



UNIVERSITY of WISCONSIN
GREEN BAY

University of Wisconsin-Green Bay

FAMILY CALENDAR

SPRING SEMESTER 2025

W E L C O M E T O T H E
phoenix family



WELCOME TO UW-GREEN BAY!

As your student joins the Phoenix community of over 11,000 at the University of Wisconsin-Green Bay, you might be experiencing both excitement and anxiety for you and your student. We want you to rest assured you will continue to play an essential role in your student's life as a partner to help support their journey.

This family resource will bring you up to speed with important dates, helpful tips, conversation starters, and resources that will help your student rise and make their first year at UW-Green Bay as successful as possible.

QUICK RESOURCES

UW-Green Bay Website

uwgb.edu

Family Website

uwgb.edu/family

Student Services Center

uwgb.edu/student-services

GB Orientation

uwgb.edu/gb-orientation

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SUPPORTING STUDENT SUCCESS

Welcome to the Phoenix family! Your student made an excellent decision by choosing to attend UW-Green Bay. From this point forward, we will work together as they complete their educational journey. The coming semesters may be difficult and will certainly contain vast opportunities for growth. We are committed to partnering with you and your student as they transition to college and navigate any obstacles they may encounter.

The Division of Student Affairs is comprised of dedicated professionals who are committed to your student's success. We offer access to programs, services and activities that support the University's academic mission and day-to-day wellness. Our staff is also available to you so that we may work together to ensure for the holistic development of your student. Student success is our top priority.

Regardless of their chosen profession or vocation, we are dedicated to assisting our students in their career readiness preparation. Ultimately, we want our students to become productive citizens upon departure from the University. We invite you to join us in accomplishing this goal.

I have no doubt that your student will find UW-Green Bay to be inclusive of all individuals, supportive of their academic goals and committed to their long-term success.



You are welcome here. You are a Phoenix. Soar!

Gail Sims-Aubert

Assistant Chancellor for Student Affairs



RIISING TO THE CHALLENGE

Top left: Students broadcast over-the-air on UW-Green Bay's student-run radio station, Radio GBX

Top right: Students perform at GB Music Festival

Middle right: A History student transcribes handwritten letters of Frederick Douglass from the Library of Congress' We the People program

Bottom: Students learn how to do risograph printing from two designers from BearBear studio during Advanced Studio-Professional Practice class



PARENT SENDOFF CHECKLIST

- Moved your student into their residence hall
- Had your student update their emergency contact information in SIS
- Signed up for GB Alerts
- Signed up for the Parent & Family newsletter
- Added Spring 2025 payment deadlines in your personal calendar
- Encouraged your student to apply for at least one scholarship on Academic Works
- Had your student update their E-Refund information
- Encouraged your student to open a UW Credit Union account
- Took a picture with Phlash the Phoenix
- Made a communication plan with your student
- Hugged your student

RESOURCE DIRECTORY

Academic Advising

920-465-2111 uwgb.edu/advising

Career Planning & Professional Connections

920-465-2163 uwgb.edu/careers

Dean of Students

920-465-2152 uwgb.edu/dean-of-students

Financial Aid/Scholarship

920-465-2111 uwgb.edu/financial-aid

Housing & Residential Education

920-465-2040 uwgb.edu/housing

Information Technology

920-465-2309 uwgb.edu/it

International Education

920-465-2190 uwgb.edu/international

The Learning Center

920-465-2958 uwgb.edu/learning-center

Multicultural Resource Center

920-465-2522 uwgb.edu/multicultural-resource-center

The Phoenix Bookstore

920-391-6600 thephoenixbookstore.com

Pride Center

920-465-2167 uwgb.edu/pride-center

Registrar

920-465-2111 uwgb.edu/registrar

Student Accessibility Services

920-465-2841 uwgb.edu/sas

Student Billing

920-465-2224 uwgb.edu/student-billing

Student Engagement Center

920-465-2720 uwgb.edu/student-engagement

Student Services Center

920-465-2111 uwgb.edu/student-services

University Police

920-465-2300 uwgb.edu/public-safety

University Recreation

920-465-2449 uwgb.edu/urec

University Union (Dining, Meal Plans, IDs)

920-465-2400 uwgb.edu/union

Veterans Services

920-465-2075 uwgb.edu/veterans

Wellness Center

920-465-2380 uwgb.edu/wellness-center

**NOT SURE WHERE
TO START?**

Contact the Student Services Center!

