

# Welcome to Green River College

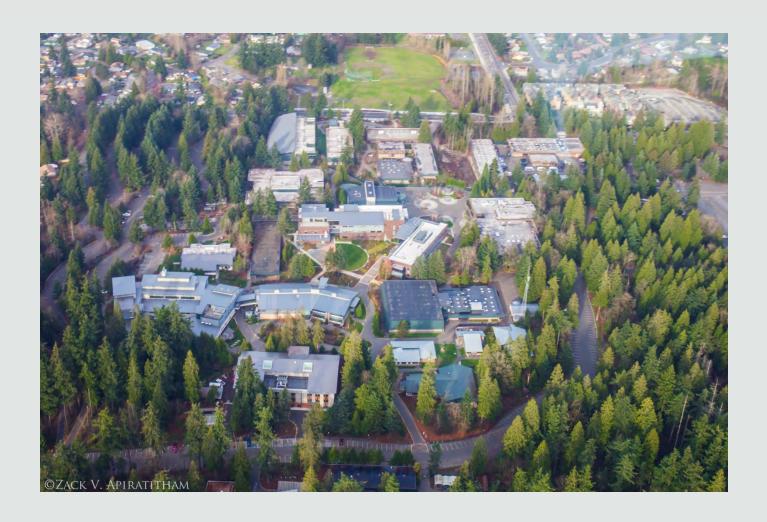
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#### Green River College is located in Washington State









## Why choose Green River College?

- Transfer opportunities to excellent U.S. universities
- On-campus housing for students
- Advisors provide personal assistance
- Lower costs
- Small classes
- Close to Seattle
- Safe, friendly, and beautiful campus



## Library







#### **Technology Center**







#### Science Center







#### Salish Hall







#### Cedar Hall





#### **Student Union**







#### Student Union and Cafeteria







#### Recreational and Athletics Center (RAC)













#### Facts about Green River College

- 8,739 total students
- 858 international students from over 60 countries
- ☐ Live on campus or with a host family
- ☐ Free campus-wide Wi-Fi
- Student Union with fitness center and gym
- □ Tech Center with over 100 computers for student use
- □ Library with over 100 computers for student use
- Beautiful park-like campus filled with evergreens and flowering trees



#### Beautiful Campus











#### What Do We Offer?

- University Transfer Program
- Intensive English Program
- High School Completion
- Degrees and Certificates
- Gap Year
- Bachelor Degrees





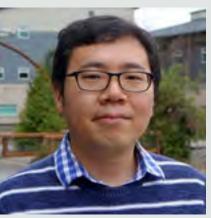
#### Where Green River Students are Accepted

- University of Washington
- University of California: Berkeley, UCLA, Santa Barbara, Davis, Irvine
- Cornell University
- Brown
- University of Pennsylvania
- Georgia Tech
- Columbia
- Stanford
- University of Texas
- University of Illinois
- University of Southern California
- Johns Hopkins University
- University of Michigan
- University of North Carolina
- University of Oregon
- Indiana University
- Purdue University
- Ohio State
- And many more...













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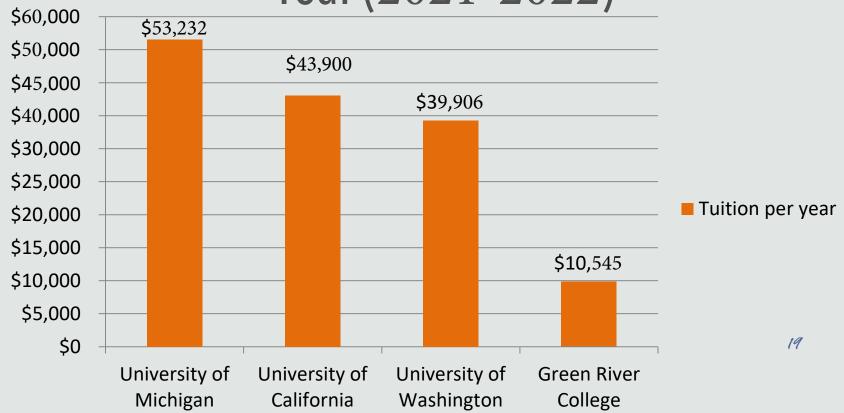
#### Most Popular Transfer Areas

- Engineering
- Business
- Computer Science
- Aviation
- Communication
- ☐ Pre-health (medicine, dentistry, pharmacy
- ☐ Information Technology
- Psychology
- Art Design

and more.



