



## To the Administrator Addressed


teacher priorities. While not all authorized providers are required to offer these new pathways, a list of authorized providers that have confirmed their intent to offer STR pathways in 2022-2023 is available at <https://tea.texas.gov/academics/early-childhood-education/reading/hb-3-reading-academies>. Select "More flexible" under "Year 3 Updates."

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Participants with extenuating circumstances will continue to have additional time to complete academies. Administrators should contact their authorized provider for additional information specific to a participant's situation. The current list of Reading Academies Authorized Providers is located [here](#).

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: Districts and charter schools that wish to request a waiver of Texas Reading Academies for mathematics teachers who have passed the STR exam can do so through [this application](#) now. Districts and charter schools will need to provide basic information in the application, a screenshot showing the teacher's STR certification, and an assurance that the teacher will only teach mathematics in the 2022-23 school year.

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Some content has been made optional. For example, Module 3 content is now optional. This streamlined content is now live for all Year 3 pathways and all cohorts.

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This change has taken place, allowing cohort leaders to dedicate their time to support teachers as they complete the Texas Reading Academies.

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Districts and charter schools can now verify reading academies completion on the TEA website at <https://tea.texas.gov/reading-academies-search>

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If you have questions regarding requirements or implementation options related to the reading academies, please submit them to the [Support Portal](#) for assistance.