**How to Decide the Route for your Content Exam and Formal Acceptance into the Lone Star Colleges ATCP:**

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| **Option 1 Exams – Content Only Assessment*** **Exam is for Program Admission only**
* **Complete all Application Requirements**
* **Take and pass the TX PACT Exam**
* **Formal Acceptance will be pending the Interview and Orientation**
* **If Accepted into the program, begin coursework & 30 hrs of Field Experience**
* **Take and pass the Option 2 Exams - Content and Pedagogy Exam (program will grant permissions for the exam)**
* **Preparation plan will be discussed, if the Content or Pedagogy Exam is not passed**
 | **Option 2 Exam - Content and Pedagogy Exam*** **LSC ATCP office will review official transcript**
* **Requirement of a 3.5 GPA for the content exam classes (i.e. 3.5 GPA for 24 hours of Math classes, if wanting to teach Math) from your college transcript**
* **Complete all Application Requirements**
* **Formal Acceptance will be pending the Interview and Orientation**
* **If Accepted into the program, begin coursework & 30 hrs of Field Experience**
* **Take and pass the Option 2 Exam - Content and Pedagogy Exam (program will grant permissions for the exam)**
* **Preparation plan will be discussed, if the Content or Pedagogy Exam is not passed**
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PACT candidates will take a new series of exams beginning January 27, 2020. Registration and appointment scheduling for these new PACT exams will open January 21, 2020. PACT candidates testing between now and January 26, 2020, should review the exam information and preparation materials for the TExES exams.

**Option 1 Exams – Content Only Assessment (Program Admission only exam)**

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| 778 TX PACT: Art: Early Childhood–Grade 12 |
| 740 TX PACT: Chemistry: Grades 7–12 |
| 741 TX PACT: Computer Science: Grades 8–12 |
| 790 TX PACT: Core Subjects: Grades 4–8 |
| 779 TX PACT: Dance: Grades 6–12 |
| 717 TX PACT: English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 4–8 |
| 731 TX PACT: English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 7–12 |
| 700 TX PACT: Essential Academic Skills (Used for Core Subjects EC-6) |
| 721 TX PACT: Family and Consumer Sciences |
| 757 TX PACT: Health: Early Childhood–Grade 12 |
| 733 TX PACT: History: Grades 7–12 |
| 756 TX PACT: Journalism: Grades 7–12 |
| 738 TX PACT: Life Science: Grades 7–12 |
| 714 TX PACT: LOTE Chinese: Early Childhood–Grade 12 |
| 710 TX PACT: LOTE French: Early Childhood–Grade 12 |
| 713 TX PACT: LOTE Spanish: Early Childhood–Grade 12 |
| 715 TX PACT: Mathematics: Grades 4–8 |
| 735 TX PACT: Mathematics: Grades 7–12 |
| 777 TX PACT: Music: Early Childhood–Grade 12 |
| 758 TX PACT: Physical Education: Early Childhood–Grade 12 |
| 737 TX PACT: Physical Science: Grades 6–12 |
| 739 TX PACT: Physics: Grades 7–12 |
| 716 TX PACT: Science: Grades 4–8 |
| 736 TX PACT: Science: Grades 7–12 |
| 718 TX PACT: Social Studies: Grades 4–8 |
| 732 TX PACT: Social Studies: Grades 7–12 |
| 729 TX PACT: Speech: Grades 7–12 |
| 771 TX PACT: Technology Education: Grades 6–12 |
| 780 TX PACT: Theatre: Early Childhood–Grade 12 |

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| **293 Science of Teaching Reading Exam Requirements Starting 1/1/2021 for Intern, Probationary and Standard Certifications** | EC-6 Core Certification4 – 8 Core Certification4-8 ELAR Certification4-8 ELAR/SS Certification |

**Option 2 Exams – Content and Pedagogy Exam (Required for Certification)**

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| 178 Art EC–12 | 275 Marketing 6–12 (3) |
| 164 Bilingual Education Supplemental (1) | 115 Mathematics 4–8 |
| 190 Bilingual Target Language Proficiency Test  (BTLPT) Spanish (1)  | 235 Mathematics 7–12 |
| 240 Chemistry 7–12 | 274 Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering 6–12 |
| 241 Computer Science 8–12 | 114 Mathematics/Science 4–8 |
| 211 Core Subjects 4–8 | 177 Music EC–12 |
| 291 Core Subjects EC–6 | 160 Pedagogy and Professional Responsibilities EC–12 (1) |
| 279 Dance 6–12 | 270 Pedagogy and Professional Responsibilities for Trade  and Industrial Education 6–12 (1) ( 2) |
| 154 English as a Second Language Supplemental (1) | 158 Physical Education EC–12 |
| 117 English Language Arts and Reading 4–8 | 237 Physical Science 6–12 |
| 231 English Language Arts and Reading 7–12 | 243 Physics/Mathematics 7–12 |
| 113 English Language Arts and Reading/Social  Studies 4–8 | 116 Science 4–8 |
| 157 Health EC–12 | 236 Science 7–12 |
| 273 Health Science 6–12 (2) | 118 Social Studies 4–8 |
| 233 History 7–12 | 232 Social Studies 7–12 |
| 256 Journalism 7–12 | 161 Special Education EC–12 (1) |
|  Languages Other Than English (LOTE) Chinese (4) | 129 Speech 7–12 |
| 610 Languages Other Than English (LOTE) French | 171 Technology Education 6–12 |
| 613 Languages Other Than English (LOTE) Spanish | 180 Theatre EC–12 |
| 238 Life Science 7–12 |  |
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| **Family Consumer Science** |  |
| 200 AAFCS Family and Consumer Sciences, Composite | 201 AAFCS Hospitality, Nutrition, and Food Science |
| 202 AAFCS Human Development and Family Studies |  |

(1) Take and passing preparation coursework will be required before program permissions will be given for the exam

(2) Work experience, Statement of Qualifications, and Licensure is required for this certification

(3) Work experience and Statement of Qualifications is required for this certification

(4) Special Permission needed for this exam

**Preparation and Registration for the required exams:** <http://www.tx.nesinc.com/Home.aspx>