

ATI Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS)

Students who plan on applying to Monroe County Community College's Associate of Applied Science Degree in Nursing program are required to complete a ATI TEAS nursing entrance exam. In order to be eligible to apply to the program, students must achieve a minimum overall score ("Adjusted Individual Total Score") of 60 on the ATI TEAS exam; ATI TEAS V results will no longer be accepted. Students will have three (3) attempts to meet the minimum overall score; the test attempt with the highest overall score will be used to determine eligibility for consideration for admission to the program and to calculate points earned in the Nursing Program Selection Criteria.

The ATI TEAS is a standardized test that measures four content areas including math, reading, English, and science. Content area breakdowns for the ATI TEAS are provided below:

Content Area	% of overall exam	Sub content Areas	
Math	22%	Numbers and Algebra	
		Measurement & Data	
Reading		Key Ideas and Details	
	31%	Craft & Structure	
		Integration of Knowledge & Ideas	
English and Language Usage	16%	Conventions of Standard English	
		Knowledge of Language	
		Vocabulary Acquisition	
Science	31%	Human Anatomy & Physiology	
		Life & Physical Sciences	
		Scientific Reasoning	

ATI TEAS:

TEAS PREPARATORY RESOURCES

It is recommended that students review and prepare to take the TEAS exam to maximize their overall and content area scores. Individuals may contact ATI (Assessment Technologies Institute) by visiting https://www.atitesting.com/ati_store/ or by calling toll free at 1-800-667-7531 for more information on review materials. Study resources are produced and organized by the same developers of the TEAS assessments. The following review materials are available for purchase through their online store:

- o TEAS Study Guides
- Online TEAS Practice Tests
- o TEAS Study Packages: Includes the Study Manual and TEAS Online Practice Assessments
- Learning Strategies Book

PRICING

The cost of the ATI TEAS proctored test is \$95 (price is subject to change). This includes a testing fee, a scheduling fee, and a proctoring fee. The fee for a retake exam is also \$95. Payment is due at the time of registration.

CREATING AN ATI ACCOUNT & SCHEDULING AN EXAM

- All students preparing to take the ATI TEAS test must create an ATI account prior to their scheduled test date. Students may create an account by visiting ATI's website at <u>www.atitesting.com</u> and selecting the "Create an Account" tab; follow the instructions on the screen.
- Account creation will require a username, password, contact information, etc. You will also be asked to provide student information. Students will be asked to select a particular school. Please select <u>"Monroe County CC ADN"</u>. Students only need to fill in the areas highlighted in blue and are encouraged to leave the "Non-degree seeking" box checked.
- 3. After creating an account, log in, and click on the "Online Store" tab located in the top righthand corner of the webpage to register for the TEAS.
- 4. Once in the online store, click on select "TEAS" located in the left hand column under "Register for..."
- 5. On the next screen, you will need to select the state and city, and will then have the option to select a testing time and location. Students who plan on applying to the nursing program at MCCC are encouraged to select a testing time at MCCC. This will prevent the student from having to transfer in ATI transcripts if taken at another testing site.
- 6. There is a testing fee required to finish registration.
- 7. After purchase, you will receive detailed instruction of where to go, the time of testing, and expectations of what to bring on the day of your assessment. Be sure to fulfill these expectations or you will not be able to test at your scheduled time.

Students only need to register with ATI once. Students will need to bring their user name and password along with a picture ID to the testing center on the day of their scheduled test. Students will <u>NOT</u> be allowed to take the test without a reservation. Registration is limited to 20 persons per session.

Students should schedule their testing date early enough to allow time for a retake of the test, if desired or necessary.

DISABILITY ACCOMODATIONS: Students who wish to utilize disability accommodations must have already met with MCCC's Disability Services in the Learning Assistance Lab (734-384-4167). If you have testing accommodations through the office for Disability Services, it is important that you contact MCCC's Regional Computer Technology Center at 734-384-4144 <u>before</u> you schedule your TEAS test to be sure that the necessary accommodations can be provided on the day you plan to take your test.

ON THE DAY OF TESTING

Students must report to the Regional Computer Technology Center<u>at least 15 minutes prior to his/her</u> <u>scheduled testing time</u>. Students that fail to arrive prior to their reservation time will not be permitted to test; **no late entries will be allowed**.

• Individuals must present a valid photo ID and their ATI username and password. **Students** without a valid photo ID will NOT be allowed to test.

- A calculator is embedded within the ATI TEAS exam offered after August 31, 2016
- There are 170 four-option, multiple-choice questions
- There is a 209 minute (3 hours and 28 minute) time limit to complete the test
- Scratch paper will be provided by the testing center
- Test results are available 48 hours after completion of the test
- Cell phones and other personal items are NOT permitted in the testing center. MCCC is not responsible for lost or stolen items.

