Kaplan Nursing Admission Test

Section order and timing:
• Tutorial section: 9 questions (no time limit; does not count towards total test time)
• Reading section: 22 questions to be answered in 45 minutes
• Math sections: 28 questions to be answered in 45 minutes
• Writing section: 21 questions to be answered in 45 minutes
• Science sections: 20 sections to be answered in 30 minutes

Topic Outline:
The Admissions Test consists of 4 sections with a total of 91 questions. The total testing time is up to 165 minutes.

READING- 22 questions; time allotted- 45 minutes. Candidates read four passages and answer questions that measure the essential skills required for reading:
• Determining the logic of a passage  
• Comprehending details  
• Drawing basic inferences  
• Identifying the purpose of a passage

MATH- 28 questions; time allotted- 45 minutes. The test measures the candidate’s ability to apply mathematical principles in the following areas:
• Conversions  
• Operations  
• Ratios  
• Word problems

WRITING- 21 questions; time allotted- 45 minutes. Candidates read nine passages and answer questions that measure the essential skills required for writing:
• Assessing passage development  
• Assessing paragraph logic  
• Assessing mechanics of writing

SCIENCE- 20 questions; time allotted- 30 minutes. The test measures the candidate’s knowledge of physiology in the following areas:
• Cardiovascular system  
• Electrolytes  
• Gastrointestinal system  
• Immune system  
• Neurology  
• Renal system  
• Hematological system  
• Homeostasis  
• Respiratory system  
• Sensory system

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