



HOMESCHOOL QUICK REFERENCE

Can I homeschool my child?

- Yes. You can homeschool without a teaching degree or license. Provide real instruction using written or visual learning materials. Attendance generally applies from 6 to under 19, subject to graduation and other exceptions.

Can I choose what to teach?

- Choose or create your curriculum. Include reading, spelling, grammar, math, and good citizenship. Books, printable lessons, and online materials can be used.

Can I choose my schedule?

- You choose your days and hours. Texas does not set a homeschool calendar minimum.

How do I get started?

- Begin teaching. TEA does not require homeschool registration or approval. If your child is enrolled, send a signed, dated withdrawal letter stating when homeschooling begins.

Is testing required?

- No state-required annual STAAR test, portfolio review, or academic report for ordinary homeschooling. You may choose your own progress checks.

How Faith Schooling Makes It Easier

- [Faith Readers](#) supports K–5 reading and phonics; [Grammar Garden](#) supports language and writing; [Building Number Sense](#) provides K–5 mathematics.
- These programs support reading, spelling practice, grammar, writing, and math. Add good-citizenship instruction. [HARVEST](#) offers an optional reading placement check, and the [Homeschool Rhythm Builder](#) helps shape your week.

Official sources — click the underlined links

[Official homeschool guidance](#)

[Texas homeschool instruction and materials](#)



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