

Lex La-Ray Technical Center

PN Entrance Test Information

1. What test does Lex La-Ray administer as the PN Entrance test?
 - Test of Essential Academic Skills by Assessment Technology Institute (ATI TEAS)
 - It is an admission assessment exam that provides test scores which aid in the class selection process.
 - Applicants may take the ATI TEAS test up to 2 times within a calendar year. A period of 30 days must elapse between testing dates. We will accept the ATI TEAS test scores that are less than 1 year old as of March 31, 2021. An adjusted total individual score of 44.0% is required to qualify for admission.
 - Register and pay for the ATI TEAS test online at www.atitesting.com after creating a user account on the ATI website. You will select a test date and location and then purchase a test. To take the test at Lex La-Ray select Lex La-Ray Technical Center as your testing site. The cost to take the test is \$82.00. ATI does not give refunds so be sure of the test date you select.
 - Bring a valid photo ID to the testing site.
2. What are the testing categories?
 - **English and Language Usage:** Grammar, word meaning, spelling, punctuation, structure
 - **Reading Comprehension:** paragraph, passage and informational source comprehension
 - **Science:** Scientific reasoning, anatomy and physiology, human body science, life science, earth and physical science
 - **Math:** Basic: numbers and operations, measurements, data interpretation, algebraic applications (may use a calculator)
3. When and where is the test offered?

The ATI TEAS test can be taken anywhere offering the exam and scores can be sent to Lex La-Ray. We offer the test at the location and dates below:

 - **Location:** Lex La-Ray Health Science Annex
817 S. Bus. Hwy 13
Lexington, MO 64067
 - **Morning testing dates:** begins at 9:00 a.m. – Approx. 4 hours
January 21, 2021—February 10, 2021—February 25, 2021
March 10, 2021—March 25, 2021
 - **Evening testing dates:** begins at 5:00 p.m.- Approx. 4 hours.
January 21, 2021—February 10, 2021—February 25, 2021
March 10, 2021—March 25, 2021
4. How can I make my pre-entrance testing a success?
 - The Assessment Technologies Institute (ATI) offers a study guide and review course specific for the ATI TEAS test. They also offer practice tests online. Visit <https://www.atitesting.com/Solutions/pre-program/TEAS.aspx>.
 - Read, Read, Read: this will help with the English Language portion of the test.
 - Practice basic principles of computation, especially with fractions and decimals. You may have had algebra in school or often work with money and numbers, but you have probably used a calculator. You may have forgotten some steps of calculation, so practice!
 - Get online for science and look up the areas of scientific reasoning, human body science, anatomy and physiology, life science, earth and physical science.
 - Purchase a nursing entrance test book or ATI TEAS review book from any bookstore (Amazon.com or Barnes and Noble).