TX PACT (Pre-Admission Content Test) Registration for Alternative Certification Program (ACP) Applicants

How Do I Register?

TX PACT Registration: Applicants must pass a Pre-Admission Content Test (PACT) as part of the admission process BEFORE being accepted into the Alternative Certification Program (ACP). Applicants will register to take a Pre-Admission Content Test (PACT) and do not need approval from the university. (The PACT is not a different test, just a different way that ACP students use to register for a content test.)

PACT (Pre-Admission Content Test) Registration: It is very important to follow these steps exactly.

1. View tutorial on registration: [http://www.tx.nesinc.com/content/docs/TX_AccountRegisterSchedule.pdf](http://www.tx.nesinc.com/content/docs/TX_AccountRegisterSchedule.pdf)
   Pay special attention to the yellow block under TEA ID Number.
2. Go to [http://www.tx.nesinc.com](http://www.tx.nesinc.com)
3. Click on “Register”
4. Very Important – During registration process, select “No TEA ID” and you will be provided one.
5. Enter required data for account registration
6. You will be issued a TEA Number and Pearson login username/password during this process. Please make note of this as you will need this information many times in the future.
7. Select “Register for a Test.” (Do NOT apply for certification at this time. You must be admitted to our program and secure employment as teacher of record prior to applying for certification.) The PACT for Core Subjects: EC-6 is the TX PACT: Essential Academic Skills (700).
8. If you are told no tests are approved for you, contact Pearson for assistance. Inform them you were trying to register for the PACT, that you have a bachelor’s degree and have NOT been admitted to an educator preparation program.

Contact Pearson if you need additional assistance in registering.

EC-12 PPR Test Registration: Must be admitted into the Alternative Certification Program, have completed ED 506 and ED 508, and attended a TExES Preparation Session in the first semester of the program to receive approval to register. PPR should be successfully taken by December

2. Scroll down, then click on “Go to Login” in blue box.
3. Enter Username and Password. Follow Prompts and register for test.

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