

2025-26

PUBLIC SAFETY PATHWAY



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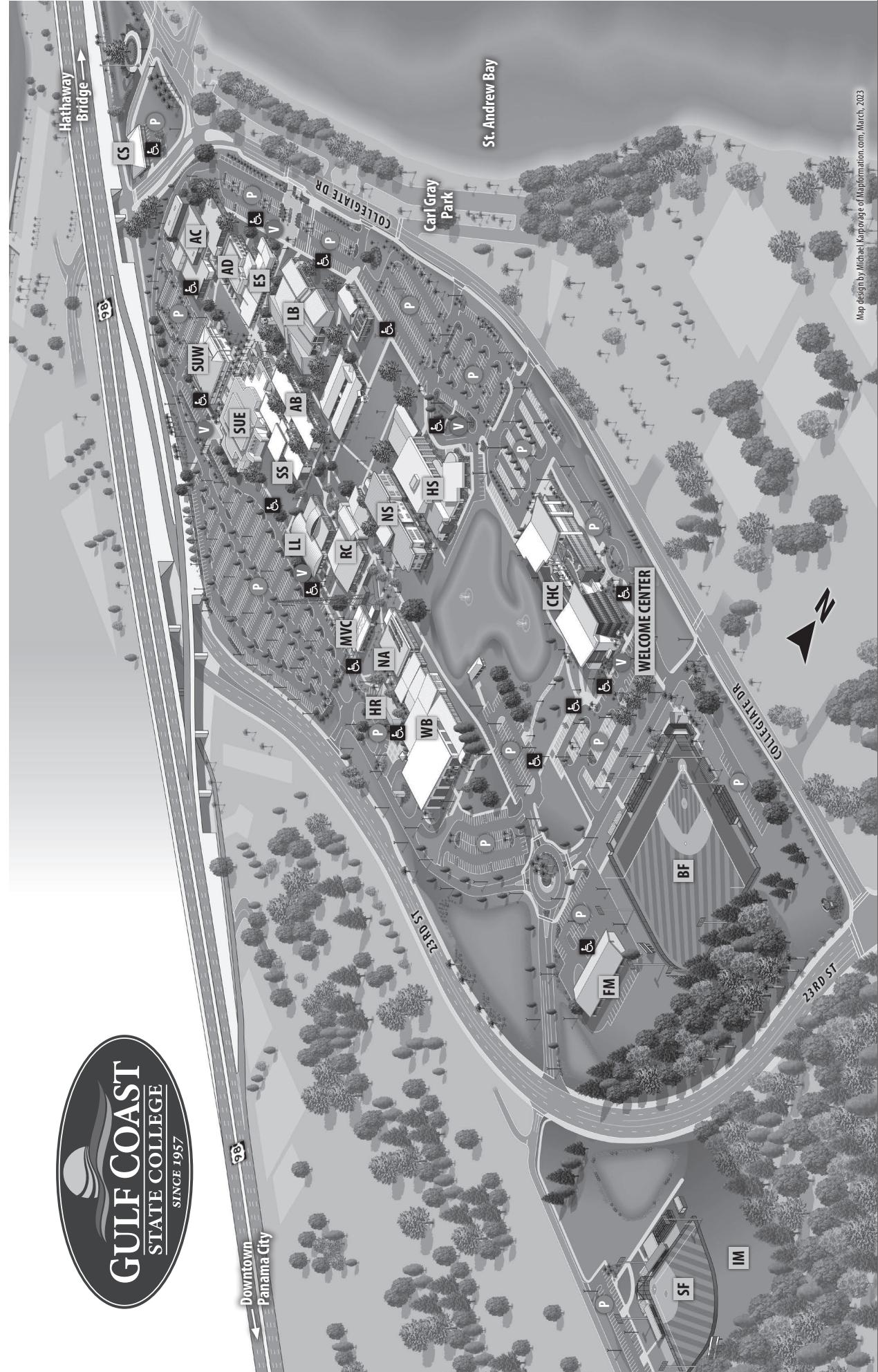
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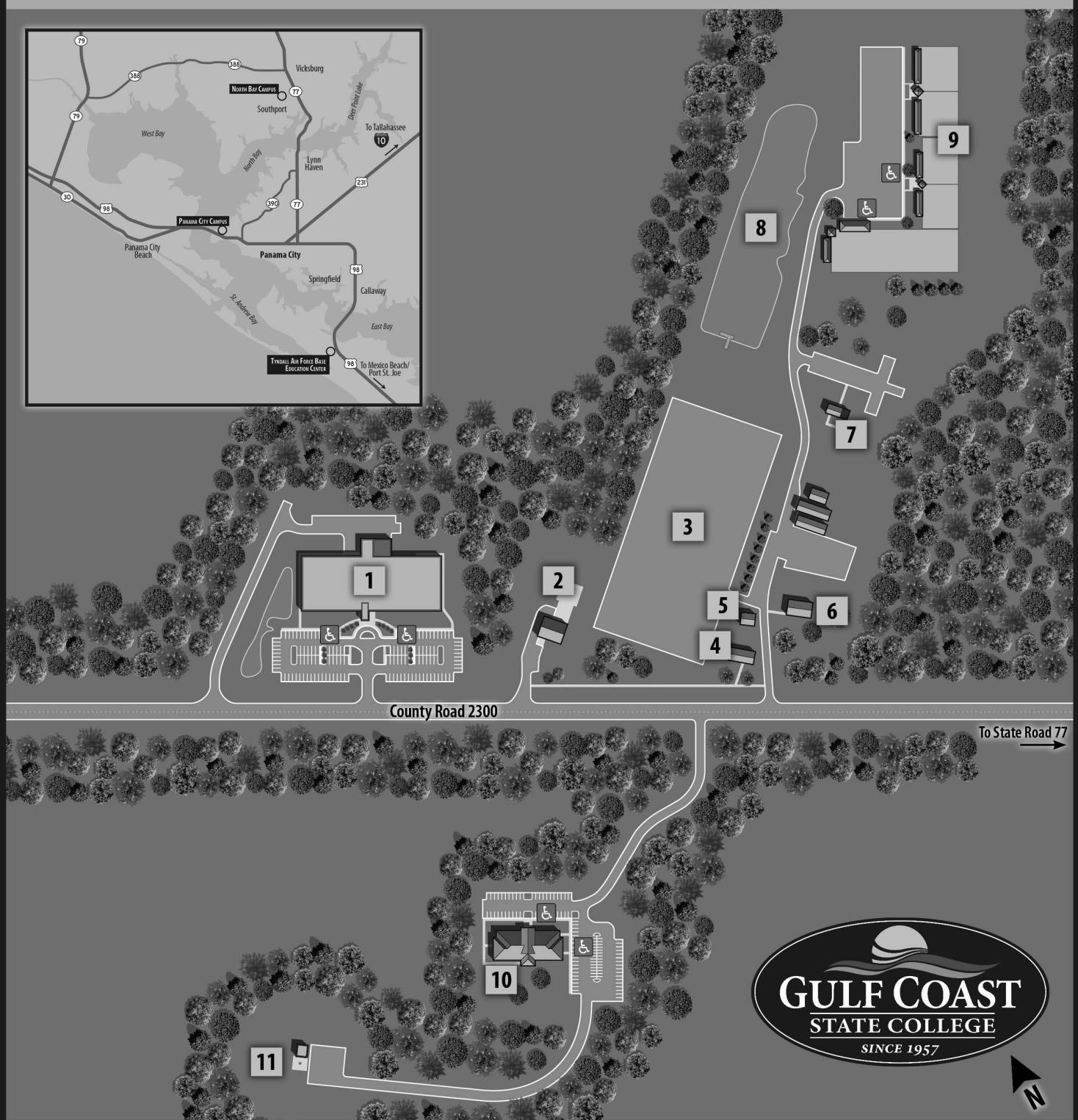
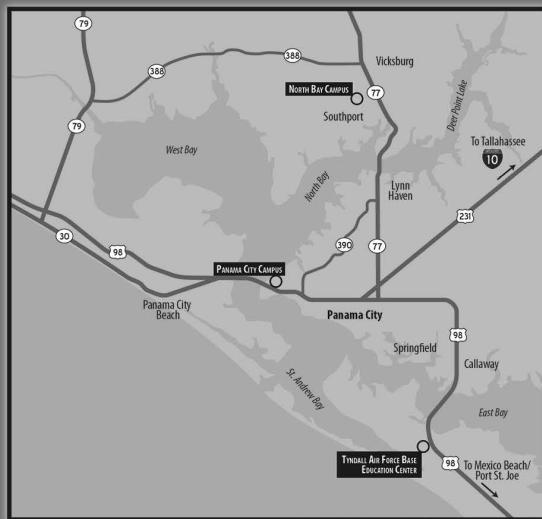
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AC	Amelia G. Tapper Center for the Arts	SUE	Student Union East (Navigation Center)
AB	J.R. Asbell Building	SUW	Student Union West (Bookstore/Testing/TRIO/IBOC)
AD	Administration Building	WB	Wellness Building/Fitness Center
BF	Baseball/Bill Frazier Field	P	Parking Lots
CHC	Charles Hilton Center/Welcome Center (John Holley Dining Room/WKGC/ Dual Enrollment)	V	Visitor Parking
ES	Enrollment Services Building (Admissions/Financial Aid/Foundation)	LL	Accessible Parking
FM	Facilities Maintenance	IM	
HR	Human Resources	LB	
HS	Health Sciences Building	SF	
NA	Intramural Field	IM	
MVC	Language & Literature Building		
NS	Social Sciences Building		
RC	Rosenwald Junior College Classroom Building		
SF	Softball/Joe Tom King Field		
SS	Social Sciences Building		

