



SCHOOL OF NURSING
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ECU School of Nursing Admission Information

Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS):

Admission to the ECU School of Nursing program is highly competitive, and therefore it is strongly recommended that you study for the TEAS. You may obtain study booklets and complete practice exams online at www.atitesting.com. There are also study materials available in the ECU bookstore.

1. All applicants must complete the Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS) **no later than** September 1. Cost is \$115.00 per attempt.
2. ATI is offering the TEAS Exam, proctored remotely, multiple times a day. You will be able to schedule, pay for, and take your exam, and arrange to have your official results sent to us thru the ATI website. You can choose to take them in-person at a location offering this option, but regardless of the option, you will need to have the official results sent to us as outlined below.
3. You may register online at <https://www.atitesting.com/teas/register>. Additional instructions and information can be found on the [Major in Nursing](#) webpage and on the ATI webpage.
4. Test results must be scored, and **official** results (meaning they are submitted straight to ECU from ATI via email) submitted to the School of Nursing office no later than **11:59pm September 1, 2021**. Whether taking the TEAS remotely through ATI or at an on-site location, please request your official results be sent to East Central University, to nurse_sec@ecok.edu. Instructions on "How to purchase a TEAS Transcript" are located at https://www.atitesting.com/ati_store/product.aspx?zpid=942.
5. To be eligible for application, a **minimum cumulative score must be achieved in no more than 2 attempts** taken between **September 1, 2020 and September 1, 2021**. If there are more than two attempts noted, only the last two attempts will be considered. Current minimum cumulative score for ECU is 58.7%.
6. The highest scores for each component, and the highest cumulative score between the two allowed attempts will be used to score applications.

Other admission criteria/information:

- Review the current program Degree Checklist and 4-Year Plan at [Find a Major/Program](#)
- **Review Prospective Nursing Student information at the link below:**
 - [Major in Nursing](#)
 - **Application deadline is Wednesday, September 1, 2021 @ 5:00pm. Official electronic results of the TEAS pre-entrance exam will be accepted from ATI until 11:59pm on September 1, 2021.**
 - Information for International Students can be found at the link below:
 - [International Student Services](#)
 - A minimum **retention** grade point average (GPA) and program GPA of 2.70/4.0 in all course work completed at the time of application.
 - A minimum of 24 hours of Gen Eds/Required Related Work courses (**noted on Degree Check & Unofficial Academic Plan**) must be completed at the time of the application submission
 - BIOL 2184 Human Anatomy or its equivalent must be completed & passed with a grade of "C" or higher prior to enrollment of the first semester nursing courses NRS2104 Nursing Process and NRS2223 Physical Assessment.
 - Required Gen Eds & all Required Related Work courses (**noted on Degree Check & Unofficial Academic Plan**) require a grade of "C" or higher.
 - **A grade of "P" denotes course completion with a passing grade but is NOT considered to be equivalent to a grade of "C" toward any admission points or program retention requirement. All nursing courses (NRS2104) require a "C" per the SoN grading scale to allow for progression. The exception(s) are those nursing courses where credit is granted on a "Pass/Fail."**



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- The application scoring rubric **IS NOT PUBLISHED** and is based on points that may include, but not limited to: GPA (program and ret/grad), area college hours, TEAS scores, and math and sciences grades (first time attempt grades get more points than repeat grades).
- Nursing Required Related Work courses (**noted on Degree Check & Unofficial Academic Plan**) need to be completed prior to the second semester nursing courses: NRS 3118 Child-Adult Nursing I and NRS 3192 Pharmacology I. Questions regarding this should be directed to your faculty advisor.
- All applicants will have to affirm if they DO or DO NOT have a criminal record and/or history. If a student does, they must contact the Director of the SoN PRIOR to submitting their application.
- **Official transcript(s)** from EACH university or college you have attended must be submitted – the only exception for this is past/current ECU students who may submit an unofficial transcript from **ECU ONLY**, as these can be verified by faculty.
 - Official transcripts may be included with your application packet as long as they remain sealed
 - If you are having transcripts mailed, please have them sent to **ECU School of Nursing, 1100 E 14th Street, PMB V-8, Ada, OK 74820**
 - If your transcripts are to be delivered electronically, please have them sent to **nurse_sec@ecok.edu**
 - **Official transcripts must be received, either via mail, in person, or electronically, no later than 5:00pm on September 1, 2021**
- **Students transferring** to East Central University from other institutions are expected to fulfill all requirements specified for regularly enrolled students. For questions regarding transferring to ECU and the ECU transfer matrix can be found at the links below:
 - [Admissions - Transfer Student](#)
 - [Academic Success Center - Transfer Enrollment](#)
 - [ECU Transfer Matrix](#)
- If accepted into or made an alternate for the Nursing Program, attendance at New Student Orientation will be **MANDATORY**. Date, time, and location TBA on acceptance and alternate letters.
- **Notification letters will be made via email and/or USPS mail on approximately October 1, 2020.**
 - **It is the sole responsibility of the student to ensure that they inform the ECU SoN Office where their application was submitted, of all changes in mailing address, email address, and primary phone number. The inability to reach a student, to include the return of an acceptance or alternate letter via email or USPS due to change of address or email will deem the application as forfeited.**

We encourage all current ECU applicants to meet with their advisors, and all transfer applicants to meet with the Academic Success Center either in person or by phone to address any questions or concerns prior to submitting your application. Please know that the SoN faculty are always here to help and support you in your journey to join this amazing profession!

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