



The Hillsborough Community College Nursing Program is using the Test of Essential Academic Skills (ATI TEAS®) as a pass/fail tool for potential nursing students. Students who score 60 or above on the ATI TEAS® exam will then be ranked by GPA for possible admission into the Nursing Program. This test will evaluate reading, math, science, English language usage. The TEAS® Version V will be accepted until January 15, 2018.



### Passing

Students are allowed three attempts per year to achieve a passing score of at least 60, but must wait 30 days between attempts. The calendar date for the year begins January 1<sup>st</sup>. Passing the ATI TEAS® exam does not guarantee placement, but not passing assures that the student will not be accepted into the program.



### Registration

Register with ATI at <https://www.atitesting.com/home.aspx>

### Fees

Fees must be paid directly to ATI through their website. The cost is \$70 for each attempt. HCC does not add any fee for administration of the test.



### Scheduling

You must schedule with ATI at least one week prior to the date that you wish to test. Scheduling is performed at the ATI website which is [atitesting.com/ati\\_next\\_gen/customecom/SessionCityStateSelection.aspx?stf=6&stype=1&prev=0](https://www.atitesting.com/ati_next_gen/customecom/SessionCityStateSelection.aspx?stf=6&stype=1&prev=0).



### Testing

Students will go to the SouthShore Campus Test Center, 551 24<sup>th</sup> Street NE; Ruskin, FL 33570, to take their exam. You will not need to bring any pens, pencils or calculator. No payment can be received by the testing center.

You will need to provide one form of identification which must be government-issued and your ATI username and password at the time of testing. You should expect to spend four hours completing the test.



### Results

You will receive your results when you complete the test. A copy of the results must accompany the nursing application. If you still have questions, please contact Health Sciences Admissions at [healthsciences@hccfl.edu](mailto:healthsciences@hccfl.edu).



## Preparing for the ATI TEAS®



**ATI Nurse Education** has test preparation materials that can be purchased from their website at [atitesting.com/Solutions/PreNursingSchool/TEAS.aspx](http://atitesting.com/Solutions/PreNursingSchool/TEAS.aspx).



### Online Practice Tests (two different tests are available)—\$46.00 each

- Includes a detailed explanation of each exam objective in addition to two or more practice problems.
- 300+ pages of content, practice questions, definitions and comprehensive practice tests.



### TEAS Study Guide —\$50.00

- Written specifically to address the needs of students preparing to take the TEAS.
- Instructional material for each of the four subject areas: reading, mathematics, science and English language usage.
- Practice problems and examples with explanatory answer keys.
- The printed study manual contains two 150-item comprehensive practice tests.



### TEAS Study Package—\$115.00

Includes both the two available online tests and the Study Manual described above.

### TEAS Study Package Plus —\$138.00

Includes the TEAS Study Manual, Online Tests A & B, and Achieve Tutorial.



### TEAS Retention Complete Package —\$159.00

Includes the TEAS Proctored Assessment, two versions of the Online Practice Assessment, Study Manual, Achieve, and Learning Strategies Book.

## HCC

### Free study preparation at HCC!



**The Learning Commons** located in the library building (DLRC) at Dale Mabry Campus has materials that can be used for studying the TEAS test sections on reading, math, science and language. Students who have taken one of the practice tests or have taken the actual test and need remediation can receive tutoring in whichever topic(s) they need assistance.

**For more information, please go to**  
[hccfl.edu/academic-success-centers/dale-mabry.aspx](http://hccfl.edu/academic-success-centers/dale-mabry.aspx).

ATI's Focus Review is available after completion of the exam.