NORTH BAY CAMPUS MAP



1 GCSC Public Safety Complex
Bay County Emergency Operations Center (EOC)

2 Helicopter Pad

3 Driving Range

4 Classroom A

5 Classroom B

6 Restrooms

7 Fire/Marine Burn Building

8 Underwater Rescue Training Pond

9 Firing Range

10 Abbott Classroom Building

11 Radio Tower & Transmitter



Accessible Parking

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2025 - 2026 College Calendar		Fall 2025 (202508)			Spring 2026 (202601)			Summer 2026 (202605)			
		Session A 8/18 - 12/12	Session B 8/18 - 10/8	Session C 10/13 - 12/12	Session A 1/9 - 5/8	Session B 1/9 - 3/4	Session C 3/5 - 5/8	Session A 5/15 - 7/31	Session B 5/15 - 6/24	Session C 6/25 - 7/31	Session E 6/8 - 7/31
Early Registration for Students Receiving Veteran Benefits from GSC	March 28	March 28	March 28	October 31	October 31	October 31	October 31	March 27	March 27	March 27	March 27
Open Registration for all campuses (Excludes Sat., Sun., & holidays) See In-service Day below.*	March 31	March 31	March 31	November 3	November 3	November 3	November 3	March 30	March 30	March 30	March 30
Web registration will be available when college is closed except for scheduled maintenance windows.											
Registration Fees Due	August 8	August 8	(After August 8, fees due at point of registration)	January 8	January 8	(After January 8, fees due at point of registration)	January 8	May 14	May 14	(After May 14, fees due at point of registration)	(After May 14, fees due at point of registration)
Classes Begin	August 18	August 18	October 13	January 9	January 9	March 5	March 5	May 15	May 15	June 25	June 8
State Employee Fee Waiver Registration	August 18 - 22	August 18 - 22	October 13 - 14	January 9 - 15	January 9 - 15	March 5 - 9	March 5 - 9	May 15 - 20	May 15 - 20	June 25 - 30	June 8 - 10
Drop/Add	August 18 - 22	August 18 - 22	October 13 - 14	January 9 - 15	January 9 - 15	March 5 - 9	March 5 - 9	May 15 - 20	May 15 - 20	June 25 - 30	June 8 - 10
Last day to submit residency fee waiver documentation (by 4:00 p.m.)	August 22	August 22	October 14	January 15	January 15	March 9	March 9	May 20	May 20	June 30	June 15
Last day to cancel registration/drop courses and receive a refund (by 11:59 p.m.)	August 22	August 22	October 14	January 15	January 15	March 9	March 9	May 20	May 20	June 30	June 15
Last day to change major and credit to audit	August 22	August 22	October 14	January 15	January 15	March 9	March 9	May 20	May 20	June 30	June 15
Midterm	October 8	September 11	November 7	March 4	February 5	April 6	April 6	June 23	June 23	July 14	July 2
Student initiated Withdrawal deadline	October 15	September 18	November 14	March 11	February 12	April 13	April 13	June 30	June 30	July 21	July 10
Final Examinations	December 5 - 11	October 8	December 8 - 11	May 1 - 7	March 3 - 4	May 4 - 7	May 4 - 7	July 31	July 31	July 31	July 31
Term Ends	December 12	October 8	December 12	May 8	March 4	May 8	May 8	July 31	July 31	July 31	July 31
Grades available via Banner	December 16	October 14	December 16	May 12	March 9	May 12	May 12	August 4	August 4	August 4	August 4
Graduation Application deadline	September 29	September 29	September 29	February 27	February 27	February 24	February 24	June 15	June 15	June 15	June 15
Honor Convocation						May 1	May 1				
Commencement						May 8	May 8				
*In-Service Day	August 13				January 20						
Student Holidays - Classes will not be held on these days	August 30 - September 1	October 9 - 10	November 11	November 26 - 30	December 15 - January 1	December 15 - January 2	College closed for all students and employees	May 23 - 25	May 23 - 25	July 3 - 5	
Faculty - Christmas Break / New Year							College closed for all students and employees				
Memorial Day								May 23 - 25	May 23 - 25	July 3 - 5	
Independence Day											
Labor Day											
Veteran's Day											
Thanksgiving Holidays											
Christmas Break / New Year's Holiday											
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day											
Spring Break											

Gulf Coast State College reserves the right to change the college calendar, or to make other changes deemed necessary, giving advance notice of change when possible.

Welcome to Gulf Coast State College and to the Public Safety Pathway!

Guided Pathways

Guided Pathways are a GCSC endeavor to provide students with an academic plan that guides students along a path to reach their academic and career goals. By grouping fields of study by similarities, students can explore options that reflect their interests, experience the best preparation for success, and efficiently pursue university transfer of their chosen field.

The six Guided Pathways are identified as the following:

- **Business, Industry, Technology, and Manufacturing**
- **Health Sciences**
- **Humanities, Arts, Design, and Communication**
- **Public Safety**
- **Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics**
- **Social, Behavioral Sciences, and Education**

Pathway Navigators provide initial academic advising and assist students in finding their way around GCSC. The Pathway Navigator is assigned to the broader Pathway and is knowledgeable about the general “area”.

Faculty Advisors work with students to provide more in-depth guidance about the students' chosen program of study. Faculty Advisors are knowledgeable about the specific major or program of study, and work with students to enhance their university transfer or professional opportunities upon program completion.

Programs, majors, and degrees are organized within the Guided Pathways to help students explore their options. The Public Safety Pathway is designed for students who are interested in pursuing advanced study that focuses on skills necessary for careers as a first responder. Students will gain and develop skills such as conflict resolution, decision-making skills, and specific operational and technical skills that will position them to excel in the public service arena.

The Student Navigation Center is located on the second floor of Student Union East. Appointments with Pathway Navigators can be made through MYGCSC.

Disclaimer: Gulf Coast State College makes every reasonable effort to provide accurate information in the contents of this catalog but reserves the right to make changes at any time without prior notice.

Curriculum in this catalog is up to date as of May 20, 2025

Public Safety Pathway

The Pathway Navigator for Public Safety is located at the North Bay Campus in the Public Safety/EOC building, room 110.

The following programs of study are included in the Public Safety Pathway:

The Associate in Arts Degree

Public Safety University Transfer Tracks

- General Education: Public Safety
- Criminology/Criminal Justice

Associate in Arts (A.A.) Degree – The Associate in Arts (A.A.) degree is comprised of the freshman and sophomore years of a baccalaureate degree, also known as a four-year degree. The A.A. degree is specifically designed for the student who plans to transfer to a Florida public university.

