

Green River Community College

Mission

Green River Community College improves the lives of people within our diverse communities by providing quality education and training programs. We assist students in defining and achieving their goals through instructional excellence, innovative programs and responsive services.

Institutional Goals

Student Learning: Students will benefit from Green River's commitment to learning as its highest priority.

- Transfer students will meet the requirements for transfer to successfully pursue a baccalaureate degree.
- Professional/technical and workforce students will master the skills sought by employers to be successful in the workplace.
- Under-prepared students will demonstrate competency in reading, English, and math that prepare them for success in college-level courses.
- Community members will have opportunities for life-long learning to enrich their lives personally, socially, and culturally.

Access: Members of our diverse communities will have reasonable access to affordable educational programs and services that meet their needs.

Success of Under-Represented Students: Under-represented students will be provided services that support their learning and promote student success.

Community Involvement: The community will benefit from Green River's active participation in programs, events, collaborative partnerships, and entrepreneurial activities with government, business, and community organizations.

Financial Stewardship and Public Accountability: The citizens of Washington will be ensured of Green River's consistent practice of responsible fiscal stewardship and public accountability.

Campus Wide Student Learning Outcomes

Written Communication encompasses all the abilities necessary for effective expression of thoughts, feelings, and ideas in written form.

Critical Thinking is characterized by an ability to reflect on thinking patterns, including the role of emotions on thoughts, and to rigorously assess the quality of thought through its work products.

Responsibility encompasses those behaviors and dispositions necessary for students to be effective members of a community.

Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning encompasses abilities necessary for a student to become literate in today's technological world.

Students completing a transfer degree are also expected to demonstrate mastery of **Oral Communication**.

Students completing an applied degree need to demonstrate skill in the area of **Human Relations**.