



ATI TEAS® Testing Information Sheet

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Some programs within the School of Health Sciences require applicants to complete the Test of Essential Academic Skills (ATI TEAS®) prior to submitting a weighted admission form for program admission.

The TEAS test is administered by Assessment Technologies Institute (ATI), and is designed specifically to assess a student's preparedness entering the health science fields. The ATI TEAS test is comprised of 170 questions set up in a multiple-choice format with four-option answers. Questions are designed to test the basic academic skills needed to perform in class in the areas of: Reading, Math, Science, and English and Language Usage.

The total score from the TEAS test will be used in the point calculations on the Weighted Admission form. Applicants may take the TEAS test as many times as desired; however, there is a cost for each attempt. TEAS test scores are valid for five (5) years and may be transferred to GTC from other schools (see TEAS TRANSCRIPT below). Minimum TEAS test requirements are subject to change each academic year.

Getting Started:

Applicants preparing to take the ATI TEAS® test must create an account.

- Go to www.atitesting.com.
- Click "Create an account".
- Set up username, password, and security questions. (ATI username and password are required to take TEAS test. Please bring this information to the testing location.)
- Enter personal information.
- Enter institution information.
 - Select **GREENVILLE TECH COLLEGE TEAS**. (Nursing students, do not select GREENVILLE TECH COLLEGE ADN)
 - For student ID, must use either 7-digit GTC student ID or 9-digit social security number.
- Enter demographic information.
- Read user terms and conditions and accept.

Do not register for the TEAS test on the ATI site. Once account has been created, register and pay for the TEAS test *at the GTC Business Office and testing center*.

Payment and Identification:

The TEAS testing fee is \$75.00 per attempt and not covered by financial aid. The applicant is responsible for the cost of the test. The testing fee must be paid at the GTC Business Office prior to testing.

Scheduling:

The test may be taken on a space available basis during the following days/times:

- Monday through Thursday - 8:30 AM-2:30 PM (no tests started after 2:30 PM)
- Friday - 8:30-9:30 AM (no tests started after 9:30 AM).

Tests are administered in the Testing Center which is in Room 210 in the Admissions and Registration Center (McAlister Square), 225 South Pleasantburg Drive, Greenville, SC 29607.

During times of heavy testing (June and July), applicants may be directed to take the test on an alternate day, time, and location.

Accommodation of Special Needs Based On Disability:

Applicants who have a disability and need accommodations should visit, call, or e-mail Student Disability services prior to scheduling TEAS. Applicants are strongly encouraged to obtain their accommodation forms in a timely manner to ensure appropriate services. The office is located at the Barton Campus in the Student Center (Building 105), Room 113, and can be reached by phone at (864) 250-8202 or (864) 250-8408 or by email at DisabilityServices@gvltec.edu.

What to Bring to the Testing Center:

- ATI username and password (obtained after creating an ATI account).
- Two forms of ID (one photo ID).
- Receipt from the GTC Business Office.

Applicants without all of the above will not be admitted to the Testing Center to take the TEAS test.

TEAS Transcript:

Scores are automatically sent to the location where TEAS was administered (no cost). It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that results of TEAS testing from other locations are sent to GTC directly by logging into ATI using their account information and requesting a transcript. From the Online Store, select TEAS transcript and enter information for transcript to be sent to Greenville Technical College and payment information for \$27.00 per results report. (NOTE: Applicants are responsible for checking the version number of TEAS test. Only ATI TEAS® or TEAS V will be accepted. TEAS test scores are valid for five (5) years.)

NOTE: Applicants must use GTC Student ID number or social security number when creating an ATI account or requesting a TEAS transcript from another school. Failure to do so may disqualify application from School of Health Sciences program if test score cannot be located.

Recommended Resources:

- Additional information and study materials may be purchased at www.atitesting.com.
- <http://www.mathtv.com/>
- <https://www.khanacademy.org/>
- Access to Aleks online Accelerate Math program can be purchased at GTC bookstore for use in GTC computer labs.
- ATI TEAS® Study Manual – Sixth Edition, may be purchased at GTC bookstore.
- BIO 101