

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 area of reading, mathematics, science, 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 & Language – 34 minutes / 34 questions

Preparing for the TEAS-V

Study Manual For The Test of Essential Academic Skills Version Five is available for purchase at the WSCC Bookstore for an approximate cost of \$55.00.

The following items are 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. Example: Score achieved on TEAS-V is 80%; 120 points awarded toward nursing entry.

Total points possible for nursing entry: AD / 251 and PN / 221

Cost of the TEAS-V test is \$40.00. This fee **must be paid in advance online** by debit or credit card at www.atitesting.com.

Taking the TEAS-V

- ✓ Arrive 30 minutes early to the test site
- ✓ Present two forms of ID (One must be government issued picture ID, i.e., Driver's License or Passport)
- ✓ Provide ATI Username and Password (www.atitesting.com – assigned when registering/paying for exam)
- ✓ TEAS-V at WSCC-Hanceville is a computerized test
- ✓ No calculators allowed
- ✓ Schedule four hours to complete the exam – *NO breaks allowed*
- ✓ Late arrivals will not be allowed to test and therefore, will forfeit his/her testing fee

Please Note

- ✓ ATI assesses a \$22.00 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.
- ✓ TEAS-V may only be taken twice per admission cycle. The student must wait at least six-weeks after the first exam to retest.
- ✓ **Proof of TEAS-V Score must be attached to nursing application.**