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# Welcome to Grossmont College!

A message from the president

ear Grossmont College student,

Welcome to a new semester at Grossmont College!

Congratulations on investing in yourself and your future, and we thank you for choosing to be our student.



Grossmont College is one of the leading community colleges in the region. We are top in transfers to San Diego State and the leading provider of higher education and workforce training in San Diego's East County region. It is an exciting time to be a student at Grossmont College. As our classes continue to return to in-person instruction, the campus is alive with students, professors, staff members, campus activities, events, and much more.

Whether this is your first semester at Grossmont College or you're a returning student, we know you'll quickly find a home and a community here at the home of the Griffins. Our student services such as Extended Opportunity Programs and Services (EOPS), First Year Experience, Accessibility Resource Center, tutoring and learning communities are here to help you thrive as a student. Student organizations such as the Associated Students of Grossmont College, athletics and student clubs are the perfect way to get involved on campus, make friends and become a student leader. All these services are here to support you and I hope you will seek out any help you need.

Thank you again for choosing Grossmont College and for investing in your future.

Have a wonderful semester and know that we are all here for you.

Go Griffins!

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Denise Whisenhunt, J.D. President, Grossmont College

# Spring 2023 Important Dates and Deadlines

Application Deadline (for appointment time)	October 28
Registration	November 14 - January 29
Intersession 2023	January 3 - 28
Regular Day & Evening Classes Begin	January 30
Program Adjustment	January 30 - February 12
Holiday (Martin Luther King Day)	January 16*
Last Day to Drop without "W" (semester length classes)	February 12
Last Day to Apply for Refund (semester length classes)	
Census Day(semester length classes)	
Holiday (Lincoln's Birthday Observed)	February 17 & 18* (Friday & Saturday)
Holiday (Washington's Birthday Observed)	
Last Day to Apply for Spring 2023 Degree/Certificate	
Last Day to Apply for P/NP (1st 8-weeks length classes)	March 25
End of First 8-Week Session.	March 25
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Second 8 - Week Session Begins	April 3
Last Day to Drop Semester Length Classes	April 30
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### REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

#### WHAT DOES IT COST TO ATTEND?

#### **REGISTRATION FEES**

Students attending both Grossmont and Cuyamaca Colleges pay parking fees on ONE CAMPUS ONLY. Enrollment and health fees for these students are figured on a district basis:

Enrollment Fee (Mandatory)	\$46 per unit
Health Fee*	\$20
Student Benefit Card (Grossmont College)	\$12
Student Representation Fee**	\$2
Parking Fee:	
Auto Parking Permit	\$40
Motorcycle Parking Permit	\$20
Non-resident Students — above fees <b>plus</b>	\$304 per unit
International Students — above fees <b>plus</b>	\$304 per unit

\*Students who depend exclusively upon prayer for healing in accordance with teachings of a bona fide religious sect, denomination, or organization are exempt from health fees.

\*\*Approved by vote of students.

Fees may be paid by Visa, MasterCard, DiscoverCard, American Express, cash, personal check, cashier's check, or money order. Make checks payable to: GCCCD or Grossmont College. The student's ID number must be clearly written on the front of checks and money orders.

Checks or credit card transactions returned by the bank will result in a \$10 returned item charge. Do not send cash through the mail.

#### HOW TO MAKE A PAYMENT

Grossmont College accepts payment by check, money order, Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express. Checks are to be made payable to Grossmont College.

Payment Plan—\$25.00 per semester nonrefundable enrollment fee (ACH & credit/debit card). Easy online enrollment—log-in to Self-Service at <a href="www.gccd.edu">www.gccd.edu</a>, click on Students' menu. Flexible payment options available. No interest is charged; however, penalties will be applied for missed payments—\$30.00 fee if a payment is returned. For more information, call the Cashier's Office at (619) 644-7660.

**Credit Card**—Payments are due at the time of registration through Self-Service (<u>www.grossmont.edu</u>). We accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express.

Check or Money Order—Make sure your student identification number is written on your check or money order. Make payable to GCCCD or Grossmont College. You may mail your check (for registration payments ONLY) to:

Grossmont College Cashier's Office 8800 Grossmont College Drive El Cajon, CA 92020-1799 Walk-In—Cashier's office, Room 10-110.

\*Note: You may confirm that your payment was received by logging online at <a href="www.grossmont.edu">www.grossmont.edu</a> and selecting Self-Service to review your account.

#### Returned Check Charge

A \$10 fee will be charged for all returned checks.

#### Delinquent Debt Collection Charge

If a delinquent debt is sent to the Chancellor's Office Tax Offset Program, a 33% penalty charge will be added to the balance owed.