The Student Services Center specializes in answering FAQs for Advising, Financial Aid, and Registration, but they can help you find answers to virtually any question you may have about UW-Green Bay.

Call

920-465-2111

Email

ssc@uwgb.edu



QUESTIONS TO ASK YOUR STUDENT THIS MONTH

- What are you most excited about this semester?
- Have you chatted with your roommate yet?
- Have you purchased your textbooks for classes yet?
- What is your favorite area on campus and why?



ENGAGING WITH CAMPUS

Top left: A student plays a game in UW-Green Bay's Esports lounge. Gaming in the Esports lounge is free to students

Top right: Students get to work on the first day of class by studying in the Student Engagement Center

Bottom right: Students cheer on the UW-Green Bay Phoenix basketball team

Bottom left: A UW-Green Bay Phoenix men's basketball player takes a shot



JANUARY 2025

DID YOU KNOW?

Most of our campuses have lounges with refrigerators and microwaves for students to use when bringing their own food!

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

29	30	31	1 New Year's Day (campuses closed)	2 January term classes begin Students can charge books to SIS account (through March 26)	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 Martin Luther King Jr. Day (campuses closed)	21	22 Last day of January term classes	23 Spring semester classes begin GB Week begins	24	25
26	27	28	29 Deadline to add a course to Spring 2025 schedule (without a Late Add fee)	30 6:30 Concert Series	31	1



PHLASH TIP

- Discuss a communication plan to set times to chat with your student.
- Empower your student to take initiative to solve their own problems.
- Familiarize yourself with the campus resources that may be helpful for your student.
- Send care packages or letters and keep in touch.
- Remember that your student is experiencing a lot in their transition.
- Avoid second-guessing your student or providing too much management.





THE LEARNING CENTER

As assignments, exams, and projects are being added to your student's plate, the Learning Center is there to help! Whether your student needs help creating a schedule or learning how to study for their first college exams, your student can meet with TLC to plan for what's ahead.

uwgb.edu/learning-center

GETTING INVOLVED

Top left: UW-Green Bay cheerleaders perform at Krash the Kress

Top right: Students explore the Grand Canyon during a UREC Outdoors trip

Bottom middle: Biology student Samantha (Sam) Frauenfeld documents the growth of each wild celery plant during her internship research through Freshwater Collaborative of Wisconsin

Left middle: Two students participate in a campus favorite: Bingo!

FEBRUARY 2025

DID YOU KNOW?

Research shows that students who are involved on campus are more successful. Your student can view calendar.uwgb.edu to see what's coming up this year!

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3	4	5 OrgSmorg (Student Org Fair) Tuition & Fees due Deadline to drop a course without a "W" grade	6 Krash the Kress	7 W Dirty Dancing in Concert	8 Last day to "opt out" of Green Bay Campus parking permit
9	10	11	12	13	14 W Heroes Civic Symphony of Green Bay	15 24-25 UW-Green Bay Scholarship Application Priority Deadline
16	17 W Pretty Woman the Musical	18 W AILEY II - The Next Generation of Dance	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	1



PHLASH TIP:

UW-Green Bay boasts over 130 student organizations ranging from gaming to social justice to getting career experience. In addition to OrgSmorg, your student can visit uwgb.presence.io to find a club or start their own!





WORKING TOGETHER

Top left: Student Chloe Smith performs at the GB Music Festival

Top middle: Business students work on project management Gantt software as they develop and plan their home renovation project in Project Management class

Top right: Student Benjamin Vergunst works in the Mechanical Engineering Lab

Bottom right: Three students attend “Barbie Bash” event, which focused on women empowerment

QUESTIONS TO ASK YOUR STUDENT THIS MONTH

- How are classes going?
- Any difficult midterms coming up?
- What’s your favorite part of college so far?
- Are you planning to take any summer classes?
- What is the best place to go to when you want to relax?
- What student engagement activity have you enjoyed the most?



MARCH 2025

DID YOU KNOW?

Your student should meet with their Professional Advisor before registering for classes. Their Advisor can help them select appropriate courses and make an academic plan to keep them on track to graduation.

