



Office of the Academic Deans
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In the first semester you will be introduced to Kaplan Standardized testing. The standardized testing will allow you to build on the testing skills required to successfully sit for National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX) after graduation. The standardized tests are built into your class schedule, and for the most part, are administered at the school.

Account Registration

You will be automatically registered for a Kaplan student account. You will receive an email from integrated.support@kaplan.com to your **umaryland.edu** email account. Please check your **spam box** if you do not receive the email by the end of the second week of the semester. In the event you do not receive the email, please contact the KAPLAN Student Support Line at 1-877-572-8457.

After you login to your Kaplan student account, you will be able to access a pre-recorded version of the Kaplan new student orientation via the "Watch Me First" link on the KAPLAN student home page at http://nursing.kaplan.com/S_Login.aspx.

Test Administration

Tests will be administered on campus by way of personal laptops. You will be asked to bring your laptop to class the day of testing. Tests will not be available in Kaplan portal until actual testing date and time.

Technology Requirements

We recommend students sign on using their laptops/ personal computers to ensure Firefox and/or Google Chrome are functioning and able to access to the Kaplan website. You can access the website from any computer, laptop or tablet.

System Check: To ensure that you have the best possible classroom experience, please run a system check prior to your first session by clicking the following link:

http://liveonline.kaptest.com/common/help/en/support/meeting_test.htm

Note: Before logging in, please download and install the Adobe Connect Add-in:

PC users - http://www.adobe.com/go/adobeconnect_9_addin_win

MAC users - http://www.adobe.com/go/adobeconnect_9_addin_mac

Connection Information: In many cases, a wireless (WiFi) connection will provide sufficient Internet bandwidth, but it is recommended that your computer connects to the classroom via a wired (Ethernet) connection to ensure your lesson is streamed without interruptions due to technology. Please close all other applications that may take away system resources and bandwidth from your class.

For questions using the Kaplan site, sign on issues, and all other KAPLAN related questions, please contact the Student Support Line at 1-877-572-8457.

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Kaplan Basics Book

In addition to the resources provided through the Kaplan web portal, you also receive a free copy of the KAPLAN “BASICS” book.

Baltimore students..... pick up your free copy of the Kaplan Basic Book in The Office of the Academic Deans, Room 404, Monday – Friday, 10:00am – 4:00pm.

*Shady Grove students....*you will receive your free copy of the Kaplan Basic Book in class.

You can download an electronic copy of the book on the Kaplan student home page at http://nursing.kaplan.com/S_Login.aspx. The “Get Your Basics Guide Here” link is in the upper right-hand corner upon logging in.

SAVE THE DATE: Kaplan Live Review

As required by the program, all graduating students are to participate in the Kaplan Live Review session. The three day in person session, online course- Roadmap to Success, and practice test are mandatory for all students in order to be certified as having completed all graduation requirements and to sit for the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX) exam. We recommend you plan for the Live Review to be held sometime between the week before, of, or immediately after graduation.

Future Correspondences

Future correspondences may be sent from:

BSN Program will be sent via email from: NRSUndergraduate@umaryland.edu

CNL Program will be sent via email from: NRSGraduate@umaryland.edu

Broad correspondences may be sent from: NRSAcademicDeans@umaryland.edu

Please check your email filters and spam box to ensure communication is received without interruption.

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