#### CALIFORNIA COLLEGE PROMISE GRANT

The California College Promise Grant (formerly called the Board of Governors Fee Waiver) helps low income students pay the enrollment fee and the parking fee in excess of \$20.00. This aid does not have to be repaid. Eligibility requirements are available at <a href="https://www.grossmont.edu/financial-aid/grants/california-college-promise-grant.php">www.grossmont.edu/financial-aid/grants/california-college-promise-grant.php</a> or in the Financial Aid Office.

You must submit your FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid), California Dream Act application or the California College Promise Grant application every award year to be considered for this program. You must also make satisfactory academic progress as outlined in the College catalog and be approved by the Financial Aid Office.

#### ALERT!

Students are responsible for all appropriate fees and may be dropped from classes for non-payment of fees.

# HOW DO I REGISTER FOR CLASSES?

#### APPLICATION PROCESS

New students and students who have missed two or more consecutive semesters (re-admit) must file an application for admission online at <a href="https://www.grossmont.edu">www.grossmont.edu</a>. Continuing, new and readmit students who apply after

October 28, 2022, may register during open registration.

#### REGISTRATION PROCESS

Registration can be completed through Self-Service (online registration). See page 6 for detailed registration information.

### CHANGES AFTER CLASSES BEGIN

Adds and drops can be processed through Self-Service prior to the deadline for the class during the following hours on or AFTER your assigned registration time.

Self-Service can be accessed at <a href="www.grossmont.edu">www.grossmont.edu</a>. Computers are available on campus. Registration assistance will be available during regular office hours.

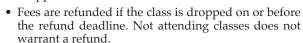
#### STEPS TO ADD CLASS(ES)

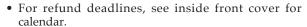
#### **Full Term Classes**

- Acquire an Add Authorization at the first meeting of the class
- Login to the Self-Service. From the student menu under "Registration," click on "Search, Plan & Register" and find the correct section, and then click "Register" under the correct section.
- Payment is expected at the time you add/register for a class. A Class and Fee Statement will NOT be mailed. You may print a list of your classes using the "My Class Schedule" link on Self-Service.
- Add Authorization will not override course prerequisites. You will not be permitted to add the class until course prerequisite(s) is/are cleared at the Counseling Center.
- The last day to use the Add Authorization will vary by class. You must add the class within 5 days of receiving the Add Authorization. Once the Add Authorization period has passed, you must file a Late Add Petition at Admissions and Records.

#### STEPS TO DROP CLASS(ES):

- Use Self-Service to drop classes.
- It is the student's responsibility to officially drop courses they are no longer attending.
- A grade will be issued if the class is not officially dropped!





#### **ACCESS YOUR GRADES**

Grades are available through Self-Service at www.grossmont.edu.

### REGISTRATION INFORMATION

# TO REGISTER ON THE INTERNET

 Your time to register is on your Registration Information e-mail. You can use Self-Service to register ONLY AT OR AFTER YOUR ASSIGNED REGISTRATION TIME.



- Sign on at <u>www.grossmont.edu</u> and click on the Self-Service link.
- You will need to know the semester you are registering for, your user ID and password, the college and the section number(s) of the class(es) for which you wish to enroll.
- Click on the registration option and follow the directions.
- You may add or drop classes, add your name to a Priority Wait List, purchase parking and benefit cards, pay your registration fees, view and print your schedule, change your address, and view and print grades.

#### **REGISTRATION DATES AND HOURS**

Self-Service availability: Monday, November 14, 2022 through Sunday, January 29, 2023

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

- Priority registration Please refer to the college web site for priority registration information.
- Time conflicts are not allowed! You may not register for any section that meets on the same day and at the same time as another section you have selected.
- You may not enroll in two sections of the same subject. For example, you may not enroll in two sections of ART 120.
- The maximum number of units you may enroll in is eighteen (18). To add additional units, you must contact counseling for an overload card. This card will be submitted by the Counseling Department to the Admissions and Records Office.



 You may register for classes at Grossmont and/or Cuyamaca College through Self-Service (providing one of the college(s) has a current application on file).

#### **COURSE PREREQUISITES**

• Please check the course description in the college catalog for course prerequisites. If an assessment test is required, check the list of test dates on the assessment web site at <a href="https://www.grossmont.edu/admissions/placement-assessments/index.php">https://www.grossmont.edu/admissions/placement-assessments/index.php</a>. If you believe you have met the prerequisite, visit our web site at <a href="https://www.grossmont.edu/admissions/prerequisites-by-program/index.php">https://www.grossmont.edu/admissions/prerequisites-by-program/index.php</a>. If the prerequisite has not been met, an alternate course should be selected.

