

Piedmont Community College

Kaplan Admission Test

The Kaplan Admission Test will be administered on the following dates in E-150:

Friday, January 25th @ 9:00

Friday, February 1st @ 1:00

Friday, February 8th @ 9:00

Friday, February 15th @ 1:00

Friday, February 22nd @ 9:00 AND 1:00

Snow make-up day only – Saturday, February 23rd @ 9:00

How to apply and register for the Kaplan Admission Test:

The Associate Degree Nursing Program at Piedmont Community College uses the Kaplan Admission Test to aid in selecting candidates for the upcoming Nursing Class. Upon completion of ALL developmental courses, students may apply to take the Kaplan Admission Test. The test cannot be taken until PHASE I of the ADN Admissions process is completed and all required materials have been received in the Admissions Office.

Students are only allowed to test once per academic year. Students who achieve an overall score of 65% will be given priority admission over those scoring lower than 65% due to these score correlating with a student successfully completing the nursing program. It is the student's responsibility to complete the application to test and schedule a date to take the test prior to the last scheduled day of testing. **Applicants who qualify for testing accommodations, must request accommodation and notify the testing proctor prior to taking the test.**

In order to reserve a seat for the Kaplan Admission Test on one of the above dates, you must meet with a nursing advisor to obtain signature on the Kaplan Information and Application, pay your testing fee in A Building and sign up for the test with Dawn Oakley. **There is a \$25 fee for taking the test.** Seating for each exam is limited. Your seat will not be guaranteed until payment is received. **If you miss the exam for any reason, your money is non-refundable. In the event that bad weather forces a test day to cancel, the snow make-up day is the reserved date.**

In order to take the test on this date, you must arrive at the testing location no later than 15 minutes before the appointed time. Absolutely no one will be admitted after testing has started.

On the day of the exam, you must bring the following:

1. Two forms of Identification. **One form must be a Photo ID.** This can be a driver's license, valid passport, or school picture ID. *(Students who fail to present two forms of identification as described above will not be admitted into the testing room.)*
2. At least two No. 2 pencils.

You will need to allow a minimum of 3 hours for taking the test, printing of the score reports, and checking out. Study guides for the Kaplan Admission Test may be checked out from our library or purchased through the PCC Bookstore or other location.

For questions about test administration or registration for the Kaplan Admission Test, please contact the Information Desk in Building E at (336) 322-2159. In case of inclement weather, the Kaplan Admission Test will follow the College's hours of operation.

Kaplan Information and Application

The Kaplan Admission Test is mandatory for entrance into the Nursing Program, effective January 2017. This test is a computerized admissions test used by Piedmont Community College to measure basic skills in Reading, Mathematics, Science, and English. These entry level skills are important to the nursing program applicants. Kaplan's Admission Test is a tool to determine if students have the academic skills necessary to perform effectively in a school of nursing. The Admission Test is a 91-question, multiple-choice test that evaluates the basic reading, math, writing and science skills of students seeking entry into a nursing program leading to RN licensure. A study guide for the Kaplan Admission Test can be purchased in the PCC bookstore.

Payment of Fees

Please meet with a nursing advisor to confirm that you have met the requirements and are eligible to take the Kaplan Admission Test. Their authorizing signature is required on this form. All students taking the Kaplan Admission Test at Piedmont Community College must pay \$25.00. Prior to the exam, please take the payment to the Cashier's Office. Once you have paid your fee, you must schedule your exam date with Dawn Oakley in L-109.

You will not be allowed to test without two forms of identification.

Scheduled Exam Date: _____

Proof of Payment: _____

Kaplan Admission Test APPLICATION TO TEST AND PAYMENT FORM

Student Name: _____ Student ID#: _____

Student Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Telephone Number: _____

(Please return this form along with your payment to the Business Office in A Building.)

Please complete this section and take to a Nursing advisor for test authorization.

- I have completed all required developmental courses (DRE 098, DMA 10-50).
- I have completed a general chemistry and biology course at or above the high school level.
- I am prepared to take the Kaplan Admission Test.
- I understand I can only take this one time per academic year.
- I understand I must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher in required and prerequisite courses.
- I understand there is a \$25 non-refundable fee each time I take the test.
- I understand if I qualify for testing accommodations based on a disability, I must request accommodations and notify the PCC Disabilities Coordinator prior to taking the test.**

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Authorizing Signature _____ Date _____