

### **ATI Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS)**

Students who plan on applying to Monroe County Community College's Associate of Applied Science – Nursing program are required to complete an 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; results from older versions of the ATI TEAS will not be accepted. Students may have three (3) attempts to meet the minimum overall score; the test attempt with the highest overall score or that earns the highest number of points on the program application will be used to determine eligibility for application 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 Questions	Time Limit (Minutes)	Sub-Content Areas	
Reading	53	64 min	Key ideas and details Craft & structure Integration of knowledge & ideas	
Mathematics	36	54 min	Numbers and algebra Measurement & data	
Science	53	63 min	Human anatomy & physiology Life & physical Sciences Scientific reasoning	
English & Language Usage	28	28 min	Conventions of standard English Knowledge of language Vocabulary acquisition	
Total:	170	209 min		

#### **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
  - TEAS study packages/manuals

• The Lifelong Learning Department at MCCC offers an online ATI TEAS prep course through a partnership with ed2go. Self-paced or instructor-led options are available. For more information or to sign up, please visit: https://www.ed2go.com/monroe/online-courses/teas-prep-one/or the Lifelong Learning Office at 734-384-4332.

#### **PRICING**

The cost of the ATI TEAS proctored by MCCC is \$107 (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 \$107. 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.
- Creating an account will require the student to create a username, password, input 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 right-hand 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. Students have a variety of options when registering to take the exam:
  - a. MCCC is offering online testing with remote proctoring on the dates and times listed below. Students applying to the RN program do not have to request or pay for an official exam transcript if taking the TEAS using an MCCC proctor. MCCC will be able to access results if listing "Monroe County CC ADN" as the institution when registering to take the exam.
  - b. ATI also offers online testing with remote proctoring on a variety of dates and times listed on the ATI website. Included in this option is one complimentary transcript that may be sent to an institution of the student's choice.
  - c. In-person testing may be available at MCCC during non-pandemic semesters; students are encouraged to check the ATI website for availability.
  - d. Prices between options may vary. For most information regarding testing options, please visit <a href="https://www.atitesting.com/teas/register">https://www.atitesting.com/teas/register</a>.
- 6. Students must pay the testing fee required to finish registration.
- 7. After purchase, you will receive detailed instruction of where to go or how to prepare for the online test, the time of testing, and expectations of what is required 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. When taking the exam on campus or online, students will need to recall their user name and password and must have a government-issued photo ID with a

picture ID available on the day of their scheduled test. Students will <u>NOT</u> be allowed to take the test without a reservation.

## 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 Disability Services Office, it is important that you contact MCCC's Testing Center at 734-384-4144 <a href="mailto:before">before</a> 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 IN-PERSON TESTING

Students must report to the MCCC Testing Center (Founder's Hall) <u>at least 15 minutes prior to his/her 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
- 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 from 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. Additional remote testing opportunities may be provided through ATI. 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.
- Additional system requirements are listed on the ATI website
- 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 MCCC RN program. Points are awarded to students through selective admission criteria for achievement in overall score and science content areas. Please see the *Selective Criteria: Point System* information available through the Admission's Office or by visiting <a href="http://www.monroeccc.edu/health\_sciences/nursing/index.htm">http://www.monroeccc.edu/health\_sciences/nursing/index.htm</a>.

#### **OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS**

If the TEAS test is taken at MCCC or proctored online by 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 or through ATI online proctoring, the student MUST submit official transcripts to MCCC. **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 should 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 MCCC Testing Center at 734-384-4144 or by e-mailing kkuhl@monroeccc.edu.



# MCCC ATI TEAS Testing Schedule AUGUST – DECEMBER 2021

DATE	DAY	TIME	Room Location
August 19, 2021	Thursday	9 AM	remote
September 1, 2021	Wednesday	8:30 AM	remote
September 9, 2021	Thursday	9 AM	remote
September 15, 2021	Wednesday	10 AM	remote
September 23, 2021	Thursday	8:30 AM	remote
September 29, 2021	Wednesday	9 AM	remote
October 7, 2021	Thursday	8:30 AM	remote
October 13, 2021	Wednesday	8:30 AM	remote
November 10, 2021	Wednesday	10 AM	remote
November 18, 2021	Thursday	10 AM	remote
December 15, 2021	Wednesday	8:30 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 "Monroe
  County CC ADN" as your institution when registering with ATI, MCCC will get your results
  automatically.

To schedule an appointment, contact: <a href="www.atitesting.com">www.atitesting.com</a>
Fee (payable to ATI at the time of registration) - \$107.00 (subject to change)

Questions? Please contact the TESTING CENTER in Founder's Hall (F-160)

Main Campus 734-384-4255