REMOTE TESTING

When necessary, some ATI TEAS tests will be offered remotely using a remote proctoring platform utilized by ATI called Proctorio. This remote service will allow students to take the ATI TEAS at home or wherever they may be. The platform uses secure exam settings and technology including video, audio, and screen recording designed to maintain the integrity of the assessment and ensure uncompromised exam results. Testing dates offered remotely by MCCC will be indicated on the list of available dates under the "Location" heading. Minimum technical requirements to participate in remote testing include the following:

- Microphone: Any microphone, either internal or external
- Webcam: 320 x 240 VGA resolution (minimum) internal or external
- Desktop or laptop computer with the ability to download Google Chrome. Remote proctoring is not compatible and cannot be used with iPads, tablets, or smartphones.

To ensure the best possible experience on the TEAS testing day, a *dry run session* will be required prior to the test date to ensure the student's technology is adequate and working appropriately. More information on the dry run session will be sent to students via the e-mail provided by ATI when registering for the TEAS test.

REFUND/RESCHEDULE POLICY

ATI has a no refund or reschedule policy for Online Registration purchases. Students are encouraged to consider all scheduling options prior to finalizing registration for a particular testing date, time, or location. In the event of an emergency, registrants will need to contact ATI directly to discuss a refund or reschedule.

TEST RESULTS

Students will receive a print out of the results once they have completed the TEAS. A minimum overall score ("Adjusted Individual Total Score") of 60 is required to apply to the RN program. Points are awarded to students through selective admission criteria for achievement in overall score and in the science content area (TEAS Science). Please see the *Selective Criteria: Point System* information available through the Admission's Office or by visiting

http://www.monroeccc.edu/health_sciences/nursing/index.htm.

OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS

If the TEAS test is taken at MCCC, the student <u>does not</u> have to request an official ATI transcript. The official results will be forwarded to the Admission's Office. If the TEAS test is taken at another college or institution, the student MUST submit official ATI transcripts. **Transcripts are sent electronically once requested by the student and payment is received by ATI**. Transcripts <u>must be sent directly</u> to the Admission's Office at MCCC. Transcripts can be ordered by visiting the ATI Online Store at <u>www.atitesting.com</u>. Students wishing to forward transcripts to a nursing program at another college or university may be able to do so by visiting the ATI Online Store. Students should check with the

receiving institution for rules and requirements. MCCC will NOT forward student transcripts to another institution.

MCCC Admission's Office 1555 S. Raisinville Rd Monroe, MI 48161 734-242-7300 734-242-9711 (FAX)

QUESTIONS

Questions regarding ATI TEAS cut scores or how the results are utilized within the RN program at MCCC can be directed to the Health Sciences Division Office by calling 734-384-4102 or e-mailing rlehr@monroeccc.edu. Questions about scheduling the exam, day-of-test requirements, and remote proctoring can be directed to the RCTC at 734-384-4144 or by e-mailing kkuhl@monroeccc.edu.



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MCCC ATI TEAS Testing Schedule for August – December 2020

DATE	DAY	TIME	Location
July 16, 2020	Thursday	9 AM	REMOTE
August 20, 2020	Thursday	10 AM	REMOTE
September 3, 2020	Thursday	9 AM	REMOTE
September 11, 2020	Friday	9 AM	REMOTE
September 17, 2020	Thursday	9 AM	REMOTE
September 24, 2020	Thursday	9 AM	REMOTE
October 2, 2020	Friday	9 AM	REMOTE
October 8, 2020	Thursday	9 AM	REMOTE
November 5, 2020	Thursday	9 AM	REMOTE
November 20, 2020	Friday	8 AM	REMOTE
December 3, 2020	Thursday	8 AM	REMOTE

ATI is partnering with Proctorio to virtually proctor assessments. Proctorio is a remote proctoring platform that uses machine learning to proctor students from wherever they may be. Proctorio offers a variety of secure exam settings including video, audio, and screen recording designed to maintain the integrity of the assessment and ensure uncompromised exam results.

Technical requirements

- Microphone: Any microphone, either internal or external
- Webcam: 320x240 VGA resolution (minimum) internal or external

• Desktop or laptop computer (NO iPads, tablets, or phones are to be used) with the ability to download Google Chrome

To ensure the best possible experience on your TEAS Test day, a <u>DRY RUN session</u> will be required prior to the test date. More information on this will be communicated to you via the email that you provided ATI when registering for the TEAS test.

FAQs:

How many times can I take the TEAS test? Three times

Can I just take one part of the TEAS test?

No, you must take it all.

Can I use a calculator when testing?

There is a calculator built into the program and that is the only calculator that is allowed. Does MCCC get my results or do I have to send a copy to them?

As long as you listed MCCC as your Institution when registering with ATI, MCCC will get your results automatically.

To schedule an appointment contact: <u>www.atitesting.com</u> Fee (payable to ATI at the time of registration) - \$95.00