# Cost Comparison for one Academic Year (2021-2022)





#### Intensive English Program

- Program prepares students for academic studies at a U.S. college or university
- ☐ Five levels, introductory to pre-academic
- Course content includes grammar, reading, writing and oral communication
- □ TOEFL preparation is also available
- ☐ Institutional paper based TOEFL offered at Green River every quarter





## **High School Completion**

High School Diploma can help students get into top universities

- □ Take college classes and receive credit for both the Green River Associate's Degree and Washington State High School Diploma\*
- Required courses for the High School diploma include US History, American Government, and English
- Length of time to earn diploma varies depending on transcript evaluation and placement testing
- HSC Program for students who do not already have a high school diploma

<sup>\*</sup>Depending on assessment and placement, student may need to take non-transferable, pre-college level classes first.



#### **Degrees and Certificates**

- Associate in Arts
- Associate in Science
- Associate in Business
- ☐ Bachelor of Applied Science
- Certificates in a variety of subjects including:
  - International Business
  - Aviation
  - Broadcasting
  - Early Childhood Education
  - Physical Therapy
  - Speech Communication
  - Water Supply Technology
  - ... and over 75 more



## College Experience

- Focuses on understanding the culture and expectations of the U.S. higher education system
- Students develop the skills necessary to achieve academic success in a college setting
- Required of all new students who have English proficiency and will be attending academic classes at Green River
- Class is three hours per week and is in addition to student's regular academic class schedule
- Class is held the first five weeks of the quarter and will be scheduled the first or second quarter the student is at Green River



#### Foundation for Success



- Required for all new students during their first quarter
- Focuses on supporting academic and social success
- Students attend weekly workshop with mentors and program staff
- Topics include student life, personal health & safety, effective decision making and time management



#### **Transfer Fair**







#### **Housing Team**



Cyndi Rapier



**Emilee Findley** 



Amber Gibson



Jingzhu Jude Guo



Theresa Torell



## **Housing Options**

#### **On Campus Housing**



#### **Host Family**





#### **Host Family**

- □ \$725 per month (17+)
- \$850 per month (16 yrs)
- Private room
- □ American style meals (3 meals per day)
- Airport pickup
- □ Area orientation
- Campus visit
- Assistance with banking

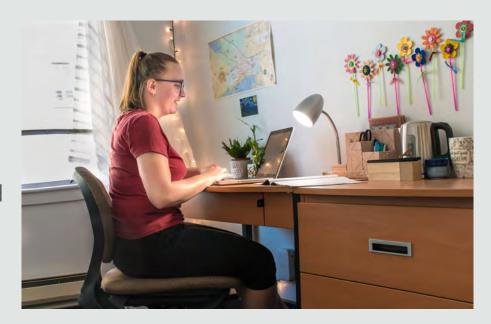




## On-Campus Housing

#### **Campus Corner Apartments**

- ☐ Approx. \$900.00 per month
- □ Students have airport meet and greet service, area orientation and assistance with shopping, banking needs, etc.
- Each unit has four bedrooms, two bathrooms, a kitchen and central living and dining areas
- ☐ Each student has private bedroom
- Rooms are fully furnished and have high-speed internet access, cable television and telephone hook-ups included in rent
- Includes all utilities





#### **Campus Corner Apartments**

- Students prepare own meals
- Move-in kits provided to new residents include linen, utensils and food items
- Central laundry facility and Community Room with big screen television, kitchen and lounge area
- 24-hour security and resident advisors on site
- Different lease options are available