The A.A. degree requires a minimum of 60 college-level credit hours. Thirty-six (36) credit hours are specified as the *general education* component of the degree and twenty-four (24) credit hours are referred to as *elective*. These elective courses may be utilized to satisfy specific university major requirements. Students who intend to pursue a specific major at the university should follow the **transfer track** that most closely aligns to the intended major at the university. Each transfer track details courses that are required for transfer to the specific major at the university. These courses are noted as **common prerequisite** courses and when completed successfully, enable the student to transfer to the university as a junior.

The Associate in Science Degree

Public Safety Associate in Science Degrees

- Criminal Justice Technology
- Emergency Medical Services
- Fire Science Technology

Associate in Science (A.S.) Degrees – The Associate in Science (A.S.) degree program is designed to prepare students for a career that requires study beyond the high school level but does not require a four-year degree. Although not designed to transfer to the university, in some cases an A.S. degree may transfer to the university as part of a statewide articulation agreement. However, the intent of these programs is to prepare the graduate to enter the workforce.

The A.S. degree consists of a minimum of 60 college-level semester hours with at least 15 semester hours of General Education Core courses. The General Education Core courses are chosen for their appropriateness for each

degree and represent courses from each of the following disciplines: humanities/fine arts, natural sciences/mathematics, behavioral science/social science, and communications.

Certificate Programs

Public Safety Certificate Programs

- Correctional Officer
- Crossover from Correctional Officer to Law Enforcement Officer
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Firefighting
- Law Enforcement Officer
- Paramedic

Certificate Programs – Certificate Programs are highly specialized programs that vary in length as indicated by state frameworks and prepare a student for immediate employment in a particular field.

Applied Technology Diploma and College Credit

Certificates (C.C.C.) – These certificate programs consist of coursework that is a portion of a specific Associate in Science degree. Completion of this coursework indicates that a student has acquired specific skills necessary for employment.

Career Certificate (V.C.) Programs – Career Certificates (non-college credit), vary in length, and prepare students for immediate employment. Students pursuing this certification are required to successfully complete the Tests of Adult Basic Education (TABE) or the Florida Criminal Justice Basic Abilities Test.

Advising

Registration – Registration is the process of building your class schedule and enrolling in courses. Courses are offered for varying lengths of time in a term. There are three full terms in an academic year—fall, spring, and summer—which are approximately 16 weeks (12 weeks in the summer) each. Each term has mini terms that are 8 weeks (6 weeks in the summer) in length. Go to <https://www.gulfcoast.edu> and click on MYGCSC to access My Student Dashboard, and then MYGCSC Registration to register for classes.

As a new degree-seeking student, you will be eligible for registration after **Pathway Orientation** or **Pathway Advising**.

Faculty Advisor Hold – All first time in college students will have a Faculty Advisor Hold during their first semester. It is the responsibility of the student to meet with their faculty advisor prior to registering for their second semester.

MYGCSC Student Portal

MYGCSC Student Portal is the student's gateway to My Student Dashboard, the student information system; Canvas, the learning management system; Stu-Email, the student email system; and PaperCut, the print management system for students. MYGCSC is located at the college's webpage where students will utilize a secure login to access all these systems. Each system is detailed below.

My Student Dashboard – My Student Dashboard is the student system of record where academic records are stored. Students can register for classes, check their transcripts, access financial aid information, add/drop classes, pay for classes, and check final grades.

My Student Profile – My Student Profile provides students and advisors with a one-stop view of data including holds, registered courses, billing information and financial aid. This one-stop view can be assessed by going to My Student Dashboard page.

Canvas – Canvas is the student learning management system. Students log into Canvas through MYGCSC to see online courses, interact with professors and classmates, submit assignments, and more. Many classes use Canvas to post class information, test scores, homework assignments, discussion boards, additional videos and information, quizzes and tests. Canvas is used for many face-to-face classes as well as online classes.

Student Email – The student email account is the OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION from the college to the student. The college uses this system to communicate with students about Financial Aid, registration dates, student events, and other opportunities for students.

Papercut – The college library has printers available for students. Student printing accounts are managed by PaperCut. Students can log into PaperCut to view their account balance, view printing history, and add funds via PayPal. Funds can also be added at one of the PaperCut kiosks located in the library. Students can take advantage of wireless printing from their personal laptops by uploading documents to PaperCut's User Web Console.

Academic Policies

Grade Forgiveness – Students may repeat a course when a grade of "D" or "F" has been earned. Only the final grade received in courses repeated by the student shall be used in computing the grade point average. However, universities may count forgiven grades in calculating the grade point average. Forgiven grades may also be calculated in determining financial aid eligibility

Withdrawals – Two withdrawals are permitted per credit course. After that, a grade will be assigned. Please be concerned about withdrawals. When admitting students into certain programs, universities may calculate withdrawals as grades. It is your responsibility to verify the effects of enrollment and/or withdrawal upon your financial assistance (financial aid, scholarships, grants, etc.). There are two kinds of withdrawals---student and administrative.

Total Attempts – Only Gulf Coast State College courses are counted in attempts. A student can only repeat a course with a "D" or "F" grade. Two withdrawals are permitted per credit course. On the third attempt, a standard grade will be assigned. A student may enroll three times in each course. On the third attempt and after, a student is assessed full cost of instruction (4 times matriculation). A fourth attempt may be allowed only for students who withdraw or fail due to extenuating circumstances. An exception may be granted only once for each course, provided approval is granted through an academic appeal. The College has the authority to review and reduce fees paid by students, on an individual basis, due to continued enrollment in a course, contingent upon the student's financial hardship. Exceptions may be granted through an academic appeal.

Academic Warning – Students whose TERM GPA is below 2.0 will be placed on Academic Warning. To be removed from Academic Warning at the end of the following term, the student must achieve a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0. Academic Warning is the College's notification that the student should seek assistance from the Advising Center or Counseling Center to assist in developing an education plan.

Academic Probation – Students whose CUMULATIVE GPA is calculated as described below will be placed on Academic Probation. • 1-14 attempted credit hours and an earned GPA of 1.49 or lower • 15-29 attempted credit hours and an earned GPA of 1.74 or lower • 30 or more attempted credit hours and an earned GPA of 1.99 or lower. To be removed from Academic Probation, a student must achieve a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0. Students on Academic Probation are limited to 6 credit hours.

Academic Suspension – Students who have been placed on Academic Probation and have not earned a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 during their probation term, will be placed on Academic Suspension for the following term (fall, spring, summer). Students on Academic Suspension must meet with a counselor prior to registering for classes.

Tutorial Services

The College provides tutorial support to Gulf Coast students in English, reading and mathematics.

Math Lab – Located on the second floor of the Student Union West, the Math Lab offers free tutoring for students in mathematics courses through Calculus I. Students are encouraged to come do their math homework in the lab so they can ask questions as they practice the material. The lab is equipped with computers where students can watch course videos and utilize online resources. The Math Lab is a fun learning environment where students can ask questions, study, and learn how to become successful in their math classes.

Writing and Reading Lab – The Writing and Reading Lab, located in the Rosenwald Classroom Building in rooms 108 and 110, offers free tutoring for students in English and Reading courses and is also happy to provide tutoring to any student seeking assistance with English, grammar, punctuation, mechanics, essay development, reading comprehension, organization of ideas, and MLA, APA, and Chicago style formatting.

ACE Tutoring Lab – The ACE Tutoring Lab is located in the Charles Hilton Center, Room 225 and offers free tutoring to students in accounting, economics, and CGS1570 classes. Students are encouraged to come do their homework or projects in the lab so they can ask questions while they do the work.

Science Tutoring Labs – The Science Tutoring Labs offer free tutoring for students with any science courses such as biology, chemistry, and physics. Tutoring for all BSC (Biological Sciences) courses is available in the Natural Sciences Building, Room 118. Tutoring for all PHY (Physics) and CHM (Chemistry) courses is available in the Asbell Business Building, Room 205. Computers are available in AB 205 for students to watch course videos and utilize online resources.

Placement Testing

Some first-time-in-college degree seeking students entering college credit programs are required to test for placement in English, reading, and mathematics. Students may meet this requirement several ways:

- ACT, SAT, or CLT scores may be used for placement provided that the scores are less than two years old and meet state-mandated minimum score levels.
- If ACT, SAT, or CLT scores are lower than the state-mandated minimum scores, the student

may take Florida's Postsecondary Education Readiness Test (PERT).

