

GRCC International Student Admissions Application

Requirements for Admission

ADMISSION CHECKLIST (Please review carefully.)

- Completed application.
- Proof of financial support: official bank statements (in English) indicating availability of sufficient funds to cover one year of college expenses and official endorsement letter from the financial institution. (See grcc.edu/internationalfinancialrequirements for up-to-date estimated expenses.)
- Proof of English language proficiency. (See grcc.edu/internationalenglishrequirements for details.)
- Copy of passport.
- Copy of transcript or diploma (in English) proving completion of secondary level education.

TRANSFER-IN STUDENTS ONLY

- All of the requirements from the Admission Checklist above.
- Completed GRCC Transfer-in Form: for current F-1 students transferring in from other U.S. higher education institutions.
- Copy of I-94 Record.
- Copy of F-1 Visa.
- Copy of current I-20.
- Official college or university transcripts if transferring in credits.

PERSONAL INFORMATION (Please type or print clearly.)

- New Student Transfer Student

Last Name (family name, as is appears on passport): _____

First Name (given name, as is appears on passport) _____ (Middle Initial): _____

Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year): _____ Sex: Male Female

IMMIGRATION STATUS

Country of Birth: _____ Country of Citizenship: _____

Native Language: _____ English Ability: Fluent Average Low

If currently in the U.S. please indicate your non-immigrant status: F-1 B-1/B-2 J-1 Other: _____

CONTACT INFORMATION (REQUIRED)

Home Country Street Address: _____

City: _____ State/Province: _____ Postal Code: _____ Country: _____

Current U.S. Street Address (if already residing within the United States): _____

City: _____ State: _____ Postal Code: _____

REQUIRED: Email Address (Used as the primary method of communication.): _____

U.S. Phone Number (if available): (_____) _____

To what address do you want the GRCC I-20 document sent?: Home Country Current U.S. Other (Provide address below.):

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State/Province: _____ Postal Code: _____ Country: _____

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

How will you pay for your tuition and living expenses? Personal Funds Family Funds Government Sponsorship from Home Country
 Employer Sponsorship from Home Country U.S. Host or Sponsor Other: _____
 Name of Financial Sponsor: _____ Relationship to Student: _____

Will any dependents accompany you (only spouses and children)?: Yes No If yes, please provide dependent information:
 Name: _____ Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year): _____
 Relationship to Student: _____ Country of Birth: _____
 Name: _____ Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year): _____
 Relationship to Student: _____ Country of Birth: _____

(If dependents will accompany you to the U.S., proof of additional funds are required. Please see grcc.edu/internationalfinancialrequirements for details.)

EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

Highest level of education attained: High School Graduate Some College Associate Degree or Vocational Training
 Bachelor's Degree Other: _____

Educational institution now attending (if transferring to GRCC): _____

When would you like to start at GRCC? (International students are **NOT** admitted for the Summer Semester at GRCC.)

Fall Semester (August) Winter Semester (January) Year: _____

What academic program will you study? (See the attached Transfer and Career Pathways at GRCC.)

Educational goal: Certificate Associate Degree Transfer (for completion of a bachelor's degree at another institution)

SIGNATURE

Grand Rapids Community College is committed to assisting all members of our community in providing for their own safety and security. The Annual Security Report contains information regarding campus security and personal safety including topics such as: crime prevention, campus police law enforcement authority, crime reporting policies, disciplinary procedures, and other matters of importance related to security and safety on campus. The report also contains information about crime data for three previous calendar years. Statistics include reported crimes which occurred on campus, in certain non-campus buildings or property owned or controlled by GRCC, and on public property within or immediately adjacent to and accessible from the campus. This information is required by law and is provided by the Grand Rapids Community College Police Department.

The Annual Security Report is available on the Grand Rapids Community College Police Department website at grcc.edu/annualsecurityreport. If you would like to receive a printed copy of the Annual Security Report, you can stop by the GRCC Police Department at 25 Lyon Street NE or you can request a copy be mailed to you by calling (616) 234-4012.

Title IX of the Education Amendment Act of 1972 requires that all entities receiving federal funds or financial assistance prohibit sex discrimination and sexual harassment in their education programs and activities. Learn more about Title IX at grcc.edu/generalcounsel/titleix.

