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THE GRCC EXPERIENCE

When you choose Grand Rapids Community College, you choose a faculty with advanced degrees. Bringing scholarly and real-world experience to the classroom, to best prepare you to transfer or begin your career.

You will find yourself on a campus where the diversity of the student body reflects the diversity of our changing community. You'll find state-of-the-art technology and learning spaces, and comprehensive student support services focused on your success.

TOUR OUR CAMPUS

Tour campus, or make a personalized appointment with an admissions specialist. grcc.edu/Visit

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CAMPUS

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CAMPUS



95%

of our faculty hold
a **master's degree**
or **Ph.D.**



20:1

Student to faculty ratio. Small classes
allow for individualized attention.



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26,018

students across West Michigan
chose GRCC in 2019-2020.

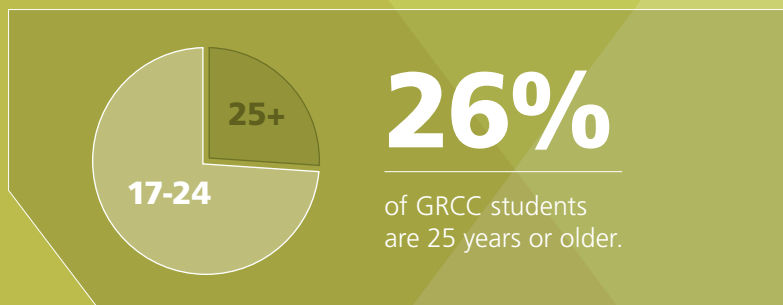
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YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO SUCCEED

ENGAGE IN HIGH-IMPACT LEARNING

GRCC is committed to your individual student experience.

Elevate your college education with service learning, study abroad opportunities and the honors program. Engage with your peers through a wide range of student life events, leadership opportunities and student club experiences. Stay focused on your goals when you take advantage of free tutoring, academic advising and counseling services.



26%

of GRCC students
are 25 years or older.

ONLINE AND HYBRID PROGRAMS TO FIT YOUR BUSY SCHEDULE

Get started on your future today with flexible learning options, including seven-week classes, and in-person, virtual, online or hybrid classes.

ONLINE DEGREE PROGRAMS

- › General Studies
- › Pre-Economics
- › Pre-Geography
- › Pre-History
- › Pre-International Relations*
- › Pre-Sociology
- › Accounting*
- › Pre-Business*
- › Graphics/Web Development*
- › Pre-Computer Information Systems

ONLINE CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

- › Fast Track CDA Formal Training Hours Certificate
- › Retail Management Certificate*

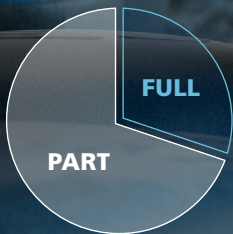
*Some required coursework will be completed through
Michigan Colleges Online: micollegesonline.org



