

DECA @ GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY PERIMETER COLLEGE



ACADEMIC STRUCTURE

11th and 12th grade college curriculum

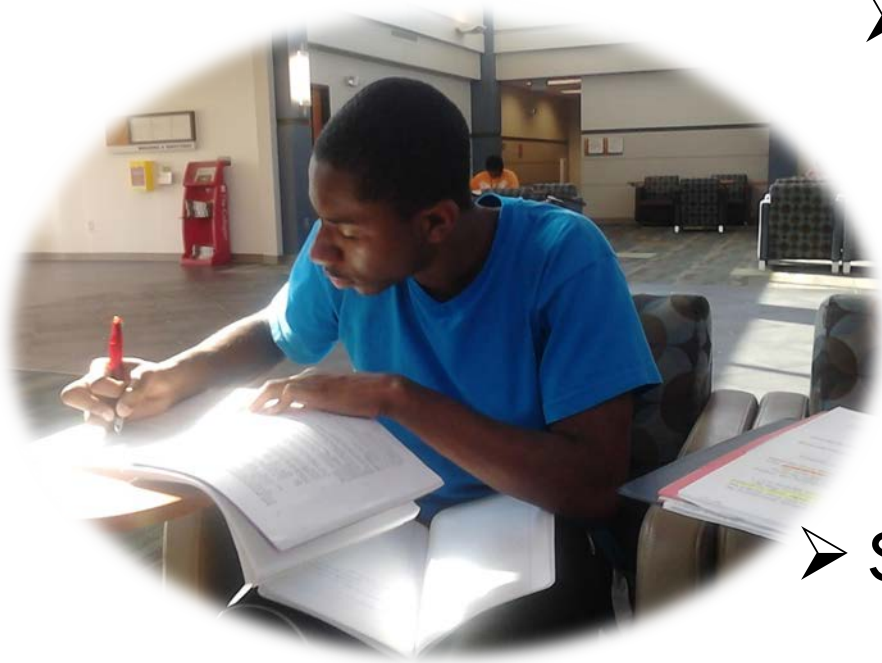
- 2 Sciences: Recommended CHEM Sequence
- 2 Social Studies: World History & ECON 2105
- 2 Math: 1001 or 1111 & 1070 or 1113
- Social Science and Humanities Electives
- Typically 1 English remaining
- 1 Spanish HS Diploma with Distinction Seal

Students have the option of pursuing an Associates Degree.



Students may attend Fall, Spring and Summer semesters beginning with the Summer semester **following** their 10th grade year.

SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS



- Student must remain in good academic standing with a 2.0 GPA or higher at GSU Perimeter College to remain eligible to participate in the program.
- Students whose college GPA falls below a 2.0 will not be permitted to continue participation in the GSU Perimeter College MOWR program.

COURSE WITHDRAWAL

Students are instructed to consult your high school guidance counselor before withdrawing from a college class.

Withdrawing before the "Last Day to Withdraw without Academic Penalty" may prevent students from graduating with their high school class. Their college transcript will show a grade of "W" for that class (this will not impact their GPA.)

Withdrawing after the "Last Day to Withdraw without Academic Penalty" may prevent students from graduating with their high school class. Their college transcript will show a grade of "WF" for that class (this will impact their GPA because a "WF" is equivalent to an "F").

Information about how to withdraw from a class can be found at:
<http://advisement.gsu.edu/self-service/policies/withdrawal-policy>

BENEFITS OF AN ASSOCIATES DEGREE

- An Associates degree ensures that all credits are accepted at the 4 year institution of choice
- An Associates degree ensures that you have completed Freshman and Sophomore year
- An Associates degree demonstrates a track record of success
 - Matthew Knight, former DECA senior, stated that he wanted to complete the Associates “because it demonstrates to college admission officers, scholarship foundations, future employers and me that I can stay committed and finish such a feat at such a young age.”