## Housing Placement

- Completed Housing Application
- \$300 Housing Placement Fee includes the following:
  - Airport greeting and pick-up and transportation service
  - Move-in kit for CCA students (sheets, pillow, towels, etc.)
  - ☐ For homestay students: \$100 credited toward first month's rent
  - Area orientation and local contact.
- Students are placed in housing when completed application and Housing Placement Fee are submitted
- Refund policy: \$300 placement fee refundable upon request if student cancels application two weeks prior to housing/move-in day

Please note all students the age of 16 at quarter start date will be required to live in our housing program (Host Family) until they are 17 years old. Green River College recommends underage students to remain in Green River housing.



#### Housing Fees

Housing Options	1 month	3 months
Homestay (17+ yrs)	\$725	\$2,175
Homestay (16 yrs)	\$850	\$2,550
Campus Corner Apt	\$900	\$2,700





# Student Services for International Students

- On-site housing team
- Admissions team
- Comprehensive orientation program
- Advising
- University transfer fairs
- Free tutoring on campus
- Variety of student activities and clubs





#### Orientation: Virtual & In-Person

- Placement Testing
- Campus Tour
- Advising
- Registration
- Overnight Camp\*
- Seattle Trip\*





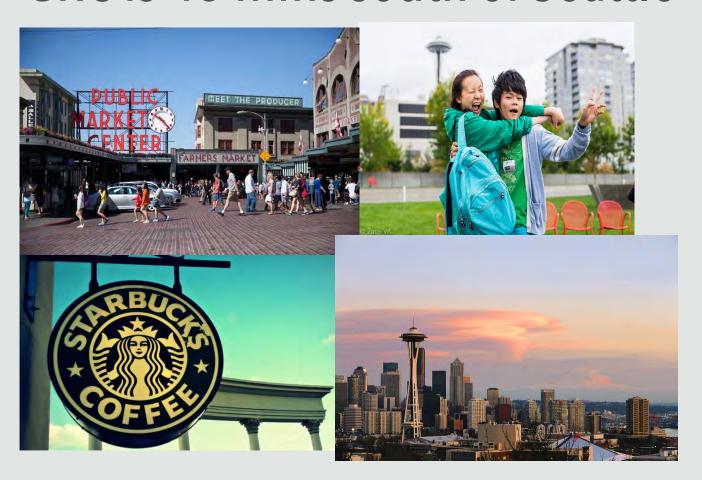


## **Overnight Camping Trip**





#### GRC is 45 mins south of Seattle





#### **Dates and Deadlines**

See current dates

#### **Spring Term**

- ☐ Preferred Application Deadline February
- Airport Arrival & Housing Move-in Day March
- Orientation & Testing begins March
- Classes start April
- Classes end June

#### **Summer Term**

- Preferred Application Deadline May
- Airport Arrival & Housing Move-in Day June
- Orientation & Testing begins June
- Classes start June
- Classes end August



#### **Dates and Deadlines**

#### Fall Term

- Preferred Application Deadline August
- Airport Arrival & Housing Move-in Day September
- Orientation & Testing begins September
- Classes start September
- Classes end December

#### Winter Term

- Preferred Application Deadline November
- Airport Arrival & Housing Move-in Day December
- Orientation & Testing begins December
- Classes start January
- Classes end March



#### **Approximate Cost**

See current costs

Estimated Expenses	Academic Year 9 months	Quarter 3 months
Tuition	\$10,545	\$3,515
Living Expenses	\$8,805	\$2,935
Fees	\$603	\$201
Books	\$1,047	\$349
Total	\$21,000	\$7,000

Tuition & fees based on 12 - 18 credits and varies according to classes and credits taken.



#### **Easy Application Process**

- Complete application
- ☐ Financial guarantee
- \$50 application fee
- Recommended: official transcripts in English and copy of passport

Applicants must be 16 years of age or a high school graduate.