TAKE TWO

**ATTEND PART TIME, OR FULL TIME
– AND GO AT YOUR OWN PACE.**

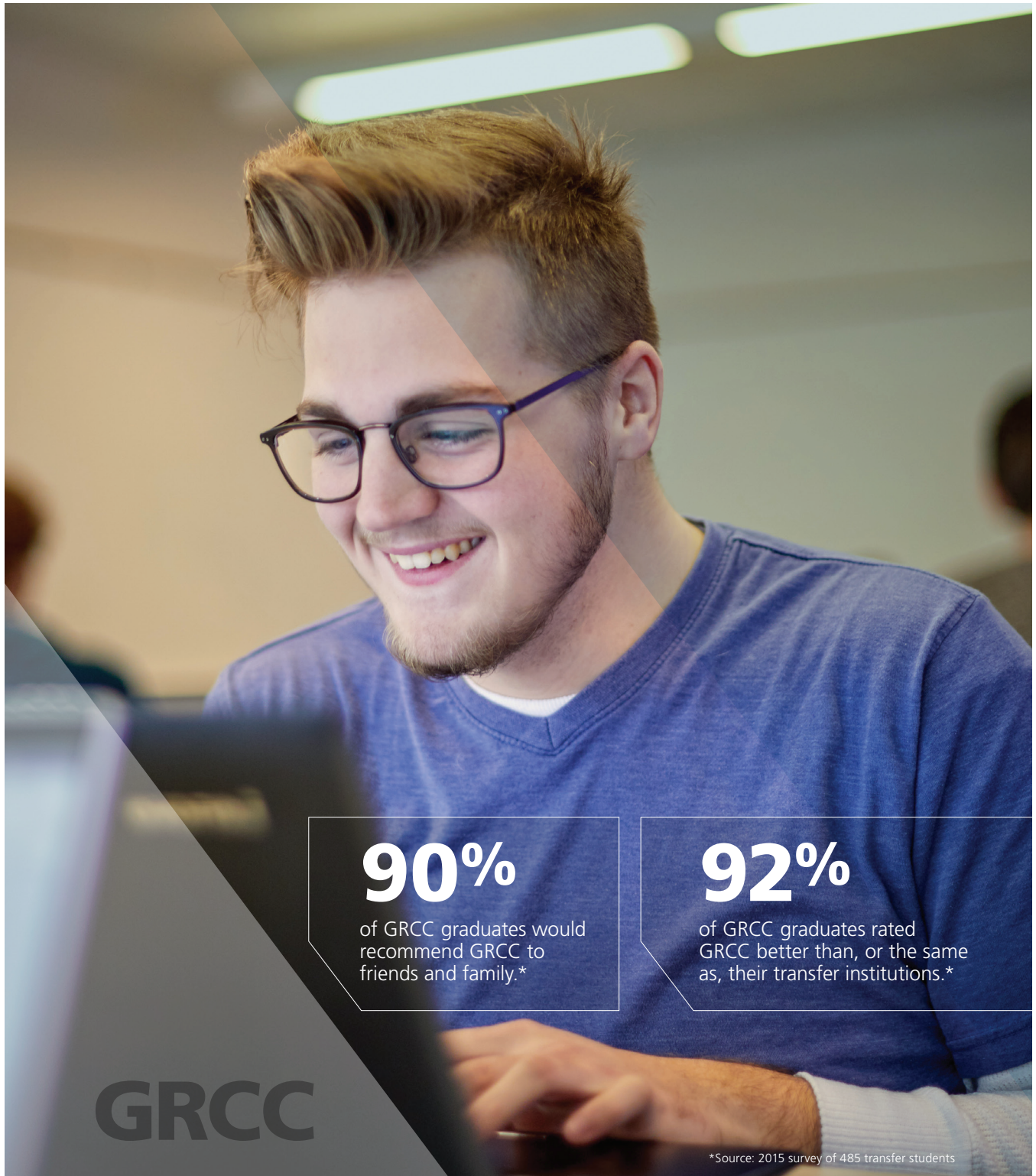
You can take just two classes per semester to qualify for many state and federal programs that will pay for some – or all – of your tuition.



70%

of GRCC students
attend part time.

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90%

of GRCC graduates would recommend GRCC to friends and family.*

92%

of GRCC graduates rated GRCC better than, or the same as, their transfer institutions.*

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*Source: 2015 survey of 485 transfer students



TURN YOUR AMBITION INTO A CAREER

Avoid spending time and money on classes you don't need to graduate.

Choose the Academic Pathway that's the best fit for you. Then explore career options through your pathway courses and academic advising.

ACHIEVE YOUR DREAM

Our career pathways are designed to give you hands-on training to begin, or advance, in a profession or skilled trade. Those include high-demand industries such as:

- › Electronics engineering and HVAC.
- › Welding.
- › Automotive technology.
- › Computer information systems.
- › Culinary arts.
- › Mechanical and architectural design.
- › Manufacturing.
- › Dental.
- › Nursing and more.

Or be one of our 5,000 graduates who are accepted into top Michigan universities across the state every year. Our transfer pathways were developed to launch your education in the areas of:

- › Biology.
- › Business.
- › Chemistry.
- › Criminal justice.
- › Pre-med.
- › Psychology.
- › Mathematics and engineering.
- › Culinary arts and more.

UNIVERSITY-QUALITY EDUCATION AT A COMMUNITY COLLEGE PRICE

2021-2022	GRCC (KISD RESIDENT)	AVERAGE PUBLIC 4-YEAR UNIVERSITY	AVERAGE PRIVATE 4-YEAR UNIVERSITY
Tuition and Fees (30 contact hours)	\$3,822	\$11,573	\$27,617
Room and Board	\$0	\$10,355	\$10,045
Textbooks	\$500	\$500	\$500
Total	\$4,322	\$22,428	\$38,162

2020-2021 COST PER CONTACT HOUR AT GRCC

- › KISD resident, \$117
- › Non-resident, \$247
- › Out-of-state, \$371

Residents of the Kent Intermediate School District (KISD), and of the State of Michigan, pay taxes which support GRCC. Those students are charged a lower tuition rate.

