



Nursing Entrance Exam Information Sheet

About the Examination

The Test of Essential Academic Skills (ATI TEAS®) must be taken by all applicants to the Nursing Program by the January 15, 2020 deadline. Performance on the ATI TEAS® is one of several factors involved in the Nursing Program admission decision at Cayuga Community College. Completion of the ATI TEAS® does not guarantee admission.

The ATI TEAS® is a four-option, multiple-choice, 170 question test that measures a student's ability in reading, math, science, and English and language usage. The time limit for the assessment is 3 hours and 29 minutes.

Testing Dates for Fall 2020 Admission

December 2	10am
December 3	4pm
December 13	10am
December 16	10am
December 18	10am
December 20	10am
January 3	10am
January 6	10 am
January 8	10am
January 10	10 am

Testing Location

All tests will take place at: Cayuga Community College: **Fulton Campus**
Center for Academic Success-Learning Commons
11 River Glen Drive
Fulton, NY 13069

Cayuga Community College: **Auburn Campus**
Center for Academic Success
197 Franklin St
Auburn, NY 13021

Preparing for the ATI TEAS®

Study resources and practice tests are available for purchase through ATI TEAS® at www.atitesting.com.
A copy of the *ATI TEAS Study Manual: 6th Edition* is available on reserve in the CCC library.

Registering and Paying for the ATI TEAS®

1. You may register and pay for a testing reservation up to 48 hours before the scheduled test, provided there is a seat available. The cost of the exam is approximately \$70.00.
2. Please go to www.atitesting.com and create a student account.
3. Be sure to fill in all fields completely. Select: **Cayuga CC ADN** in the “institution” drop down menu.
4. After creating your account, click on the Online Store link, select *Register for the ATI TEAS*. Follow the prompts. Students register for TEAS then choose TEAS for Nursing, Cayuga Community College as your institution. You will need a credit card, for payment. Please be sure you have registered for the specific campus in which you intend take the test.
5. By clicking the “Register” button, **you agree to test on the selected date and understand that you are responsible for repaying and rescheduling for a new test in the event you are unable to attend your scheduled test date.**
6. You will purchase your testing reservation with a credit card. Be sure to have the credit card number, expiration date, and security code. **ONCE THE TEAS EXAM IS PURCHASED, THERE ARE NO REFUNDS.**
7. You will receive a confirmation email from ATI.

On the Day of the Assessment

The assessment begins promptly at the scheduled time. Please arrive 30 minutes prior to the start time for check in. Students who arrive after the assessment has started will not be allowed entrance into the exam, **NO EXCEPTIONS!** Please schedule 4 hours for the test.

Bring with you:

1. Valid photo identification—accepted forms: driver license, non-driver photo ID, or Passport
2. ATI Username and password

Do not bring:

1. Calculators, spell checkers, phones and/or any other electronic equipment-
2. Scratch paper or pencils (these will be provided at the center)
3. Children

Please note:

1. You may not leave the testing room once the exam has begun.
2. Applicants with a documented disability may arrange for accommodative testing by contacting the Office of Accessibility Resources at the campus in which you intend test at least two weeks prior to their scheduled exam.

Test Results

You will receive your ATI TEAS® results immediately upon completion of the test. Please save your scores and documentation of the assessment for your records. Through your ATI account you may do a Focused Review after taking the assessment. This will help you brush up on skills you might have missed on the assessment. Your results are provided immediately to the college. You do not need to send your test results to Cayuga Community College. An overall test score of Proficient (score greater than 58% in all 4 categories) is considered satisfactory. The results of the entrance exam will be one of several elements assessed in the application process to the Nursing program. Performance on this exam does not guarantee admission.

Re-testing is permitted **one time** after a **10 day waiting period** with the purchase of an additional test. The entire test must be retaken, not just select components. Based on the student’s Adjusted Individual Test Score, the higher of the two scores will be used for the student’s application evaluation.