

# ATI TEST OF ESSENTIAL ACADEMIC SKILLS (ATI TEAS)

## GENERAL INFORMATION

- Prior to registering for the ATI TEAS, applicants must have a current FTCC admissions and residency application on file or currently enrolled in FTCC curriculum courses. I understand the ATI TEAS Exam at FTCC is **ONLY** offered to prospective FTCC Associate Degree Nursing, FTCC Dental Hygiene and FTCC Practical Nursing Students. I understand all ATI TEAS exam registrations are FINAL and WILL **NOT** be refunded.
- Prospective Associate Degree Nursing, FTCC Dental Hygiene and FTCC Practical Nursing Students competing for the Health Admissions Competitive process are required to take the ATI TEAS Exam.
- It is highly recommended to take the ATI TEAS after completion of transition, developmental, and prerequisite courses.
  - **Associate Degree Nursing:** Take the ATI TEAS after completion of college-level English and BIO-168.
  - **Dental Hygiene:** Take the ATI TEAS after completion of college-level English and BIO-163.
  - **Practical Nursing:** Take the ATI TEAS after completion of college-level English and BIO-163.

## TESTING DAY

- Arrive 30 minutes early to the test site in which you paid registration, Center for Business and Industry, Room 135 or Spring Lake Center, Room 101
- Late arrivals will **NOT** be allowed to test.
- Allow 4 hours to take the test.
- Bring a government-issued photo ID and ATI email confirmation as proof of payment and your **FTCC student ID number**.
- Calculators, cell phones and other electronic devices are **NOT** allowed.
- Food and drink are **NOT** allowed. Scratch paper and pencil will be provided.

Any student requesting accommodations due to a disability must be approved by the Office of Disability Support Services prior to registration of the ATI TEAS at (910) 678-8349 or [canond@faytechcc.edu](mailto:canond@faytechcc.edu)

## What is the ATI TEAS?

The **ATI Test of Essential Academic Skills** (ATI TEAS) was developed to measure basic essential skills in the academic content area domains of reading, mathematics, science and English and language usage. These entry-level skills were deemed important for health science program applicants by a panel of program curriculum experts. The TEAS is a 170-item multiple-choice assessment. FTCC gives the ATI TEAS.

## What is on the ATI TEAS?

The ATI TEAS is a timed computerized exam made up of 170-item multiple-choice questions. The ATI TEAS is composed of four sections: Reading, Math, Science and English and Language Usage.

Content Area	Number of Questions	Amount of Time Allotted
<b>Reading</b> -section includes paragraph comprehension, passage comprehension, and inferences/conclusions.	<b>45</b>	<b>55 minutes</b>
<b>Mathematics</b> -section includes whole numbers, metric conversion, fractions, decimals, algebraic equations, percentages, and ratio/proportion.	<b>38</b>	<b>57 minutes</b>
<b>Science</b> -section includes science reasoning, science knowledge, biology, chemistry, anatomy, physiology, basic physical principles, and general science.	<b>50</b>	<b>60 minutes</b>
<b>English and Language Usage</b> -section includes punctuation, grammar, sentence structure, contextual words, and spelling.	<b>37</b>	<b>37 minutes</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>209 minutes</b>

### How do I register for the ATI TEAS?

Register for the ATI TEAS via the [online store](#).

### Are test preparation materials available?

Test preparation materials, including study guides and practice tests are available at [ATI website](#).

### How can I send my ATI TEAS results to another college?

Request an official copy of your ATI TEAS results via the [online store](#). Test results are valid for 3 years from test date.

**\*All registrations are final.\***