

New Student Checklist

A comprehensive list of what to do after you deposit

All new students complete a series of tasks before starting classes at GC. The New Student Checklist groups these items into two categories: tasks required for course registration, and tasks you need to complete before you begin classes. This list includes items you'll see in your list of Forms to Complete. Additional information for each list item can be found at oncampus.goshen.edu/student-experience/orientation/new-student-checklist.

Tasks required for course registration

New students must complete the following before the Registrar's Office will register them for classes.

- Complete the Advising Questionnaire
- Request to have your official final high school transcript sent to GC
- Request to have your official college transcript(s) sent to GC
- Request to have your AP/IB scores sent to GC
- Complete the online ALEKS Math Placement Test
- Complete the Online Foreign Language Placement Test (*optional*)
- Accept or decline your financial aid
- Submit the Financial Responsibility Agreement
- Submit the Laptop Selection Form (*first-years only*)
- Submit the Student Life Residence Form
- Submit the Student Health Information Form and upload immunization records

Tasks required before classes begin

New students must complete the following list of forms and tasks before the first day of classes.

Note: some items have a specific deadline listed.

- Download Yapp (*orientation app*)
- Set up Parent Access
- Review your estimated bill
- Pay the semester balance or set up a payment plan (*due Aug 1*)
- Complete the Master Promissory Note and Entrance Counseling for federal loans
- Submit the Laptop Usage Agreement Form (*first-years only*)
- Purchase your textbooks and course materials (*opens July 20*)
- Complete the Emergency Contact Form
- Submit a photo for your GC ID card
- Request accommodations
- Register your vehicle
- Complete the Personal Information Update (PIU) (*opens Aug 3*)