

NURSING

APPLICATION PROCESS

STEP 1: Complete Kaskaskia College Student Admissions Form

Apply now link: www.kaskaskia.edu

STEP 2: Submit Transcripts

Submit official high school and college transcripts

STEP 3: Meet Program Admissions Requirements for CNA, Med Terminology, Math, and English Placement

For assistance in evaluating your admissions requirements or to register for classes, contact the Advising Department at 618-545-3060 or kcadvising@kaskaskia.edu

STEP 4: Register and Take the TEAS Test

www.atitesting.com

STEP 5: Complete Nursing and Program Application

See Nursing Website for Details

OPTIONAL: Complete Kaskaskia College Scholarships Application

Apply now link: www.kaskaskia.edu

OPTIONAL:

WIOA Funding Opportunities & Perkins Funding Assistance

Call: (618) 545-3067

APPLICATION TIMELINES

ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING (RN)

<u>START DATE</u>	<u>APPLICATION DUE</u>	<u>NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE</u>
• August	• May 31st	• June 20th
• October	• August 6th	• August 15th
• January	• November 1st	• December 10th
• March	• December 10th	• January 4th

PRACTICAL NURSING (PN)

<u>START DATE</u>	<u>APPLICATION DUE</u>	<u>NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE</u>
• August	• May 31st	• June 20th
• January	• December 10th	• January 4th

LPN TO RN BRIDGE

<u>START DATE</u>	<u>APPLICATION DUE</u>	<u>NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE</u>
• November	• September 30th	• October 14 th
• June	• April 30th	• May 14th

Applications will be accepted through each listed due date or until Program is filled. The ADN Advanced Placement start times are August and January.

TEAS TESTING

All applicants to the Associate Degree (RN) and Practical Nursing (PN) programs must take the TEAS test. The TEAS test is owned and administered by ATI testing and administered at a Kaskaskia College campus location or proctored online.

TEAS test results are used to rank students for acceptance to the nursing programs. Applicants to the Associate Degree Nursing and LPN to RN Bridge programs must earn a minimum score of Proficient (58.7) for acceptance consideration.

Applicants to the Practical Nursing program must earn a minimum score of Basic (41.3) for acceptance consideration. Applicants may take the TEAS test twice per calendar year with Kaskaskia College. The higher of the two scores will be considered the applicant test score. Kaskaskia Nursing does not use GPA or a point system for acceptance consideration. Students with the highest TEAS scores are accepted each term.

A maximum of four out-of-district students may be considered for admission if their TEAS score meets or exceeds the minimum accepted score of in-district students. TEAS test results are valid for 2 years. If the TEAS test is taken with another institution, the applicant must contact ATI testing to request TEAS transcripts be sent to Kaskaskia College.



PROGRAM ADMISSIONS

CNA

- Proof of current employment as a Certified Nurse Assistant, such as letter from employer; OR
- Document from IDPH proving status is, or has been, active within the last two years; OR
- Successful completion of Kaskaskia College's IDPH approved CNA course with a "C" or better within the last academic term; OR
- Meet IDPH requirements for retesting if you have not worked as a CNA in the last two years; OR
- Meet program proficiency testing if you have previously been a CNA but not currently working and do not wish to work as a CNA

EMT

- EMT-B or EMT-P's may waive the requirement of CNA if able to provide proof of current employment as EMT-B or EMT-P and they successfully complete NURS 100 - Basic Nursing Skills for the EMT

MATH

Applicants must have placement in Math 102. Placement is determined by:

- ACT Math score of 17 or higher; OR
- SAT MATH score of 460; OR
- Accuplacer score QRAS 250 or higher; OR
- ALEKS score of 14 or higher; OR
- Completion of MATH 101 with a "C" or better; OR
- High school cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher on an unweighted 4.0 scale with successful completion of a 4th year of math (placement must be within the last 18 months); OR
- GED or high school equivalency test score of 165 (placement must be within the last 18 months)
- Any form of placement must be within the last 5 years unless otherwise noted

ENGLISH

Must have placement in English 101. Placement is determined by:

- ACT English score of 18 or higher; OR
- KC Writing Placement (Verbal score of 310 or higher AND Essay score of three or higher); OR
- SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing score of 480 or higher; OR
- High school cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher on an unweighted 4.0 scale; OR
- A GED or high school equivalency test score of 165: OR
- Completion of prerequisite course English 100 with a "B" or better; OR
- Completion of English 101 with a "C" or better.
- Any form of placement must be within the last five years