New international students who use GRCC I-20 to enter the United States must:

- Report in person to a mandatory GRCC new international student orientation session.
 Provide proof of health insurance coverage each semester while enrolled at GRCC.

- I certify that the information submitted in this application and any accompanying documents is true to the best of my knowledge.
 I understand that falsification of information on my part may result in disciplinary action by the college, including denial of admission and/or dismissal from the college. I understand that I must abide by U.S. government regulations to maintain my student status.

Student's Name (print): _____

Student's Signature: _____ Date (Month/Day/Year): _____

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

Please mail your completed form to: International Student Advisor
 GRCC Admissions and Enrollment Center
 143 Bostwick Ave. NE
 Grand Rapids, MI 49503-3295

OR FAX this form to: (616) 234-4107

OR scan and email this form to: internationalstudents@grcc.edu

Transfer Pathways at GRCC.

Take your first two years at GRCC, then transfer to complete your bachelor's degree in any of these programs:

American Sign Language	Digital Media	Information Security	Psychology
Art	Economics	International Relations	Public Relations
Architecture	Education (Elementary)	Journalism	Recreation Leadership Management
Astronomy	Education (Secondary)	Legal Assistant	Social Work
Biochemistry	Engineering	Math	Sociology
Biology	English	Medical Laboratory Science	Spanish
Business - General	Exercise Science	Music	Speech and Audiology
Business Administration	Forensic Biology	Natural Resource Management	Sports Management
Cell and Molecular Biology	French	Nursing, transfer intent (BSN)	Statistics
Chemistry	Geography	Philosophy	Theater
Communication	Geology	Photography	Therapeutic Recreation
Computer Information Systems	German	Political Science	Women and Gender Studies
Computer Science	Health Information Management	Pre-Law	Writing
Construction Management	History	Pre-Medicine	
Criminal Justice	Hospitality and Tourism Management	Pre-Optometry	
Dietetics/Nutrition	Human Resources	Pre-Pharmacy	
Digital Animation and Game Design	Humanities	Pre-Physical Therapy Assistant	

Don't see your program on the list above? No problem.

Our academic advisors are here to help you successfully plan your transfer to virtually any college or university. You can also take advantage of the Michigan Transfer Agreement, often called MTA, which provides transferability of 30 credits to meet many of the General Education Requirements at all public, and some private, Michigan four-year colleges and universities. Learn more at grcc.edu/mta.

Career Pathways at GRCC.

Earn your degree or certificate – and step into your career.

The following pathways will prepare you to start your career after graduation.

Applied Technology

- Electrical Controls Engineering Technology
- Electrical Controls/ Mechatronics
- Electronics Engineering Technology
- HVAC/Refrigeration Technology
- Industrial Maintenance Technology

Automotive

- Automotive Servicing
- Automotive Technology

Business

- Accounting
- Business Administration
- Entrepreneurship
- Management and Supervision
- Marketing
- Office Administration

Computer Information Systems

- Computer Programming
- Computer Support Specialist
- Graphics/Web Development
- Network Administration

Criminal Justice

- Addiction Studies
- Corrections
- Juvenile Services
- Law Enforcement/ Police Academy

Culinary Arts – Secchia Institute for Culinary Education

- Baking and Pastry Arts
- Craft Brewing, Packaging and Service Operations
- Culinary Arts
- Personal Chef
- Restaurant Management

Education

- CDA Formal Training Hours Certificate
- Child Development
- Paraprofessional Education

Health Programs

- Dental Assisting
- Dental Hygiene
- Nursing
- Magnetic Resonance Imaging
- Occupational Therapy Assistant
- Practical Nursing
- Radiologic Technology

Manufacturing

- Industrial Technology
- Manufacturing Apprenticeship
- Plastic-Polymer Engineering Technology
- Quality Science
- Tooling and Manufacturing Technology
- Welding Technology

Mechanical and Architectural Design

- Architectural Technology
- Mechanical Design

Music

- Music (Vocal or Instrumental)
- Digital Audio Specialist
- Recording Technology

Visual Arts

- Interior Decorating and Design
- Fine Arts
- Photography

Other

- Chemical Technology (Physical Science)
- Gerontology (Psychology)

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(616) 234-4000

Note: These programs represent those listed in the 2016-17 GRCC Catalog.