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We take great notes--and make learning a snap

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This little book provides an excellent overview of the many aspects of Earth Science. After studying this book for a month, I was able to pass the Praxis II Earth Science Content Knowledge Test on the first try, even though I have never taken a course in geology, astronomy, or oceanography. It is easily understandable and succinct, with good diagrams and illustrations and useful review questions.

I never ever ever write reviews for items. But I love love love this book!!! I was really nervous to take my Earth and Space Science Praxis 2 exams. I ordered this book because I saw another good review. It was really cheap so I thought that I would give it a try. I studied and read this book for month before my exam and I passed it my first time with flying colors. Very very helpful it doesn't waste you time with material you really don't need to know. Get this book if you are nervous about taking your test it will help you!!

No especially in-depth, or comprehensive-- it's Cliffs Notes, after all-- but written fairly well, with good, simple visuals. Has chapter review questions, and a summary test at the end. Quite useful for someone who's already done the bulk of their studying, or is just starting out and needs to familiarize themselves with the basic terms and concepts. For the money, especially, I like it, but wouldn't use it as primary study material for the new Indiana CORE exams. Survey level textbooks are your best bet. You can affordably purchase slightly older editions for not much money. This Quick Review, however, is a decent value.

I purchased this book because I took an earth science class. It was incredibly useful. It enhanced and clarified the information taught in the class. Because I did not have a regular textbook in the class, this book proved to be an invaluable resource for me. Without it, I would not have done as well as I did. I would highly recommend this book for a basic earth science class in high school or the college level. [CliffsQuickReview Earth Science](#)

I used this book to review for the Praxis exam. It was a great review since I haven't taken much coursework recently, and I was relying more on what I've picked up while teaching. Overall, it was an effective tool for a quick review, however the exam does cover more vocabulary than this book included. There are a few sections that also get into the fact that we need to take care of Earth better, which (although important) don't really help for reviewing purposes.

Was more similar to the Earth and science praxis test then the a actual praxis test review book i bought. The charts and graphs inside are the same ones i saw on the exam

This is an excellent review. It is well organized. Its chapters coincide with chapters in any Earth Science book. Whether you never have had a course in earth science or you want to review the main ideas Cliffs has been the best review guide for many decades. The bookseller was prompt and

the book arrived quickly and in good condition.

Great book!! The book covers all the basic elements of earth and space science!! This book helped me a great deal on the Praxis II test!

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