Majors DECA students have Earned

Business
Criminal Justice
English
Foreign Language
General Studies

History
Journalism
Math
Political Science
Psychology



TRANSFERRABLE CREDITS CREDITS



- The majority of students had all their MOWR credits transfer to their current colleges or universities.
- The few students who did not have all their credits transfer are currently attending private and/or out-of-state institutions or are not currently enrolled in college.
- DOES NOT USE HOPE CREDITS.

GPC SERVICES



- College Boot Camp/College Success Class
- Academic Advisement
- Individual Registration
- Tablet Loans
- Book and Calculator Loans
- Supplemental Instruction
- One-on-One Tutoring
- **Access to all services provided to Perimeter College Students**

MOWR: IS A NON-NEED GRANT MANAGED BY GEORGIA STUDENT FINANCE COMMISSION



- The **MOWR** program is for students at eligible high schools that wish to take college level coursework for credit towards both high school and college graduation requirements.
- **MOWR** funds cover tuition, non-course related fees, and textbooks for covered classes
- **MOWR** applications must be completed each semester
- **DECA** students must pay course related fees

MOWR FUNDING

WHAT'S COVERED

TUITION

MANDATORY FEES

REQUIRED TEXTBOOKS

WHAT'S NOT

SCIENCE LAB FEE - \$40

FEES ASSOCIATED WITH CPR,
ART CLASS, JOURNALISM CLASS
ETC.

UNRELATED FEES GENERATED BY
STUDENT: PARKING FINES,
OVERDUE LIBRARY FINES, ETC.

The Georgia State University Perimeter College Bookstore will loan required textbooks to each student enrolled in DECA each semester, with the agreement that the textbooks will be returned to GPC at the end of each semester.

TEXTBOOKS

- The Georgia State University Bookstore will loan students required books
 - *Textbook pick up: first week of school*
- Must be returned at the end of each semester
- Textbook Policy Form

The Georgia State University Perimeter College Bookstore will loan required textbooks to each student enrolled in DECA each semester, with the agreement that the textbooks will be returned to GPC at the end of each semester.

Students who do not return their books will be assessed a fine and have a financial hold on their account, which may prevent registration for future semesters

**MOWR INFORMATION AND
FUNDING APPLICATION CAN
BE FOUND AT
[HTTPS://WWW.GAFUTURES.ORG/](https://www.gafutures.org/)**

The screenshot displays the GAfutures.org website. At the top, there's a navigation bar with the site's name and a search icon. Below this, a large banner features the College Goal Georgia logo and a 'Learn more' button. To the right, a 'Scholarship Search' section highlights that there's more money for postsecondary education. Below the banner, the 'College Goal Georgia' section explains that the FAFSA is now available and provides a link to learn more. To the right of this, a 'College Search' section offers tips on choosing a college. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column, titled 'AWARD RECIPIENTS: THEIR STORIES', features a 'GSFC In The News' section with a video player and a link to learn more. The right column, titled 'NEWS YOU CAN USE', has a 'Trending' tab selected, showing a list of news items including 'November is Apply to College Month', 'GAfutures Quick Guides and FAQs', '2016-2017 Award Amounts', 'Move On When Ready' (highlighted with a blue bar and a right arrow), 'SIWDG Provides High-Demand Careers', and 'Go Back. Move Ahead.'. Below these columns, the 'Administrative Section' includes links for 'STARS' (Tracking for eligible high school educators and counselors) and 'SURFER'. A central 'Tweets by @GAfutures' section shows a tweet about '6 FAFSA Questions Answered' with a link to a blog post. To the right of the tweets is a 'LifeSense' section with a graphic of a piggy bank and a lightbulb, and text stating 'LifeSense is a fun place where students can learn about money and what it'. The website is viewed in a Chrome browser window, and the Windows taskbar at the bottom shows various application icons and the system clock indicating 3:47 PM on 11/21/2016.

College Goal Georgia
The FAFSA is now available! Get the facts from College Goal Georgia and fill it out!

