

Jefferson Regional School of Nursing
Admission Requirements and General Information
Class Begins July 31, 2023
Application Deadline is June 1, 2023

Please direct all inquiries or correspondence for admission to:

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Office hours for JRSON are 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday and Friday by appointment only. Classes are admitted each January & July. Completed applications are reviewed and acted upon by the APRG (Admissions, Promotion, Recruitment and Graduation) Committee and/or Director.

Admission Requirements (The following required documents may either be emailed directly to newtonm@jrnc.org & haynesama@jrnc.org or hand-delivered or mailed to the address listed above)

- High School Graduate/GED transcript (may be emailed directly from the school or delivered in a sealed envelope)
- ATI TEAS score of at least 60%
- All College Transcripts - Must be official and mailed or emailed to the Director and Registrar
- Current CPR Certification through American Heart Association BLS Provider
- ACT (score will NOT be used to determine admission, but is required, and should be able to be obtained through your high school Registrar)
- Letter of Good Standing, if previously enrolled in any type of nursing program

Current Immunizations - validated by copy of immunization record

- TDap within the past 10 years;
- (2) MMR vaccines and/or titers;
- varicella x 2 or a positive history of disease (chicken pox) and/or titers;
- hepatitis B vaccine series and/or positive titers;
- current TB skin test - will take place the first week at School of Nursing
- Annual flu shot
- COVID vaccinations or medical/religious exemption approval - ask if you need an exemption form

Pre-Requisite Education Requirements

- English Composition I (ENGL 1313) (3 hours)
- English Composition II (ENGL 1323) (3 hours)
- Anatomy & Physiology I (BIOL 2454) (4 hours)
- Anatomy & Physiology II (BIOL 2464) (4 hours)
- Microbiology (BIOL 2474) (4 hours)
- College Algebra (MATH 1333) (3 hours)
- General Psychology (PSYC 2303) (3 hours)

* Anatomy & Physiology I and II must be less than 5 years old

* Sciences must be in person labs

****All prerequisite courses are required to be completed before acceptance into the program. All transcripts as well as required documents must be in the file before the deadline or the application will not be considered for admission.***

Ability-to-benefit and/or applicants without a high school diploma or GED are ineligible for admissions.

www.jrmc.org/schoolofnursing

JRMC School of Nursing is not certified on SEVIS (Student and Exchange Visitor Information System), and therefore cannot accept international students on Student Visas, or applicants who are not U.S. citizens.

In the space below, list current enrollment(s) as applicable. Official transcript(s) are required when current courses are completed. Course grade report will be temporarily accepted if currently enrolled in a course of study.

EDUCATIONAL HISTORY (continued)			
Name of Institution	Course(s)	Credit Hours	Awarded (Degree/Diploma/Certificate)

Complete the chart below

TESTING HISTORY

Have you ever taken: ATI TEAS: Yes: _____ No: _____ TOEFL: Yes: _____ No: _____
 Score: _____ Date: _____ Date: _____

Include **all*** employment beginning with present or most recent. Attach a separate sheet of paper if additional space is needed.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY					
Employer	City/State	Date		Job Responsibility	Reason for Leaving
		From	To		

Are you registered or licensed? Yes: _____ No: _____
 Registry/License No. and State: _____

The following information is optional and used for statistical purposes and does not affect eligibility for selection:

Predominate Ethnic Background:
 _____ American Indian/Alaskan Native * _____ Asian or Pacific Islander * _____ Black, Non-Hispanic
 _____ Hispanic/Latino * _____ White, Non-Hispanic * _____ Biracial * Other: _____

NOTE: This application **will not** be processed until **all** required records are submitted.
 (See "Application Process Letter" link on the web page and/or School Catalog for application procedure).

JRSON does not discriminate in the educational programs or activities of the School on the basis of race, sex, age, creed, national origin, marital status or disability. She School has identified specific essential functions (technical standards) critical to the success of students enrolled in the nursing program. Refer to the School Catalog, Essential Functions Policy.

I hereby make application for selection to JRSON and declare that the information on this application is complete and accurate. I understand that any misrepresentation, falsification, omission of information or any other attempt to deceive the School is cause for either denial of selection for admission or dismissal from enrollment and that future applications shall not be considered by JRSON.

I have read and/or discussed the *Essential Functions* necessary in the role of nursing student which can be found in the School Catalog and believe I would be able to perform them.

I voluntarily give JRSON the right to make any investigation of my personal history related to school and employment records.

Applicant Signature: _____ **Date:** _____
 *All means "total; entirety"

Instructions for Taking the ATI TEAS Test

SEARK is a testing site for the TEAS exam.

The cost is approximately \$125.00.

You will need to call for test date availability.

A minimum score of 60 is required to be considered for admission into JRSON.

To Register for Test Go to the Website listed below:

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

STEP 1: Sign in or create a new user account. (NOTE: If you have ever been registered with ATI, do not sign in as a new user. Use your old account.)

You may take the TEAS exam a maximum of three (3) times per year.

There is study material available on the web site.

You must bring your driver's license in order to test.

UPON FINISHING EXAM, PRINT (2) COPIES OF RESULTS, (1) TO BE BROUGHT TO THE SCHOOL OF NURSING AND (1) TO KEEP.

If you have any questions, please contact the School of Nursing. (870)541-7858.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR TAKING THE TEAS EXAM PROCTORIO (at home)

ATI now has made it possible for students to take the TEAS exam proctorio at home. There are specifications required for this exam. Please check the site for specifics.

A minimum score of 60% is required for admission into the JRSON.

You are only allowed to take the TEAS exam 3 times in a year. If you surpass this, you will have to wait a year after you have taken the first exam in order to test again.

There is study material available on the website. There is also remediation available to you in your ATI account if you have taken the exam and your score was below 60%.

If you have ever been registered with ATI do **not** sign in as a new user. Use your old account.

[TEAS information Link](#)

- (<https://www.atitesting.com/teas/the-ati-teas-exam-with-proctorio>)

[TEAS Registration Link testing with ATI](#)

- (<https://www.atitesting.com/teas/register>)

Upon finishing the exam, print (2) copies of the results, (1) to be brought to the School of Nursing and (1) for yourself. You may also email it to newtonm@jrnc.org