

Test of Academic Skills (TEAS)

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<https://www.atitesting.com/teas>

The TEAS is a required test for students submitting application to both the HACC Nursing and Dental Hygiene programs. The TEAS measures basic essential skills in the academic content area domains of reading, mathematics, science and English and language usage. The ATI TEAS exam is comprised of 170 total questions, with 209 minutes in allocated testing time. Question types include multiple choice, multiple select (select all that apply), fill in the blank, ordered response and hot spots.

- The TEAS test was updated to Version 7 June 2022.
- Beginning in **fall of 2023** ONLY Version 7 tests will be accepted.
- TEAS version 7 scores are valid for 3 years (if taken in person on a HACC campus).
- All TEAS testing must be completed in person on a HACC campus.
- Minimum TEAS required to apply does not guarantee clinical admission.

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	Reading	Mathematics	Science	English and Language Usage
Number of Questions	45	38	50	37
Number of Unsourced Questions	6	4	6	4
Time Limit (Minutes)	55 min.	57 min.	60 min.	37 min.
Specific Content Covered	Key ideas and details (15) Craft and structure (9) Integration of knowledge & ideas (15)	Numbers and algebra (18) Measurement and data (16)	Human anatomy & physiology (18) Biology (9) Chemistry (8) Scientific reasoning (9)	Conventions of standard English (12) Knowledge of language (11) Using Language and Vocabulary to Express Ideas in Writing (10)

HOW TO PREPARE FOR THE TEAS

We recommend you prepare for the TEAS so that you can achieve the best possible score. <https://www.atitesting.com/teas-prep> to purchase official study material from ATI, the creators of the TEAS.

Numerous TEAS preparation resources are available in the library at each campus. Check with your campus about availability and restrictions for borrowing.

Available materials include:

- *ATI TEAS Calculation Workbook: 300 Questions to Prepare for the TEAS (E-Book)*
- *ATI TEAS Study Manual 2022-2023 Aligned to the new ATI Teas Version 7 blueprint*
- *ATI TEAS Test Study Guide 2022-2023 : TEAS 7 exam prep with practice questions for the Test of Essential Academic Skills, version seven*
- *ATI TEAS Secrets Study Guide: TEAS 7 prep book (E-Book)*

HACC Tutoring offers a free weekly TEAS Study Group over zoom. See all the details and additional TEAS preparation resources here: <https://libguides.hacc.edu/learningcommons/tutoring/teasprep>

HOW TO REGISTER FOR THE TEAS

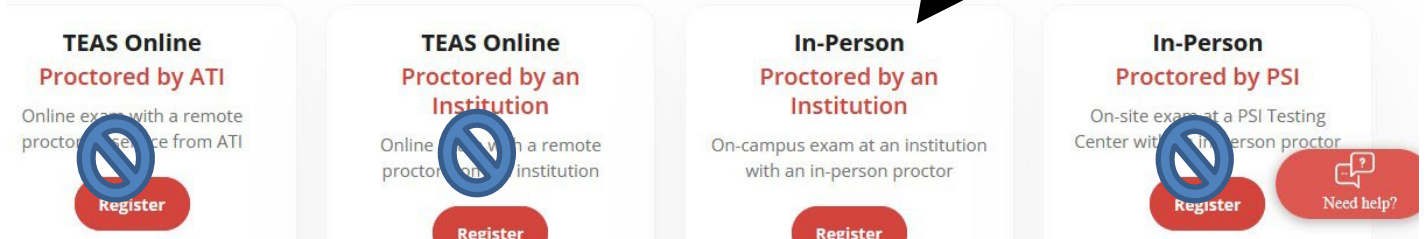
TEAS tests are given in person at the Gettysburg, Harrisburg, Lancaster, and York campuses, and you may register for any HACC location.

- **Testing accommodations** are available for the TEAS exam. HACC students already receiving testing accommodations should connect with their SAS coordinator to review and discuss **at least one week prior to registering for the TEAS exam**. (See Important Information below.)
- Go to the ATI website and navigate to the online TEAS store (<https://www.atitesting.com/teas>)

Register for the TEAS

The ATI TEAS is one exam offered through four different proctors (Online and In-Person)

Select an option below to register for the exam



- Select In-Person Proctored by an Institution (HACC)
- Program Type doesn't matter (TEAS for Nursing Students or TEAS for Allied Health).
- Select Search by SCHOOL NAME

TEAS at your Institution or at a PSI Testing Center

- Select your preferred HACC test site

- TEAS testing must be completed in person on a HACC campus.
- The cost of the TEAS *taken at HACC* is around \$101 plus tax (subject to change).
- You will receive an email confirmation with your receipt and testing session information.
- HACC will also send an email 1-2 days prior to your exam appointment with specific test-day information. This email will be sent to the email address you provide ATI! Be sure to check spam or junk if you use an email address other than Hawkmail.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Applicants to HACC Nursing program must achieve a minimum TEAS composite score of 70 to apply to the RN (associate degree) program and 60 to apply to the LPN program. Minimum TEAS required to apply does not guarantee clinical admission.
- Applicants to the HACC Dental Hygiene program must achieve a TEAS composite score of 72. Minimum TEAS required to apply does not guarantee clinical admission.
 - FOR DENTAL HYGIENE - Three attempts in an application cycle are permitted for the TEAS exam. Application cycle is defined as the close of the prior year's applications (April 15, 2024) to the application deadline. Scores are acceptable for three (3) years.
- In the event students want to remediate and retest, **it is recommended to wait 45 days between tests so, remediation can take place.** Students should not take more than 3 tests in an application period.
- TEAS scores are valid for 3 years (as long as it was completed in person at HACC).
- The TEAS test (and your score) is the same whether you indicate TEAS for Nursing or TEAS for Allied Health.
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should connect with their SAS coordinator to review and discuss **at least one week prior to registering for the TEAS exam.**

- **SAS Contact Us Link:** <https://www.hacc.edu/Students/DisabilityServices/Contact-Disability-Services.cfm>
- *If you do not yet have an SAS coordinator, we invite you to use this link https://hacc-accommodate.symphlicity.com/public_accommodation/ and *complete the form.**

Link to webpages with admission criteria and clinical application information:

Dental Hygiene - <https://www.hacc.edu/ProgramsandCourses/Programs/HealthCareers/Dental-Hygienist.cfm>

LPN - https://www.hacc.edu/ProgramsandCourses/Programs/HealthCareers/nurse_lpn.cfm

RN - <https://www.hacc.edu/ProgramsandCourses/Programs/HealthCareers/Nurse-RN.cfm>