



ATI TEAS® TESTING INFORMATION SHEET

Some Greenville Technical College (GTC) Health and Wellness program applicants are required to complete the Test of Essential Academic Skills (ATI TEAS®) prior to submitting a weighted admission form for program admission. This test may not be taken unless acceptable scores on the ASSET and COMPASS Tests are achieved and must be taken at a time separate from the ASSET and COMPASS testing.

Scores from the TEAS test will be used in the point calculations on the Weighted Admission form. There is not a minimum score needed but no points are awarded for scores less than 60. Applicants may take the TEAS test as many times as desired; however, there is a cost for the student for each attempt. TEAS test scores are valid for five (5) years and may be accepted from other schools with appropriate documentation (see TEAS TRANSCRIPT section below). Minimum TEAS test requirements are subject to change each academic year.

TEST INFORMATION:

Administered by Assessment Technologies Institute (ATI), the TEAS test measures basic essential skills in the academic content areas of reading, mathematics, science and English and language usage. The test is intended for use primarily with adult health program applicants. The objectives assessed on the TEAS test are those which nurse educators deemed most appropriate and relevant to measure entry level skills and abilities of health program applicants.

Composite scores are computed in each of the four weighted areas. The time limit is 209 minutes. There are 170 four-option multiple-choice questions in one test. The Adjusted Individual Total Score is used for points on the weighted admission form.

- Reading is 58 Minutes with 48 Questions
- Mathematics is 51 Minutes with 34 Questions
- Science is 66 Minutes with 54 Questions
- English and Language Usage is 34 Minutes with 34 Questions

GETTING STARTED:

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

- Go to www.atitesting.com.
- Click "Create an account".
- Then fill out information accordingly.
 - For Institution, please make sure you select **GREENVILLE TECH COLLEGE TEAS** as your institution. (NUR students, do **not** select GREENVILLE TECH COLLEGE ADN)
 - For student/employee ID, use either GTC student ID or social security number.

You will need your ATI username and password to take the online test. Please bring this information with you to the testing location.

Once you have created your account, you will register and pay for the TEAS test at the testing center. **Do not register on the ATI site.**

NOTE: You must use your 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 your application the Health & Wellness program if your test score cannot be located.

PAYMENT AND IDENTIFICATION:

The TEAS testing fee is \$65.00 per attempt (four sections in one test) 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. Applicants must present two forms of ID and a receipt from the business office to be admitted into the testing session. One form of identification must be an official photo ID.

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 Room 210 in the Admissions and Registration Center, 225 South Pleasantburg Drive, Greenville, SC 29607.

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

ACCOMMODATION OF SPECIAL NEEDS BASED ON DISABILITY:

All students who have a disability and need accommodations should visit, call, or e-mail Student Disability services. Students 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:

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

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

TEAS TRANSCRIPT:

Scores are automatically sent to the location where your test was administered (no cost). TEAS results from other schools can be sent to GTC for \$27.00 per results report. Students requesting transcript from a school other than GTC must log into the ATI system using their account information. From the Online Store, select TEAS transcript and enter information for transcript to be sent to Greenville Technical College and payment information. ATI will email the transcript to GTC. (NOTE: Students 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.)

RECOMMENDED RESOURCES:

- Additional information and the TEAS 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