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
23	24	25	26	27	28	1
2  Jo Koy: Just Being Koy Tour	3  6:30 Concert Series	4	5 Payment Plans due	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	Spring Break					
	Summer 2025 registration begins	 STOMP				
23	24	25	26 Deadline to drop a course with a "W" grade	27  6:30 Concert Series	28  6:30 Concert Series	29
30	31 Fall 2025 registration begins Application for Summer 2025 financial aid opens  6:30 Concert Series	1 	2 PHLASH TIP: Encourage your student to schedule an appointment with their professional academic advisor in the Navigate app. uwgb.navigate.eab.com/app	3	4	5 



LEARNING IN BOLDLY

- Top left:** A Biology student illustrates different bird species as she takes notes during Ornithology Lab
- Top right:** Students pose in front of a UW-Green Bay backdrop with “Phoenix hands” at the Grad Bash celebration
- Middle right:** Students explore the Everglades National Park during a UREC Outdoors adventure trip
- Bottom left:** Design Arts students use wood type to create posters during Graphic Design Studio Lab



QUESTIONS TO ASK YOUR STUDENT THIS MONTH

- Have you talked with your instructors during office hours?
- In what ways have your interests changed this semester?
- Have you connected with your Professional Advisor yet?
- What is most helpful when you study or prepare for class?
- Which faculty or staff member would you turn to if you weren't sure about something and had questions to ask?

APRIL 2025

DID YOU KNOW?

Your student gets free tickets to all GB Athletic games. Check out the schedule at greenbayphoenix.com

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30	31	1 W Champions of Magic	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9 W 6:30 Concert Series	10	11	12 W Weidner Philharmonic
13	14	15	16	17	18 W The Cher Show	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
				NFL Draft Recess (no class)		
27	28	29	30 Financial Aid offer notices begin	1	2	3



PHLASH TIP:

Wrapping up the semester can be overwhelming for students between assignments, exams, relationships, and planning for next semester. If your student needs additional support, the Wellness Center is there for health and counseling needs.





QUESTIONS TO ASK YOUR STUDENT THIS MONTH

How is studying for finals going?
What are you doing to de-stress?
What are your plans over the summer?



DREAMING FEARLESSLY

Top left: Students smile for a photo after completing the Rainbow Rush 5k

Middle right: A student proudly poses with a baby goat at Goat Yoga, a beloved spring campus tradition

Bottom left: Students enjoy glow-in-the-dark activities and fireworks at the annual End of the Year Celebration

Middle left: Two students embrace, adorned in their caps and gowns, as they prepare to graduate in spring 2024



MAY 2025

DID YOU KNOW?

It's not too late to add a summer course. Summer classes are a great way to stay on track with an academic plan. Students can talk with their professional academic advisor for guidance on what summer classes make the most sense for them.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
27	28	29	30	1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11 Last day of Spring semester classes	Final Exams					17 Commencement
			 Blippi			
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 Memorial Day (campuses closed)	27	28	29	30	31  Level Up! Video Game Music



PHLASH TIP:

If your student is living on campus, summer break could be the first time your student is home for an extended period of time since starting at UW-Green Bay. Remember, it is important for students to keep their independence, but they may still need you for things. Communication is key! Discuss rules and boundaries for a return home, and ask questions about the college experience so far.





Housing



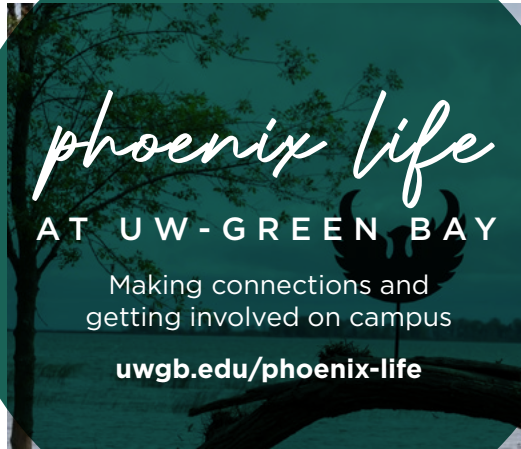
Dining & Meal Plans



Student Clubs & Organizations



Wellness Center



phoenix life
AT UW-GREEN BAY

Making connections and getting involved on campus

uwgb.edu/phoenix-life



Multicultural Resource Center



University Recreation



Student Employment



Pride Center

CAMPUS SERVICES & RESOURCES

UNIVERSITY POLICE

Police departments on and off campus are a 24/7 resource, providing an environment for all members of the campus community to safely learn, work, live, and visit.