- If a student transfers college-level mathematics credit and/or college-level English composition credit to GCSC, the student has completed the testing requirement in that specific discipline and must test only in the area he or she is deficient. Transfer students need to have their transcripts evaluated by the Transcript Evaluation Specialist to determine whether a placement test is required.

Active-duty members of the United States Armed Services qualify for **Flexible Placement**.

Traditional Placement – Prospective students who entered the 9th grade in a Florida public school prior to 2003-2004, or graduated from a non-public Florida High School, or earned the GED qualify for Traditional Placement in English, reading, and mathematics. Traditional Placement requires that the student submit active scores on a college placement test (PERT, CLT, ACT, SAT) to the college to assist Pathway Navigators in determining the student's readiness for college-level English and mathematics.

Flexible Placement – Prospective students who entered the 9th grade in a Florida public school in 2003-2004 or later and who earned a standard Florida high school diploma from a Florida public high school OR are serving as active-duty members of the United States Armed Services qualify for Flexible Placement. Flexible Placement indicates that the student is not required to be tested or to enroll in developmental education. Students have the flexibility to opt into developmental education if they deem it appropriate after consultation with their Pathway Navigator.

Transfer students who have satisfied English and math requirements may not need placement testing. Students who meet the following criteria are exempt from placement testing:

- Non-degree seeking students. Note: the PERT or unofficial transcripts may be required for students taking English or math courses for the first time
- Students who meet the Flexible Placement criteria as described above
- Transfer students who present transcripts showing a grade of "C" or better in college-level English and/or mathematics
- Students with ACT, SAT, or CLT scores at or above the state minimum that are less than two years old. See the following page for the

Traditional Placement scores for College-Level Placement.

In Accordance with Florida Statute, a degree-seeking student has a maximum of two attempts on the PERT once admitted to the college. Attempts are considered by subtest (reading, writing, math) and do not have to be taken at the same time.

College Placement tests are available for a fee and results are available immediately after testing. The PERT can be taken at the Panama City Campus in Student Union West Room 80, at the Gulf/Franklin Campus in Building B, or at the Tyndall Air Force Base Education Center.

Appointments for the Panama City Campus and the Gulf/Franklin Center are made online at <https://www.gulfcoast.edu/academics/academic-support-tutoring/testing/index.html>.



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- Civic Literacy Exam
- CLEP
- TEAS
- GCSC exams
& more!



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testingcenter@gulfcoast.edu

Student Union West,
Room 80 (First Floor)

[gulfcoast.edu/testing-services](https://www.gulfcoast.edu/testing-services)



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Test Score Worksheet for Placement (valid for two years from testing date)

Subtest	PERT	CLT	ACT	SAT DIGITAL NEW	SAT OLD	Course Placement
Writing & Reading	103-150 (W) 106-150 (R)	38***	17 (E) & 19 (R)	490	24	ENC 1101 – English Composition I
Writing & Reading	86-102 (W) 86-105 (R)	36***	15 (E) & 17 (R)	450	22	ENC 1101C – Enhanced English Composition I
Writing	50-85	Must take PERT to determine placement	Must take PERT to determine placement	Must take PERT to determine placement	Must take PERT to determine placement	ENC 0022 – Developmental Writing I & II
Reading	50-85	Must take PERT to determine placement	Must take PERT to determine placement	Must take PERT to determine placement	Must take PERT to determine placement	REA 0019 – Developmental Reading I & II
Math	138-150 & 276-300 (AAF)*	26 or higher Must take AAF 276-300 (AAF)*	28-36	540	27	MAC 2311 – Calculus with Analytical Geometry I Students who place into MAC2311 must have completed a trigonometry course.
Math	138-150 & 250-275 (AAF)*	26 or higher Must take AAF 250-275 (AAF)*	23-27	510	25.50	MAC 1114 – Plane Trigonometry MAC 1140 – Pre-calculus Algebra MAC 2233 – Calculus for Business & Social Science
Math	123-150	19-25	20-22	490	24.50	MAC 1105 – College Algebra STA 2122 – Applied Statistics in Social Science
Math	114-122	16-18	19	480	24.00	STA 2023 – Statistics MGF 1130 – Mathematical Thinking MGF 1107 – Survey of Mathematics **MAT 1033 – Intermediate Algebra
Math	50-113	Must take PERT to determine placement	Must take PERT to determine placement	Must take PERT to determine placement	Must take PERT to determine placement	MAT 0012 – Developmental Arithmetic with Algebra

*** = Sum of Verbal Reasoning and Grammar/Writing Subtests

** = MAT 1033 does not meet General Education requirements

* = Advanced Algebra of Functions (Accuplacer Next Generation) effective as of 05/01/2020

PUBLIC SAFETY PATHWAY



- General Education: Public Safety
- Criminology/Criminal Justice



PUBLIC SAFETY PATHWAY



- Criminal Justice Technology
- Emergency Medical Services
- Fire Science Technology



Criminal Justice Training

Academy Criminal Justice Technology

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE (AS)

2025 - 2026

General Education (18 hours)

The Associate in Science degree consists of a minimum of 60 college-level semester hours with at least 15 semester hours of General Education Core courses. The General Education Core courses are chosen for their appropriateness for each degree and represent courses from each of the following disciplines: humanities/fine arts, natural science/mathematics, behavioral science/social science and communications. Consult with your Faculty Advisor if you have any questions.

Communications (3/4 credits)

- ENC1101 English Composition I•+* 3
- ENC1101C Enhanced English Comp. I•+* 4

Humanities (3 credits)

Select one Humanities course

Humanities 1-Visual & Performing Arts

- ARH2000 Understanding Visual Arts• 3
- MUL2010 Understanding Music• 3
- THE2000 Understanding Theater• 3

Humanities 2-Philosophy/Religion

Prerequisite ENC1101 or ENC1101C with grade "C" or higher.

- HUM2020 Introduction to Humanities•+* 3
- PHI2010 Intro. to Philosophy•+* 3

Humanities 3-Literature

Prerequisite ENC1102 with grade "C" or higher.

- LIT2000 Literature and Culture•+* 3

Mathematics (3 credits)

Select one Mathematics Course

- MGF1130 Mathematical Thinking•+* 3
- STA2023 Statistics•+* 3
- MAC1105 College Algebra•+* 3
- MAC2311 Calculus with Geometry I•+* 4

Natural Sciences (3 credits)

Select one Science course

Physical Sciences

- AST1002 Descriptive Astronomy• 3
- CHM1045 General Chemistry•+ 3
- ESC2000 Earth & Space Science Survey• 3
- EVR1001 Intro. to Environmental Science• 3
- GLY1010 Physical Geology• 3
- OCE1001 Fundamentals of Oceanography• 3
- PHY1020 Basic Concepts of Physics• 3
- PHY2048 University Physics I•+ 4
- PHY2053 College Physics I•+ 3

Biological Sciences

- BSC1005 General Biological Science• 3
- BSC2010 Biology for Science Majors I•+ 3
- BSC2085 Anatomy & Physiology I•+ 3

Social Sciences (6 credits)

Select one Behavioral Science Course

Behavioral Science

- PSY2012 General Psychology• 3
- SYG2000 Principles of Sociology 3

Government

- POS2041 American Nat'l Government•@ 3

Key

+ = Prerequisite or co-requisite required

* = Minimum grade of "C" required

@ = Course meets Civic Literacy Requirement

•= General Education Core course

#=Applies to A.S. and Certificate Programs

Student's Name: _____

Student's ID Number: _____

Pathway Navigator: _____ Faculty Advisor: Daryl White

Major Courses (42 hours)

The purpose of this program is to prepare students for employment and advancement as practitioners in law enforcement and corrections. This program awards credit for successful completion of Florida Basic Standards and for passing the State Officer Certification Examination. Students who graduate from this program would typically work as municipal, county or state law enforcement officers, or county or state correctional officers. The Basic Standards programs have particular admissions and graduation requirements that are explained on their specific pages. (NOTE: Must be 19 years of age by date of employment).

