

TEAS-V New Entrance Exam for Nursing Applicants

The Test of Essential Academic Skills, Version Five (TEAS-V) measures basic essential skills in the academic content areas of reading, mathematics, science, and English and language usage.

Guidelines for TEAS-V Testing:

- Total time available to test: 209 minutes (3 hours and 29 minutes) ***NO breaks allowed**
- Number of Test Questions: 170
- Points Possible: 150
 - **Reading:** 58 minutes/ 48 questions
 - **Math:** 51 minutes/ 34 questions
 - **Science:** 66 minutes/ 54 questions
 - **English and Language:** 34 minutes/ 34 questions

Preparing for the TEAS-V:

The *Study Manual for the Test of Essential Academic Skills, Version Five* is available for purchase at www.atitesting.com. The study manual is also available for purchase in the Barnes and Noble bookstore on the SUSCC Opelika campus.

The following items are also available for purchase at www.atitesting.com:

- Learning strategies
- TEAS Pre-Test Study Manual
- TEAS online practice assessments
- TEAS transcripts

Scoring on the TEAS-V is utilized in the nursing entry process as points based on the percentage score equivalent. There is no minimum score required on the TEAS-V, but a higher score produces a higher point total for nursing entry.

Total points possible for nursing entry: ADN/250 and PN/220

Cost of the TEAS-V test is \$50.00. This fee must be paid in advance online by debit or credit card at www.atitesting.com.

Registering for the TEAS-V:

- Log on to www.atitesting.com
- Click on “Register for TEAS” at the bottom right corner of your screen.
- After completing the registration process, testers will be required to create a user account if they do not already have one prior to purchasing the test session.

Taking the TEAS-V:

- Arrive 30 minutes early to the test site
- Present two forms of ID (One must be a government –issued photo ID)
- Provide ATI username and password (www.atitesting.com: assigned when registering/paying for the exam)
- No calculators allowed
- Schedule four hours to complete the exam ***NO breaks allowed**
- **Late arrivals will not be allowed to test and will therefore forfeit the testing fee.**

Please Note:

- ATI assesses a \$20.00 fee to transfer a TEAS-V score to a location other than your original test site.
- Missed exams are non-refundable; however, you may change a test date by contacting ATI at least 48 hours in advance of your originally scheduled testing date.
- TEAS-V is good for three years.
- Students must wait at least six weeks before testing again.
- **No student may test more than twice within a three-year period.**
- **Proof of TEAS-V score must be attached to nursing applications.**

SUSCC TEAS-V Tests, Test Dates, Test times, and Registration Deadlines:

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Registration Deadlines:

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| January 9 (1:30-5:30 p.m.)..... | January 8 |
| January 23 (8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.)..... | January 22 |
| February 6 (1:30-5:30 p.m.)..... | February 5 |
| February 20 (1:30-5:30 p.m.)..... | February 19 |
| March 5 (8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.)..... | March 4 |
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| March 19 (8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.)..... | March 18 (test in TB1) |
| March 19 (1:30-5:30 p.m.)..... | March 18 (test in TB1) |
| March 26 (8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.)..... | March 25 (test in TB1) |
| March 26 (1:30-5:30 p.m.)..... | March 25 (test in TB1) |
| April 2(8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.)..... | April 1 |
| April 2 (1:30-5:30 p.m.)..... | April 1 |
| April 9 (8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.)..... | April 8 |
| April 9 (1:30-5:30 p.m.)..... | April 8 |