Scholarship Search
There's more money for your postsecondary...

College Search
There's lots to consider when choosing a...

AWARD RECIPIENTS: THEIR STORIES

GSFC In The News
From profiles on high-achieving Georgians taking advantage of one of our programs to important information on higher education, check out news links from across the state concerning the Georgia Student Finance Commission.
Learn more about [GSFC In The News](#).

NEWS YOU CAN USE

Trending | Shortcuts

November is Apply to College Month

GAfutures Quick Guides and FAQs

2016-2017 Award Amounts

Move On When Ready >

SIWDG Provides High-Demand Careers

Go Back. Move Ahead.

Administrative Section

STARS
Tracking for eligible high school educators and counselors.

SURFER

Tweets by @GAfutures

GAfutures @GAfutures
6 FAFSA Questions Answered:
[lendedu.com/blog/6-fafsa-q...](#)

6 FAFSA Questions Answered

LifeSense

LifeSense is a fun place where students can learn about money and what it.

LINK TO THE MOWR FUNDING APPLICATION



https://www.gafutures.org/hope-state-aid-programs/state-scholarships-and-grants/mo... Move On When Ready | Ge...

Move On When Ready

GAfutures.org / HOPE & State Aid Programs / State Scholarships and Grants / Move On When Ready

STATE SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

- Georgia Tuition Equalization Grant
- Move On When Ready**
- REACH Georgia
- Georgia's HERO
- Public Safety Memorial Grant
- UNG ROTC Grant

[Print](#)

- Eligibility
- Award Amounts
- Eligible Colleges and Universities
- Course Directory
- Application Procedure and Deadline
- Frequently Asked Questions
- Participation Agreement
- Transportation Grant

Move On When Ready

Move On When Ready (MOWR) is for students at eligible high schools that wish to take college level coursework for credit towards both high school and college graduation requirements.




Main Menu

- Home
- HOPE & State Aid Programs
- Federal Aid & Scholarships
- College Planning

Resources

- College Search
- Scholarship Search
- College Applications
- High School Transcripts
- Marketing Materials
- GAfutures Training/FAQs





Our Websites


-  Georgia Student Finance Commission
-  Pathways2GSFA
-  Path2College 629 Plan

External Links

- Georgia DOE
- Federal Student Aid
- TCSG
- USG
- GICA

Social Media

- 
- 
- 
- 



REQUIREMENTS OF THE PROGRAM

- Complete a MOWR Application (for funding) each semester of attendance
- Attend and be prepared for class
- Mandatory Meeting Attendance
- Attend and Participate in DECA Tutorials
- Return all loaned materials in good condition and on time
- Follow Code of Conduct GSUPC and DECA
- Satisfactory Academic Progress