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

Admission requirements include the following:

- Citizen of United States
- High School diploma or GED (transcript required)
- Not discharged from Armed Forces under dishonorable conditions
- Good moral character and NOT have been convicted of a felony, or any misdemeanor involving lying or perjury
- Submit to and pass background investigation

Abbreviations

COBS - Correctional Officer Basic Standards

LEBS - Law Enforcement Basic Standards

SOCE - State Officer Certification Exam

Students with LEBS (42 hours)

- LEBS with passing SOCE 15
- CCJ1010 Intro. to Criminology 3
- CCJ1020 Intro. to Criminal Justice 3
- SPC1608 Intro. to Public Speaking 3
- MAN2021 Principles of Management 3

Computer Usage Elective

- _____ 3

Advisor Approved Electives (12 hours)

Recommended Electives

CJC1000 Intro. to Corrections#, 3 crs.

CJC2162 Probation and Parole, 3 crs.

CJE1000 Intro. to Law Enforcement#, 3 crs.

CJE1500 Police Operations#, 3 crs.

CJE2400 Police Community Relations#, 3 crs.

CJE2600 Intro. to Criminal Investigations#, 3 crs.

CJJ1001 Crime and Delinquency#, 3 crs.

CJL2100 Criminal Law, 3 crs.

CJL2130 Evidence, 3 crs.

CCJ2720 Intro. to Research Meth. in Criminology, 3 crs.

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Students with COBS (42 hours)

- COBS with passing SOCE 12
- CCJ1010 Intro. to Criminology 3
- CCJ1020 Intro. to Criminal Justice 3
- SPC1608 Intro. to Public Speaking 3
- MAN2021 Principles of Management 3

Computer Usage Elective

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Advisor Approved Electives (15 hours)

Recommended Electives

CJC1000 Intro. to Corrections#, 3 crs.

CJC2162 Probation and Parole, 3 crs.

CJE1000 Intro. to Law Enforcement#, 3 crs.

CJE1500 Police Operations#, 3 crs.

CJE2400 Police Community Relations#, 3 crs.

CJE2600 Intro. to Criminal Investigations#, 3 crs.

CJJ1001 Crime and Delinquency#, 3 crs.

CJL2100 Criminal Law, 3 crs.

CJL2130 Evidence, 3 crs.

CCJ2720 Intro. to Research Meth. in Criminology, 3 crs.

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Students without LEBS or COBS (42 hours)

- CCJ1010 Intro. to Criminology 3
- CCJ1020 Intro. to Criminal Justice 3
- SPC1608 Intro. to Public Speaking 3
- MAN2021 Principles of Management 3

Computer Usage Elective

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Advisor Approved Electives (27 hours)

Recommended Electives

CJC1000 Intro. to Corrections#, 3 crs.

CJC2162 Probation and Parole, 3 crs.

CJE1000 Intro. to Law Enforcement#, 3 crs.

CJE1500 Police Operations#, 3 crs.

CJE2400 Police Community Relations#, 3 crs.

CJE2600 Intro. to Criminal Investigations#, 3 crs.

CJJ1001 Crime and Delinquency#, 3 crs.

CJL2100 Criminal Law, 3 crs.

CJL2130 Evidence, 3 crs.

CCJ2720 Intro. to Research Meth. in Criminology, 3 crs.

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Other AS Requirements

General Education Core Requirement

Successful completion of at least one dotted core course from each of the five major general education areas: Communications, Humanities, Mathematics, Natural Sciences, Social Sciences

Civic Literacy Requirement (@)

Successful completion of AMH 2010 OR AMH 2020 OR POS 2041 AND passing score on civic literacy exam (FCLE)

Emergency Medical Services

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE (AS)

2025 - 2026

Student's Name: _____

Student's ID Number: _____

Pathway Navigator: _____ Faculty Advisor: Liliana Zamora

General Education (15 hours)

The Associate in Science degree consists of a minimum of 60 college-level semester hours with at least 15 semester hours of General Education Core courses. The General Education Core courses are chosen for their appropriateness for each degree and represent courses from each of the following disciplines: humanities/fine arts, natural science/mathematics, behavioral science/social science and communications. Consult with your Faculty Advisor if you have any questions.

Communications (3/4 credits)

- ENC1101 English Composition I•+* 3
- ENC1101C Enhanced English Comp. I•+* 4

Humanities (3 credits)

Select one Humanities course

Humanities 1-Visual & Performing Arts

- ARH2000 Understanding Visual Arts• 3
- MUL2010 Understanding Music• 3
- THE2000 Understanding Theater• 3

Humanities 2-Philosophy/Religion

Prerequisite ENC1101 or ENC1101C with grade "C" or higher.

- HUM2020 Introduction to Humanities•+* 3
- PHI2010 Intro. to Philosophy•+* 3

Humanities 3-Literature

Prerequisite ENC1102 with grade "C" or higher.

- LIT2000 Literature and Culture•+* 3

Mathematics (3 credits)

Select one Mathematics Course

- MGF1130 Mathematical Thinking•+* 3
- STA2023 Statistics•+* 3
- MAC1105 College Algebra•+* 3
- MAC2311 Calculus with Geometry I•+* 4

Natural Sciences (3 credits)

Select one Science course

Physical Sciences

- AST1002 Descriptive Astronomy• 3
- CHM1045 General Chemistry•+ 3
- ESC2000 Earth & Space Science Survey• 3
- EVR1001 Intro. to Environmental Science• 3
- GLY1010 Physical Geology• 3
- OCE1001 Fundamentals of Oceanography• 3
- PHY1020 Basic Concepts of Physics• 3
- PHY2048 University Physics I•+ 4
- PHY2053 College Physics I•+ 3

Biological Sciences

- BSC1005 General Biological Science• 3
- BSC2010 Biology for Science Majors I•+ 3
- BSC2085 Anatomy & Physiology I•+ 3

Social Sciences (3 credits)

History

- AMH2010 United States History I•@ 3
- AMH2020 United States History II•@ 3

Government

- POS2041 American Nat'l Government•@ 3

Major Courses (58 hours)

Students interested in completing the Associate of Science degree in Emergency Medical Services must complete all of the coursework for the EMT and Paramedic programs in addition to the 15 hours of general education courses.

- EMS1761 Assistant Teaching in EMS+##* 3
- EMS1310 EMS Management##* 1

EMT - Emergency Medical Technician

- EMS1119 Emergency Medical Tech.+##* 5
- EMS1335 Emergency Vehicle Operator I##* 1
- EMS1401 Emergency Medical Tech. Lab+##* 5
- EMS1555 Trauma Management+##* 1

Paramedic

- EMS2231 Paramedic I+##* 9
- EMS2232 Paramedic II+##* 8
- EMS2233 Paramedic III+##* 2
- EMS2425 Paramedic Internship+##* 6
- EMS2435 Paramedic I Lab+##* 7
- EMS2436 Paramedic II Lab+##* 7
- EMS2553 Pediatric Adv. Life Support+##* 1
- EMS2934 Adv. Medical Life Support+##* 1
- EMS2552 Adv. Cardiac Life Support+##* 1

Other AS Requirements

General Education Core Requirement

Successful completion of at least one dotted core course from each of the five major general education areas: Communications, Humanities, Mathematics, Natural Sciences, Social Sciences

Civic Literacy Requirement (@)

Successful completion of AMH 2010 OR AMH 2020 OR POS 2041 AND passing score on civic literacy exam (FCLE)

Developmental Courses

- ENC0022 Dev. Writing I & II Combined* 3
- REA0019 Dev. Reading I & II Combined* 3
- MAT0012 Dev. Arithmetic with Algebra* 3

Key

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* = Minimum grade of "C" required

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PUBLIC SAFETY PATHWAY

CERTIFICATES

- Correctional Officer
- Crossover from Correctional Officer to Law Enforcement Officer
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Firefighting
- Law Enforcement Officer
- Paramedic



**Correctional Officer
Certification
Career Certificate (VC)
2025 - 2026**

Student's Name: _____

Student's ID Number: _____

Program Coordinator: **Daryl White**

Major Courses (461 clock hours/15.3 vocational hours)

The purpose of this program is to prepare students for employment as correctional officers. The program includes basic standards courses mandated for certification as a correctional officer in the state of Florida. Students who graduate from this program would typically work as correctional officers within a county or state correctional facility. Upon completion of this program, students are eligible to take the State Officer Certification Examination for correctional officers. (NOTE: Must be 19 years of age by date of employment).