#### WAIT LIST PROCESS

Wait lists for all classes begin the instant that classes close due to full enrollment. Students **cannot be added to a wait list IF**: (1) it is prior to student registration appointment; or (2) the student is already enrolled, or on a wait list, in another section of the same class; or (3) the wait list is full; or (4) the class has started. Students are added to the wait list for a class on a first-come, first-served basis.

As seats become available, students are automatically added to the class in which they are wait-listed. Students will not be added to a class IF: (1) the class will cause a time conflict with another class on the student schedule; or (2) the class will cause the student to go over the maximum number of units allowed; or (3) another section of the same course is already on the student schedule; or (4) the student has a HOLD which prohibits registration. The student will be billed immediately once the student has been successfully moved from the wait list into the class and an email notice will be sent to the student email address on record. It is the student's responsibility to update all of their contact information in the Admissions and Records Office. To check and keep your information current, please use the Update Personal Information link under User Account on the Self-Service Student

For students that were not registered from the wait list: (1) student cannot view wait-listed classes after semester begins; (2) on the first day of class, instructors will determine the number of open seats; (3) spaces may be offered to students in the order their names were added to the wait list; (4) if a space is offered to a student, the instructor will give the student an Add authorization via Self-Service.

Students are responsible for all fees generated from added classes; includes all forms of adds via web, moved from wait list, or by an add card. Students are responsible for monitoring their schedule and fees using Self-Service.

#### UPDATING YOUR RECORDS

- What is my Colleague ID? Colleague ID is a unique 7-digit student identification number assigned to you by the college (replaces social security number as ID).
- What is my Password? The initial Password is your PIN (birth date MMDDYY). Upon first login you will be required to choose a NEW password (must be 6-9 characters, using both letters and numbers, and is Case-sensitive).
- Address and E-Mail Changes: Login to Self-Service, click *Students*, click *Address Change* and update your information. We will be corresponding to you via e-mail regarding registration information, class change notifications and other important messages; therefore, it is important that your e-mail is correct. Please make sure you have the college domain (gcccd.edu) on your Safe Sender list.
- Academic Program (Major Code): You may update your Academic Program (major) by submitting an Academic Program Change form to the Admissions and Records Office.

## IMPORTANT COURSE REPETITION CHANGES

The California Community College Board of Governors recently passed revisions to Title 5 regarding course repetition that took effect during the 2012 summer semester. Students will only be allowed to enroll in a course three times if they received a substandard grade (D, F, NP or NC) or withdrew from the class with a "W." Students with extenuating circumstances may seek approval to enroll in a course for the fourth time through the petition process. These changes do not contain a grandfather clause so any student that has already taken a course the maximum number of times will no longer be able to take the same class within the Grossmont-Cuyamaca Community College District.

#### Course Repetition and Receiving Federal Aid

Students can only receive financial aid for up to one (1) repeat of any course with a passing grade (A, B, C, D, and P grades are considered passing for financial aid purposes).

Schedule your appointment to get your ID cards at the Admissions and **Records Office.** 

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## PREREQUISITE ALERT . . . PREREQUISITE ALERT

### Prerequisite Clearance Information

It is extremely important to clear your prerequisites from coursework taken at colleges outside the Grossmont-Cuyamaca Community College District before your registration date! Please check to see if your class has a prerequisite in the Grossmont College Catalog. Prerequisites must be cleared prior to enrollment. Plan ahead and take care of this as early as possible to avoid waiting in long lines and possible delays to your enrollment in important classes.

Prerequisites **ARE NOT** cleared automatically. Requests to clear any prerequisite **MUST be initiated by the student.** 

Please visit the prerequisite clearance website at https://www.grossmont.edu/admissions/prerequisites-by-program/index.php and navigate to the appropriate department(s) for instructions on how to clear a specific course prerequisite. Required prerequisites are posted in the college catalog and available online.

Administration of Justice

American Sign Language

Anthropology

Art

Astronomy

**Biology** 

**Business** 

**Business Office Technology** 

Cardiovascular Technology

Chemistry

Child Development

Communication

Computer Science

Culinary Arts

Dance

**Economics** 

English

English as a Second Language

Geography

Geology

Health Education

Health Sciences

**Mathematics** 

Media Communication

Multimedia

Music

Nursing

Nutrition

Occupational Therapy Assistant

Oceanography

Orthopedic Technology

Photography

Physical Science

**Physics** 

Psychology

Respiratory Therapy

Sociology

Theatre Arts

World Languages (formerly Foreign Languages)

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