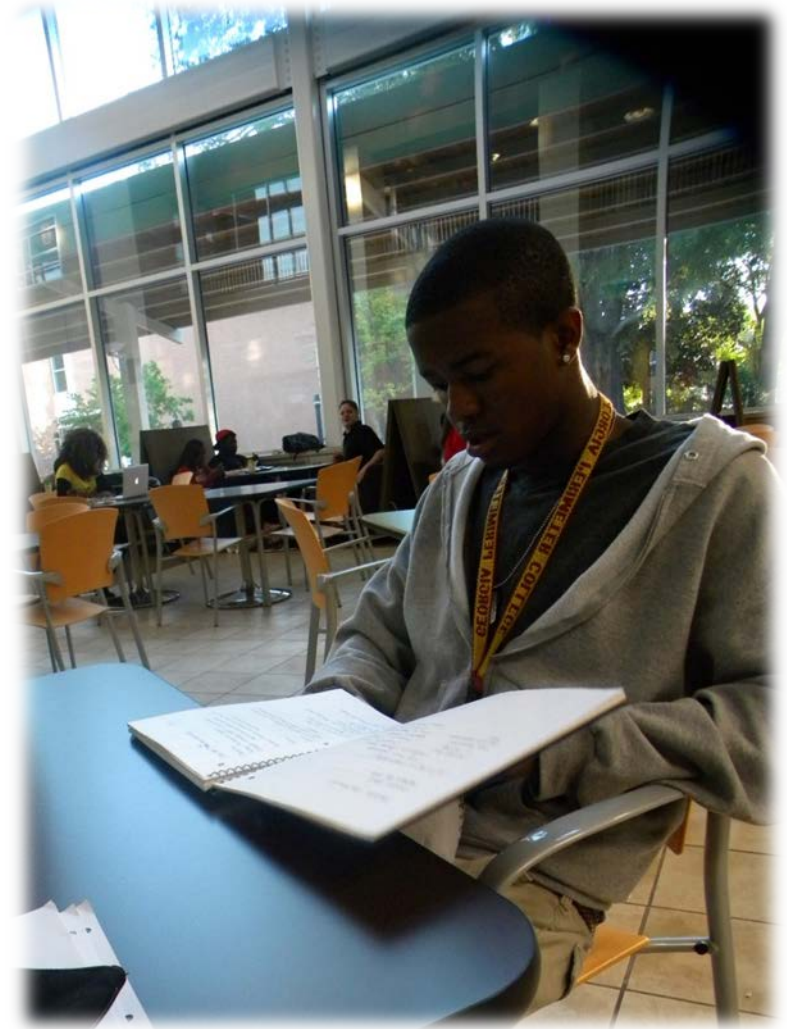
WHAT TO EXPECT AS A PARENT

- Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA); a Federal law that protects the privacy of student education records. Once a student reaches 18 years of age or attends a postsecondary institution, he or she becomes an "eligible student," and all rights formerly given to parents under FERPA transfer to the student
- Encourage your student's responsibility and accountability for college level work
- Neither professors nor MOWR staff will provide updates on student progress and performance in a course
- Students' grades remain part of both their high school and college record

****Performance at GSU PC can affect HOPE eligibility, graduation and applying to other colleges post high school****

HELP YOUR STUDENT NAVIGATE THEIR EARLY COLLEGE EXPERIENCE

- Open communication: Passwords
- Syllabus
- Academic Calendar
- Reminders
- Help them get to class and meetings on time
- Behavioral Cues



ABOVE AND BEYOND

➤ Honors



- College Dean's List
- Phi Theta Kappa Honor's Society
- Mu Alpha Theta Math Honor's Society
- Student of the Semester
- Student Editor of Creative License
- Published Authors in student publications
- Conference Presentations
- Leadership Roles
 - SGA Officers
 - Club Officers
 - Star Leaders (College Ambassadors)
 - Major Roles in Theater Productions

Earned Credit and Associates Degrees



2010: 1822 transferrable credits earned, 10 Associates degrees
(40%)

2011: 1209 transferrable credits earned, 9 Associates degrees
(33%)

2012: 2047 transferrable credits earned, 22 Associates degrees
(64%)



2013: 1855 transferrable credits earned, 18 Associates degrees
(50%)

2014: 1873 transferrable credits earned, 16 Associates degrees
(44%)



2015: Largest graduating class, 4498 transferrable credit hours,
25 Associates degrees (27%)

2016 2785 transferrable credits earned, 20 Associates degrees
(37%)



OFFICE OF EARLY COLLEGE PROGRAMS CC~1100

Gina H. Gavin, Assistant Director

678.891.2770

Email: GGavin@gsu.edu

Kathryn Hall, DECA Program Coordinator

678.891.3452

Email: KHenry1@gsu.edu

Shannon Oliver, Administrative Secretary

678.891.2770

Email: SOliver24@gsu.edu

QUESTION & ANSWER SESSION

GINA GAVIN

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF STUDENT SUCCESS

FOR PRE-COLLEGIATE AND EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY PROGRAMS