PROGRAM ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

This is a restricted entry program based upon special admission requirements established by the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, the Criminal Justice Training Academy, and the Department of Education. Uniforms are required in this structured program. Class size is limited. Students should obtain an academy application package from the Criminal Justice Training Academy or online from the Division of Public Safety tab on the college website well in advance of program start date. Admission requirements include the following:

- Citizen of the United States
- High School diploma or GED (transcript required)
- Not discharged from Armed Forces under dishonorable conditions
- Good moral character and NOT have been convicted of a felony or any misdemeanor involving lying or perjury
- Physical examination by licensed physician, nurse practitioner or physician's assistant attesting capability of performing essential functions of the officer position
- Submit to and pass background investigation
- Passing score on Florida Basic Abilities Test

All courses in this program must be completed for certificate. A grade of 80% or higher is required to pass each course. Academy classes have specific attendance policies that may differ from the general GCSC attendance policy. For specifics, contact the program manager or refer to the academy recruit manual.

<input type="checkbox"/> CJD0939 Correctional Officer Capstone=	16 ct/0.5v
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0031C CMS First Aid for Criminal Justice Officers=	40 ct/1.3v
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0040C CMS Firearms=	80 ct/2.7v
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0051C CMS Defensive Tactics=	80 ct/2.7v
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0301 Introduction to Corrections=	32 ct/1.0v
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0355 Legal for Correctional Officers=	22 ct/0.8v
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0306 Communications for Correctional Officers=	32 ct/1.0v
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0111 Interviewing & Report Writing in Corrections=	16 ct/0.5v
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0321 Intake and Release=	16 ct/0.5v
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0324 Supervising in a Correctional Facility=	32 ct/1.0v
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0326 Supervising Correctional Populations=	25 ct/0.9v
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0327 Shift Management and Safety=	20 ct/0.7v
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0336 Incidents & Emergencies in Correctional Facilities=	20 ct/0.7v
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0340 Officer Wellness & Physical Abilities=	30 ct/1.0v

After completing the correctional officer certification training and passing the State Officer Examination certification, students may continue their education by completing the Associate in Science degree in Criminal Justice Technology.

Developmental Courses	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/> ENC0022 Dev. Writing I & II Combined*	3
<input type="checkbox"/> REA0019 Dev. Reading I & II Combined*	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MAT0012 Dev. Arithmetic with Algebra*	3
Key	
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● = General Education Core course	_____
==Career Certificate Course	_____
#=Applies to A.S. and Certificate Programs	_____

Crossover From Correctional Officer To Law Enforcement Officer

Career Certificate (VC)
2025 - 2026

Student's Name: _____

Student's ID Number: _____

Program Coordinator: **Daryl White**

Major Courses (518 clock hours/17.2 vocational hours)

Notes

This purpose of this program is to prepare students for employment as a law enforcement officer. This program is designed to meet the needs of students who have completed correctional officer certification training, and now wish to pursue law enforcement certification. This program includes courses mandated for certification as a law enforcement officer of a person previously trained as a correctional officer. Students who graduate from this program typically work as municipal, county, or state law enforcement officers. A student enrolling in this program must possess current certification as a correctional officer in accordance with Chapters 943, F.S., and 11B-35, F.A.C. (NOTE: Must be 19 years of age by date of employment).

<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0002 Intro to Law Enforcement+=	12 ct/0.4v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0018 Legal+=	64 ct/2.1v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0016 Communication+=	24 ct/0.8v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0019 Interviewing & Report Writing+=	56 ct/1.9v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0063 Fundamentals of Patrol+=	40 ct/1.3v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0021 Serving Your Community+=	34 ct/1.1v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0072 Crimes Against Persons+=	48 ct/1.6v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0073 Crimes Involv. Prop. & Society+=	12 ct/0.4v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0079 Crime Follow Up Investigations+=	34 ct/1.v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0093 Critical Incident+=	44 ct/1.5v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0400 Traffic Incidents+=	12 ct/0.4v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0401 Traffic Stops+=	24 ct/0.8v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0403 DUI Traffic Stops+=	24 ct/0.8v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0402 Traffic Crash Investigations+=	30 ct/1.0v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0393 Cross-Over Program Updates+=	8 ct/0.3v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0020C CMS L.E. Vehicle Operations	48 ct/1.6v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0421 Conducted Electrical Weapon/ Dart Firing Stun Gun+=	4 ct/0.1v	_____

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

Admission requirements include the following:

- Be an active, certified correctional officer or have successfully completed Correctional Officer Basic Recruit Training and passed the State Officer Certification Examination (SOCE) within four years
- Citizen of United States
- High School diploma or GED (transcript required)
- Not discharged from Armed Forces under dishonorable conditions
- Good moral character and NOT have been convicted of a felony, or any misdemeanor involving lying or perjury
- Physical examination by licensed physician, nurse practitioner or physician's assistant attesting capability of performing essential functions of the officer position
- Submit to and pass background investigation
- Passing score on Florida Basic Abilities Test

All courses in this program must be completed for certificate. A grade of 80% or higher is required to pass each course. Academy classes have specific attendance policies that may differ from the general GCSC attendance policy. For specifics, contact the program manager or the academy recruit manual.

Developmental Courses

<input type="checkbox"/> ENC0022 Dev. Writing I & II Combined*	3	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> REA0019 Dev. Reading I & II Combined*	3	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> MAT0012 Dev. Arithmetic with Algebra*	3	_____

Key

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 ==Career Certificate Course
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Emergency Medical Technician Applied Technology Diploma (ATD) 2025 - 2026

Student's Name: _____

Student's ID Number: _____

Pathway Navigator: _____ Faculty Advisor: *Liliana Zamora*

Major Courses (12 hours)

The EMT program is a selective admission, limited enrollment program. Admission to Gulf Coast State College does not imply acceptance into the EMT program.

The core curriculum consists of a combination of lecture, clinical, and skill laboratory hours.

- EMS1119 Emergency Medical Tech.#+* 5
- EMS1335 Emergency Vehicle Operator I#+* 1
- EMS1401 Emergency Medical Tech. Lab#+* 5
- EMS1555 Trauma Management#+* 1

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Developmental Courses

<input type="checkbox"/> ENC0022 Dev. Writing I & II Combined*	3
<input type="checkbox"/> REA0019 Dev. Reading I & II Combined*	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MAT0012 Dev. Arithmetic with Algebra*	3

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**Firefighting
Career Certificate (VC)
2025 - 2026**

Student's Name: _____

Student's ID Number: _____

Program Coordinator: **Kevin Granberg**

Major Courses (540 clock hours/17.9 vocational hours)

Notes

The purpose of this program is to prepare students for Florida State Firefighter Certification. Prospective students may be required to take the PERT or TABE test; score of 10th grade level is required.

Application packet to the Florida State Fire College will consist of the following:

1. Application for certification as a firefighter.
2. Medical examination form.
3. Electronic fingerprints.
4. High school diploma or GED (transcript required).
5. Driver's license or birth certificate.

In addition to GCSC tuition and books, the following fees are required to be registered with the Florida State Fire College:

1. GCSC Fingerprint Fee, \$85
2. Fire College Application Fee, \$30

Academy classes have specific attendance policies that may differ from the general GCSC attendance policy. For specifics, contact the program manager or the academy recruit manual.

<input type="checkbox"/> FFP0030 Firefighter 1+=	191 ct/6.4v
<input type="checkbox"/> FFP0031 Firefighter 2+=	301 ct/10.0v
<input type="checkbox"/> FFP0069 Firefighter Capstone+=	48 ct/1.5v

Developmental Courses

<input type="checkbox"/> ENC0022 Dev. Writing I & II Combined*	3
<input type="checkbox"/> REA0019 Dev. Reading I & II Combined*	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MAT0012 Dev. Arithmetic with Algebra*	3

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**Criminal Justice training
Academy
Law Enforcement
Officer Certification
Career Certificate (VC)
2025 - 2026**

Student's Name: _____

Student's ID Number: _____

Program Coordinator: **Daryl White**

Major Courses (770 clock hours/25.6 vocational hours)

Notes

The purpose of this program is to prepare students for employment as a law enforcement officer. This program includes courses mandated for law enforcement certification with the state of Florida. Students who graduate from this program would typically work as municipal, county, or state law enforcement officers. Courses within this program can also be used toward certification as a law enforcement officer. (NOTE: Must be 19 years of age by date of employment).

