



School of Nursing Admissions Test TEAS V Frequently Asked Questions

What is the TEAS V?

Students applying for admission to the associate and dual degree Nursing Program are required to take the **Test of Essential Academic Skills V (TEAS V)**. The **TEAS V** is a multiple-choice assessment of basic academic knowledge in reading, mathematics, science and English and language usage. Each of the four sections is timed for a total of 209 minutes. Test results available 48 hours after completion of the test. Content and sub content areas are divided in the following manner:

Reading: (40 questions, 50 minutes) – section includes questions regarding paragraph comprehension, passage comprehension, and inferences/conclusions.

Math: (45 items, 56 minutes) – section includes questions regarding whole numbers, metric conversions, fractions, decimals, algebraic equations, percentages, and ratio/proportion.

Please be aware that calculators are NOT allowed

Science: (30 items, 38 minutes) – section includes questions regarding science reasoning, science knowledge, biology, chemistry, anatomy, physiology, basic physical principles, and general science.

English and Language Usage: (55 items, 65 minutes) – section includes questions regarding punctuation, grammar, sentence structure, contextual words, and spelling.

How can I prepare for the TEAS V?

The TEAS is a crucial component in your nursing application. Therefore, you should prepare thoroughly for the exam. We strongly encourage applicants to utilize a combination of study guide and the on-line practice assessment which are available through ATI. In addition to the materials provided by ATI, listed below are several additional sites that offer study assistance for the TEAS V.

http://www.testprepreview.com/teas_practice.htm

<http://www.flashcardexchange.com/tag/teas>

<http://www.test-preparation.ca/nursing/>

http://www.atitesting.com/ati_store/TEAS-Products.aspx

<http://www.flashcardsecrets.com/teas/>

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How do I register to take the TEAS V?

You may take the TEAS at any PSI Testing Center. Go to **www.atitesting.com**, click register for TEAS through PSI and then follow the steps to choose SUNY Delhi and make payment. You will then get directions to call or go to PSI site to schedule your date. The cost for the test is \$110.

Special accommodations are available for applicants who qualify; for information contact the testing center where the test is being held.

How do I send my TEAS V scores to SUNY Delhi?

During the registration process, students will be asked to select a school to receive their TEAS V scores. Students wishing to have their TEAS V scores sent to SUNY Delhi should choose “SUNY Delhi”.

How are the results of the TEAS V used?

All students considering admission to the nursing program must take the TEAS V nursing entrance exam prior to the application deadline. You must achieve a minimum ATI Academic Preparedness Level of **PROFICIENT** for admission consideration. We also require minimum competency in each of the subject areas of the TEAS V test. These percentages are reflected below.

<i>TEAS V Level</i>	<i>Minimum Academic Preparedness Scores By Category</i>
Exemplary	Reading: 69%
Advanced	Math: 63%
<i>PROFICIENT 60%</i>	Science: 46%
Basic	English and Language Usage: 60%
Developmental	

Can I take the TEAS V more than one time?

Students may take the TEAS V twice during an academic year. Students must wait a minimum of 45 days before retesting. Test results are valid for two years. For additional information about the nursing program application and requirements go to <http://www.delhi.edu/>

Questions?

Should you have any questions, please contact the School of Nursing at 607-746-4490.

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