arts section of REA is harder than the actual test. You'll mostly just need common knowledge about art and brush up on your basic Health/PE knowledge and skills. I can't sing, paint, draw, play an instrument, or run for more than 60 seconds at a time but I managed a 280/300 on that section. ELA is hard. I recommend using flashcards from Quizlet as a supplement (Google it) in addition to the book. The book is great! (272/300 score) Math is my subject so I really didn't use the section and when I did I will tell you this right now - THERE ARE BAD QUESTIONS ON THE MATH SECTION OF THE ONLINE EXAM. The one about finding the median and the median ends up being a fraction is a terrible question. The state isn't trying to trick us. (287/300 score) The information in the social studies section was especially helpful to me. Brush up on some knowledge about the amendments and structure of the Constitution. (284/300 score) Science and I have a love/hate relationship. The material in the REA book just scratched the surface on a lot of things. I passed with a 272/300 though. Definitely use a supplement (like reviewing the TEKS. lead4ward is a good site for breaking down the TEKS.) (278/300) Overall, I think you should trust your instincts above all else and use the TEKS as a supplement on all subjects. REA is a FABULOUS resource to direct your studying. Take as much time as you can to study and find new sources of information. GOOD LUCK!

First of all, I am glad this book is sold through Prime because is the BEST. I am forever loyal. I had ordered the TExES Generalist EC-6 191 book on March 14, only to find out that this book was realized 10 days later. When I ordered, there was nothing that said this, so I was pretty frustrated. The book was delivered to a US address but when I realized my mistake, I had it with me in Spain, where I'll be through the summer. I asked customer service if it was possible to return it, and they said there was no point in returning it from Spain, so I donated the book and ordered the 291 book. I got a refund for the 191 book AND covered the shipping charges to have the 291 book shipped to me

in Spain. Thank you so much, !!!The book itself is excellent. First of all it's HUGE. So. much. content. But, it's really helpful. The book recommends that you start with the diagnostic test. I'm so happy that I did. It turns out, I don't have as much studying as I thought. What a relief! The diagnostic test helps you know your weakest points, so that you can study those and improve your score. I like this strategy because to try and study everything in the book would be so difficult! It really is so much information. The book also has great study tips, and breaks down the information in an easy format. Plus, it comes with practice exams that you can take in the book or online. I will take mine online because it simulates how it will be on test day because the test is an online test. Anyways, this is the only book you need to study for the exam. It has everything you'd and is totally worth the money.

This book was seriously amazing. It explained things SO well. I had three books that I was using to study for this test and this one was by far the best. I took the practice tests online and they were also the most like the actual test. I would recommend this book to anyone. Because of this book, I also bought REA books for the ESL test as well as PPR. I will keep this book as a resource while I am teaching.

I'm in an alternative program and felt this book fit the bill perfectly. I scheduled out two days to read, make note cards, and review each of the five core subjects. From there, I reviewed the cards daily maybe twice. I took the practice tests by answering each question and checking before moving to the next. In all, I spent about a month studying. I'd taken the test twice before without passing and had studied only the info available on the TEA and ETS sites. I passed with high marks this go round. Practice tests are true to actual test formatting.

Very comprehensive, and thorough! I studied for the exam intensely for about a week, did the online practice tests, and passed the 291 on the first try. I'm now studying for the SPED, then I'll take the ESL exam. I'll be using the REA books to study for these exams as well.

Though I did not completely pass all the subjects, I at least 4 out of 5 subjects. I have an out-of-country certificate so I was sort of having a hard time with the Social Studies part of the exam. The book is easy to understand and the online practice test helped me a lot to feel more comfortable and confident in taking the exam. I'm taking the Social Studies this month and hopefully I'll be able to nail it this time. I also purchased their Pedagogy EC thru 6 book and I passed the

exam.

This study guide was exactly what I needed. It was thorough, very well organized, and most importantly very easy to read. I followed the study guidance that is listed at the front of the guide. This means, I used the study guide every day until I read through all of it. Along the way I made notes, which I then turned into flash cards (VERY IMPORTANT). I also utilized both the diagnostic and practice tests. These were extremely helpful. Although this was not all I used to study, it was instrumental in my process. In addition to my flash cards and the practice tests I used several other sources to study. I think the culmination of all is what helped me pass on my first attempt. My other sources were the TExES site [...] preparation manual and practice questions as well as the free T-CERT site [...] I hope this information is helpful. I studied every day and used my flash cards the last week of study. Best of luck!

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