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

Admission requirements include the following:

- Citizen of United States
- High School diploma or GED (transcript required)
- Not discharged from Armed Forces under dishonorable conditions
- Good moral character and NOT have been convicted of a felony, or any misdemeanor involving lying or perjury
- Physical examination by licensed physician, nurse practitioner or physician's assistant attesting capability of performing essential functions of the officer position
- Submit to and pass background investigation
- Passing score on Florida Basic Abilities Test

All courses in this program must be completed for certificate. A grade of 80% or higher is required to pass each course. Academy classes have specific attendance policies that may differ from the general GCSC attendance policy. For specifics, contact the program manager or the academy recruit manual.

<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0002 Intro to Law Enforcement+=	12 ct/0.4v	_____
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<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0063 Fundamentals of Patrol+=	40 ct/1.3v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0021 Serving Your Community+=	34 ct/1.1v	_____
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<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0402 Traffic Crash Investigations+=	30 ct/1.0v	_____
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<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0031C CMS First Aid CJ Officers+=	40 ct/1.3v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0040C LE CMS CJ Firearms+=	80 ct/2.7v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0051C CMS CJ Defensive Tactics+=	80 ct/2.7v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0422 Elect. Weapon/Dart Firing Stun+=	4 ct/0.1v	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CJK0096 CJ Officer Physical Fit. Train.=	60 ct/2.0v	_____

Developmental Courses

<input type="checkbox"/> ENC0022 Dev. Writing I & II Combined*	3	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> REA0019 Dev. Reading I & II Combined*	3	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> MAT0012 Dev. Arithmetic with Algebra*	3	_____

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==Career Certificate Course

#=Applies to A.S. and Certificate Programs

Paramedic

College Certificate (CT)

2025 - 2026

Student's Name: _____

Student's ID Number: _____

Pathway Navigator: _____ Faculty Advisor: *Liliana Zamora*

Major Courses (42 hours)

The Paramedic program is a selective admission, limited enrollment program. Admission to Gulf Coast State College does not imply acceptance into the Paramedic program.

The core curriculum consists of a combination of lecture, clinical, and skill laboratory hours.

<input type="checkbox"/> EMS2231 Paramedic I+##	9
<input type="checkbox"/> EMS2232 Paramedic II+##	8
<input type="checkbox"/> EMS2233 Paramedic III+##	2
<input type="checkbox"/> EMS2425 Paramedic Internship+##	6
<input type="checkbox"/> EMS2435 Paramedic I Lab+##	7
<input type="checkbox"/> EMS2436 Paramedic II Lab+##	7
<input type="checkbox"/> EMS2553 Pediatric Adv. Life Support+##	11
<input type="checkbox"/> EMS2934 Adv. Medical Life Support+##	11
<input type="checkbox"/> EMS2552 Adv. Cardiac Life Support+##	11

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Developmental Courses

- ENC0022 Dev. Writing I & II Combined* 3
- REA0019 Dev. Reading I & II Combined* 3
- MAT0012 Dev. Arithmetic with Algebra* 3

Key

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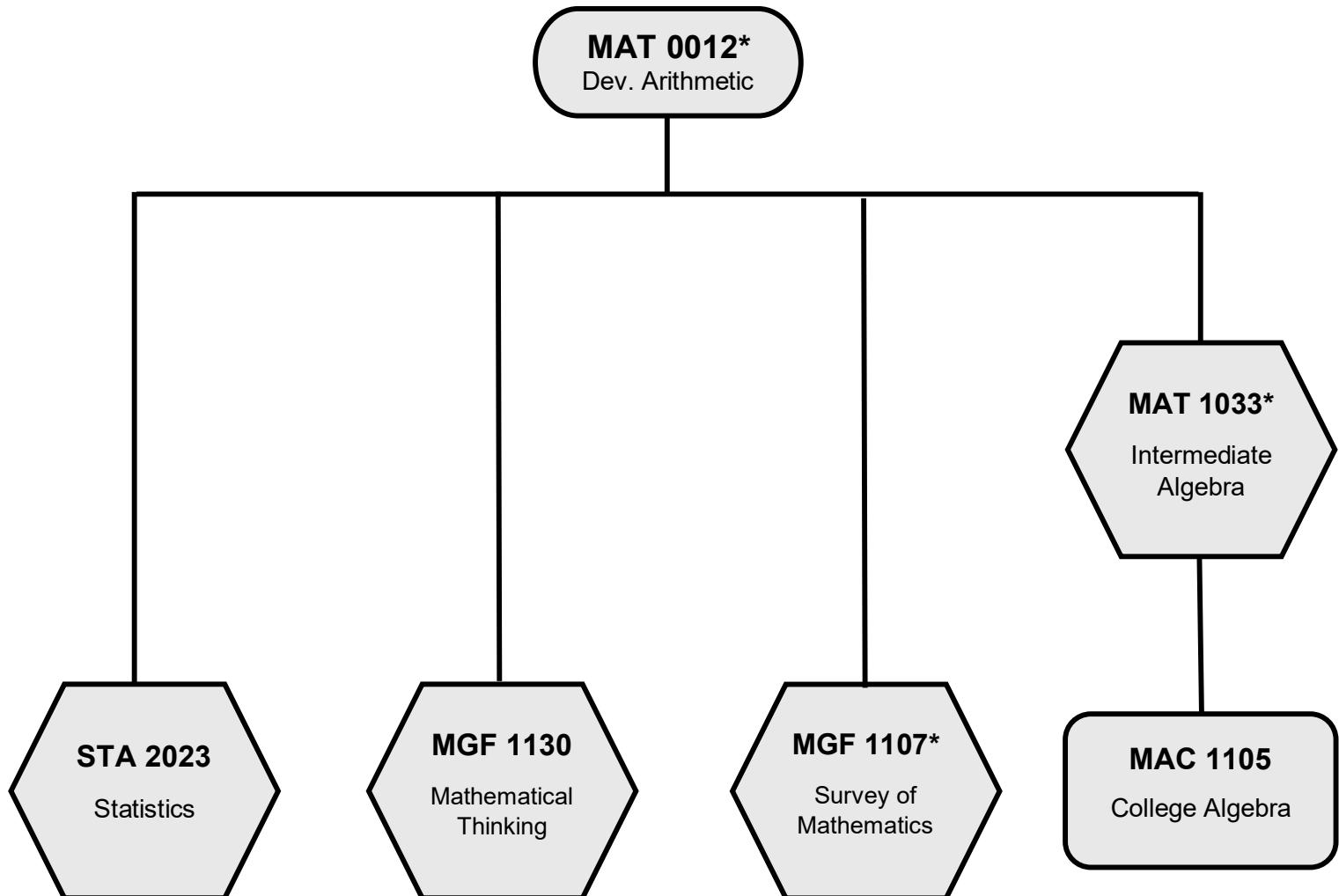
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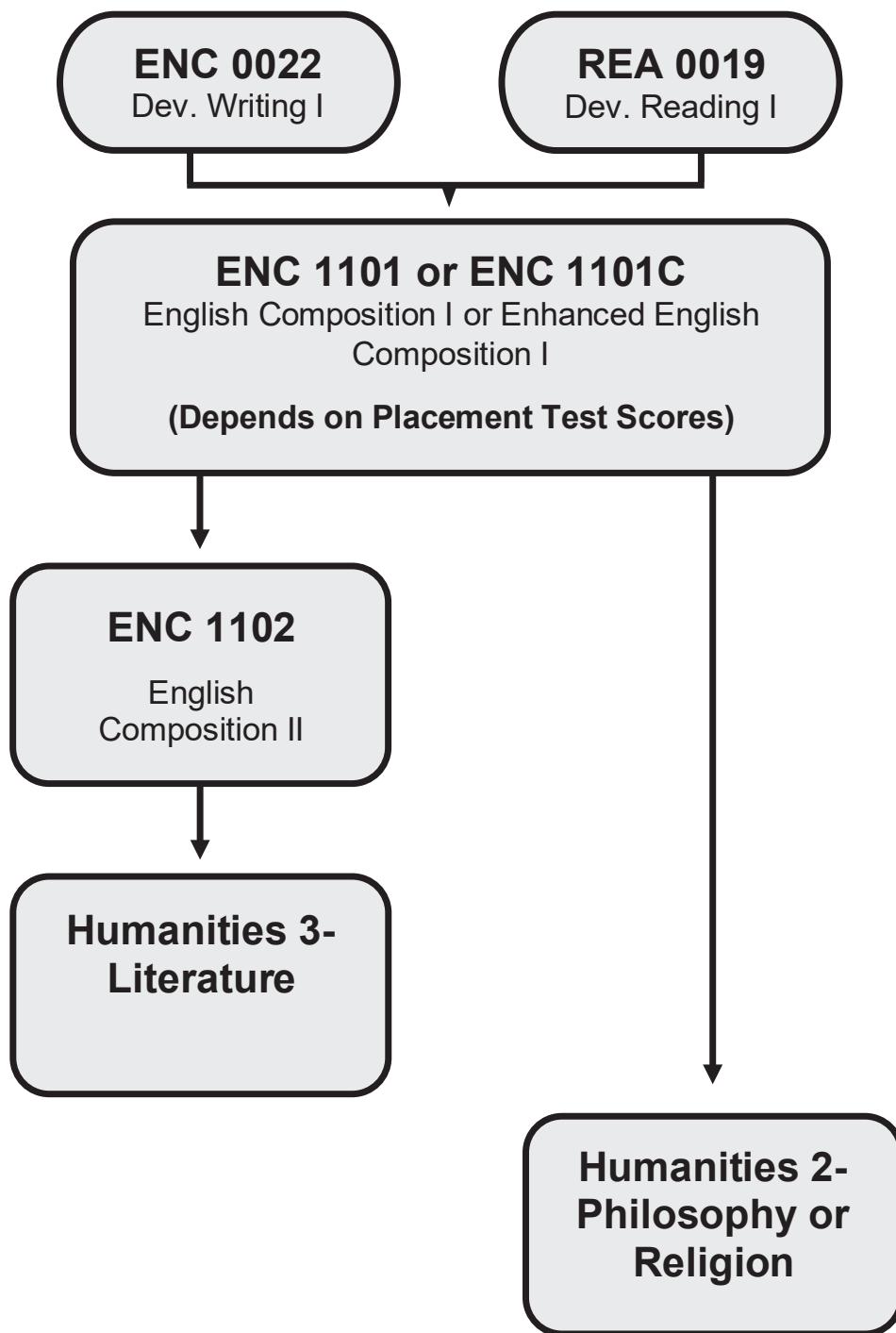
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Mathematics Flowchart for Non-Science/Non-Business Majors