Services for students:

1. **GB Alert** emergency notification system, inclement weather and community safety tips, and crime prevention programs
2. **Safe Walk program**: An officer will accompany your student to their destination if they feel unsafe
3. **Safety tips** and programs

WELLNESS CENTER

Students at each campus location have access to many of our counseling, medical, and wellness services for free or reduced cost.

Help your student be prepared with health history and medications, immunizations and vaccinations, and associated forms.

STUDENT EMPLOYMENT

UW-Green Bay on-campus employment provides students the opportunity to finance their education while developing professional skills!

There are several positions available for enrolled students with or without federal work study. Students can use their free Handshake account to browse open positions.

KRESS EVENTS CENTER

The Kress Events Center ranks fifth nationally among 'most impressive college gyms and student rec centers' and is also home to many of UW-Green Bay's 14 D-I athletic teams!

Your student can attend athletic events for free and cheer on their fellow Phoenix.

FINANCIAL AID & STUDENT BILLING



STUDENT SERVICES

TYPES OF AID OFFERED

GIFT AID

Money provided to students that doesn't have to be repaid. These can be in the form of a grant, scholarship, remission, or waiver.

EARNED AID

Federal Work Study funds are earned through eligible employment via a bi-weekly paycheck. Work Study funds do not apply toward educational expenses as gift or borrowed aid.

BORROWED AID

Money borrowed from the federal government or private source, like a bank or financial institution, to pay for educational expenses and must be paid back with interest.



Work with your student to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Scan the QR code to apply for aid.

COST OF ATTENDANCE

Below are estimated costs of attending for **one semester** during the 2024-2025 academic year. Costs are reflective of Green Bay Campus, full-time bachelor's degree seeking students.

Green Bay Campus Tuition*

Wisconsin resident:	\$4,350
Minnesota resident:	\$5,129
Midwest student:	\$6,131
Non-resident:	\$8,644

Housing

\$2,536

Food

\$1,620

Books

\$400

Total per semester

Wisconsin resident:	\$8,906
Minnesota resident:	\$9,685
Midwest student:	\$10,687
Non-resident:	\$13,200

*Other expenses may include parking, GB Orientation fee, distance education fees \$25 per credit

*The University bills these direct costs to students' accounts. Housing, meals and book expenses will vary and may also appear as charges on the student account based on choices.

RESOURCES

Financial Aid

→ uwgb.edu/financial-aid

Student Billing Resources

→ uwgb.edu/student-billing

Scholarships

→ uwgb.edu/scholarships

COLLEGE SPEAK

ACADEMIC TERMS

Add and Drop – Process of changing a course schedule by dropping or adding a course during the prescribed time at the beginning of each semester

Canvas – The online learning system used by UW-Green Bay to facilitate courses, discussion, class materials, assignments, grades, and more

Credit – One credit equals approximately one hour of classroom instruction per week

Curriculum – A program of study made up of a set of courses offered by a school

Degree Program – A planned program of study leading to a bachelor's degree

FERPA – Family Education Right to Privacy Act

General Education Requirement – A component of a degree program that provides a broad based education with required coursework

Hold – A restriction placed on student accounts for academic or financial reasons and generally require action from the student to be removed

Major – A planned program of study leading to a Bachelor's Degree

Minor – A sequence of related courses consisting of 15 or more semester hours of credit

Segregated Fees – Fees assessed to students in order to support facilities, programs, and services that are not academically oriented

Syllabus – The guide that a professor gives a student that outlines class requirements and what it takes to achieve specific grades

PEOPLE

Advisor – Faculty/staff member that provides information and assistance on academics

Chancellor – President or chief administrative officer of college or university

Commuter – A student who lives off-campus or at home and travels, or commutes, to campus for class

Dean – An administrator in charge of a division of a university or college

First-Generation College Student – Neither student's parent holds a 4-year college degree

Professor – A university or college-level instructor with the highest rank they can earn

Provost – Senior academic administrator responsible for planning and implementing academic programs and policies.

Resident – A student who lives on campus in a residence hall

Student Ambassadors – A team of student leaders who support the university's outreach efforts to prospective students and newly enrolled students

Vice Chancellor – Senior administrative officer in certain colleges and universities

FINANCIAL TERMS

EFC – Expected Family Contribution. This is a measurement of a family's financial strength as measured by the FAFSA, and it helps determine a student's financial aid eligibility

FAFSA – Free Application for Federal Student Aid

SAP – Satisfactory Academic Progress. In order to maintain financial eligibility, a student must meet certain standards set by the federal government