# 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. The ATI TEAS Exam at FTCC is ONLY offered to prospective FTCC Associate Degree Nursing, FTCC Dental Hygiene and FTCC Practical Nursing Students. All ATI TEAS exam registrations are FINAL and WILL <u>NOT</u> be refunded.
- Prospective Associate Degree Nursing, Dental Hygiene, Medical Sonography, 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.

 <u>Medical Sonography</u>: Take the ATI TEAS after completion of college-level English and BIO-163.

 <u>Practical Nursing</u>: 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 **<u>NOT</u>** be allowed to test.
- Allow 4 hours to take the test.
- Bring an unexpired government-issued photo ID and your **ATI username and password**.
- Calculators, cell phones and other electronic devices are **<u>NOT</u>** allowed.
- Food and drink are **<u>NOT</u>** 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) 678-8559 or <a href="mailto:ada@faytechcc.edu">ada@faytechcc.edu</a>

# 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.

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

#### 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 via the **online store.** 

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

Request an official copy of your ATI TEAS results via the <u>online store</u>. FTCC does not release ATI TEAS scores.