Some programs cost more to operate than others. If you enroll in a culinary arts, dental or nursing program, you will pay a differential tuition rate.

Estimate the cost of your certificate or degree: grcc.edu/TuitionCalculator



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2020-21 GRCC FINANCIAL AID AWARDS

6,866

GRCC students received federal and state aid.

\$29 million

in federal and state aid was awarded to GRCC students.



YOU CAN AFFORD GRCC

We have the financial aid, scholarships and payment plan options to make this work. Estimate the cost of your program: grcc.edu/TuitionCalculator

FINANCIAL AID

Attend a GRCC Financial Aid workshop for help completing your Free Application for Federal Student Aid, or FAFSA. Fill out the FAFSA to be considered for:

- › **Scholarships:** The GRCC Foundation awards over \$1.3 million in scholarships annually.
- › **Grants:** Federal and state financial assistance that typically does not require repayment.
- › **Work-study:** Part-time on- or off-campus employment. Earnings are paid directly to students.
- › **Student loans:** Federal financial assistance that must be repaid with interest.

TUITION PAYMENT PLAN

You can budget for, and pay your educational expenses using, our Payment Plan. This plan allows you to make payments over time.

The GRCC Foundation is funding scholarships to the GEAR UP Wyoming Class of 2024 cohort.

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NATIONALLY RANKED TEAMS

GRCC student-athletes consistently earn academic and athletic All-American honors. The college is a member of the National Junior College Athletic Association Division II and Michigan Community College Athletic Association. Our student-athletes have the coaches, resources and facilities necessary to participate in championship caliber competitions.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT FOR STUDENT-ATHLETES

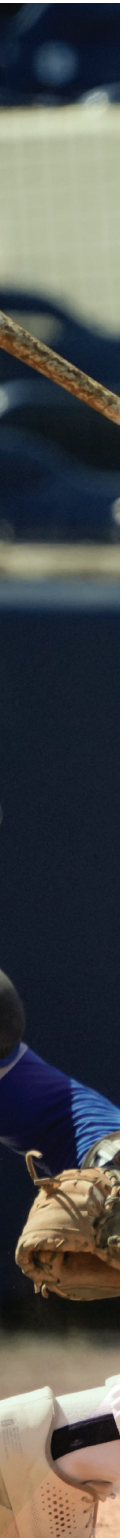
The Student-Athlete Academic Support Program assists in balancing academic and athletic demands by providing the structure and support. Academic counseling and advising, along with tutoring and peer academic coaching, enhances the academic, career preparation, athletic and personal development of our student-athletes.

ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Completing the FAFSA and GRCC Foundation Scholarship application qualifies student-athletes for more than 200 scholarships. Athletics scholarships are awarded outside of the GRCC Foundation Scholarship application based on academic or athletic achievements.

OUR INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETIC TEAMS INCLUDE:

- › Men's and women's basketball.
- › Women's and men's cross country.
- › Baseball.
- › Softball.
- › Volleyball.
- › Men's golf.





RECONNECT WITH YOUR FUTURE

GET STARTED

- Tour campus or schedule an admissions specialist appointment: grcc.edu/Visit
- Apply online with the FREE GRCC admissions application: grcc.edu/Apply
- Once you receive your GRCC Student ID, set up your MyGRCC portal to access your student accounts: SignIn.grcc.edu
Then, visit your Online Center through MyGRCC (SignIn.grcc.edu) often to:
 - › Check your to-do list – click on the “Tasks” tile.
 - › Check the “Financial Aid” tile for next steps and to confirm your financial aid.
- Fill out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as soon as possible to see if you qualify for need-based GRCC Scholarships, federal grants or loans to help pay for college: fafsa.gov
- Apply for a GRCC scholarship. Priority deadline is March 15, but applications will be accepted through Nov. 1: grcc.edu/Scholarships
- Submit your high school transcripts, your GED, ACT or SAT scores – or transcripts from other colleges and universities if applicable – to GRCC Student Services at enroll@grcc.edu.
- Determine if you need to take a placement test: grcc.edu/PlacementTesting

QUESTIONS?

Text: (616) 288-2937

Email: admissions@grcc.edu

Call: (616) 234-3300

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