- *MAT0012 is a developmental math course
- *MAT 1033 is a college-level credit course that does NOT count as a college-level math
- *MGF 1107 is not a core course and should not be taken until a mathematics core course is completed

English and Humanities Flowchart



- ENC0022 and REA0019 are developmental courses
- Students must earn a grade of C or higher to pass and progress to the next level course
- We recommend that students take literature before philosophy or religion
- Philosophy/Religion courses might use APA, Chicago, Turabian, or another writing style
- ENC1101, ENC1101C, ENC1102, and all literature courses use MLA

STUDENT RESOURCES

ACADEMIC ADVISING

Is it your first time on campus? Do you need to switch majors or receive academic guidance?

- ✉ advising@gulfcoast.edu
- 📍 Leon Miller Navigation Center, Student Union East, Second Floor
- 📞 850-772-6682

CAMPUS LIFE

Would you like to participate in campus activities that include free food, student government, games, and intramurals?

- 📞 (850) 872-3498
 - Text GCEVENTS to 79516
 - Connect with us on social media
- 📍 Visit Student Union East for the game room, video games, pool table, ping pong table and outdoor area

Want to join a club? Have a specific interest?

- Visit our website to view the many clubs offered, or start your own!
- 🔗 gulfcoast.edu/campus-life

Want to workout?

- 📍 Visit the weight room and the pool in the Wellness Building
- 🔗 gulfcoast.edu/wellness

CAMPUS SAFETY

Do you have questions about how to remain safe while on campus?

- Sign up for the Gulf Coast Emergency Alert System to stay informed
- 🔗 gulfcoast.edu/alert

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COUNSELING CENTER

Do you need personal assistance such as career development or mental health support?

- Contact our Counseling Center
- ✉ counseling@gulfcoast.edu
- 📍 Student Union East, First Floor, Room 36
- ✉ • Connect with our Licensed Mental Health Counselor cboshelle@gulfcoast.edu
- 📍 Student Union West, First Floor, Room 92
 - Access online & community resources
 - 🔗 gulfcoast.edu/resources
 - 🔗 gulfcoast.edu/community
 - For career development and guidance, visit our Career Center
- 📍 Student Union East, First Floor in Room 41
- 📞 (850) 769-1551 ext 2829

Are you experiencing financial difficulties not relating to academic expenses?

- Apply for the Need IT Now Emergency Fund
- 🔗 gulfcoast.edu/need-it-now

FINANCIAL AID

Are you in need of financial assistance for school and related expenses?

- Contact our Financial Aid department
- 🔗 gulfcoast.edu/financial-aid
- ✉ FA@gulfcoast.edu
- 📞 (850) 872-3845
 - Apply for a scholarship through the Gulf Coast State College Foundation
- 🔗 gcsfoundation.org

TRANSPORTATION

Do you need a free ride to campus?

- Ride for free on the Bay Way trolley with the Dore's on the Move mobile pass. Check the website on how to download the Token Transit app.
(must be enrolled in a minimum of 6 credit hours)
- 🔗 gulfcoast.edu/student-resources
- 🔗 www.baywaytransit.org/

LIFE ESSENTIALS

Could you use essential resources to support your well-being during your academics?

- For nonperishable food, visit our Commodore's Cupboard
 - 📍 Student Union East, First Floor in Room 63
- For professional/job interview attire, visit our Commodore's Closet
 - 📍 Student Union East, First Floor
- For a private place to meditate, visit our Meditation Room
 - 📍 Student Union East, First Floor, Room 41A
- For a private place to pump and store supplies (refrigerator available), visit our Breastfeeding Room
 - 📍 Student Union East, First Floor, Room 41A

- For access to medical care, visit the GCSC PanCare Health Clinic
 - 📍 Rosenwald Building on Panama City campus
 - 📞 (850) 873-3535
 - 🔗 pancarefl.org/location/gulf-coast-state-college-clinic
- For access to dental care, visit the GCSC Dental Clinic
 - 📍 Health Sciences Building on Panama City Campus
 - 📞 (850) 872-3833
 - 🔗 gulfcoast.edu/dental-clinic

STUDENT EMPLOYMENT

Are you interested in employment that works around your school schedule?

🔗 gulfcoast.edu/student-employment

TRIO

Are you interested in seeing if you qualify for TRiO's educational and financial services?

🔗 gulfcoast.edu/trio

(For individuals from disadvantaged backgrounds)

📍 Student Union West, First Floor

TUTORING

Do you need additional support to be successful in your classes?

Visit our Writing and Reading Lab

🔗 gulfcoast.edu/writing-reading-lab

📍 In person tutoring - Rosenwald Building, Room 108

Visit our Math Lab

🔗 gulfcoast.edu/math-lab

📍 In person tutoring - Student Union West, Room 261

STUDENT ACCESSIBILITY RESOURCE CENTER

Do you need assistance overcoming environmental and/or educational barriers?

Contact our Student Accessibility Resources Center

🔗 gulfcoast.edu/sar

📍 Student Union East, First Floor

✉️ sar@gulfcoast.edu

📞 850-747-3243

VETERAN AFFAIRS

Are you a current or former military member or spouse interested in connecting with specialized resources to support your academics?

Contact the Veteran Affairs department

🔗 gulfcoast.edu/military-veterans-services

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Panama City Campus
850.769.1551

Gulf/Franklin Campus
850.227.9670

North Bay Campus
850.747.3233

Tyndall Education Center
850.913.2910