



Welcome to the Parent Session

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Introductions

Helpful Hints from The Hill

Summer Talking Points

Partnering with you to support your Gustie





Parent Access to Grades & Financial Information: gustavus.edu/gts/MyGustavus_Proxy_FAQ

Students are able to grant others online access to view the following *MyGustavus* options:

Check grades

My Documents (Financial Aid)
Student Account Statement
Financial Aid Award letter
View 1098-T Statement

FERPA (Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act)

The same laws that give parents access to their child's education records during elementary and high school transfer ownership of the records to the student at the college level. According to FERPA (Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, also known as the Buckley Amendment), college students are considered responsible adults and have some control over the disclosure of information from their education records.

A student may grant access to a parent (or other relevant persons) to view selected information via <u>MyGustavus</u>. Granting access is solely at the discretion of the student.

To view the options granted to you, you must first login to <u>MyGustavus</u>. Once your student grants you access to their information, a username and password will be created and sent to you by email if you don't have an existing MyGustavus account.

If you don't know your username or password, please contact <u>proxyaccess@gustavus.edu</u> . Gustavus will only communicate through the MyGustavus proxy email address we have on file for you.



Health Information

- Emergency On-call Resources
- Medical Leaves & Optional GradGuard Tuition Insurance
- Health Insurance
- Health Service & Counseling Center



Small Group Discussion

What are you/your student most excited about?

What are you/your student unsure about?



Class Deans



First-Year Class: Charlie Potts
Junior Class: Charlie Potts

Sophomore Class: Megan Ruble





Senior Class: JoNes VanHecke



Class Deans

What can a Class Dean do for individual students?

- Maintain contact and meet with students to address needs
- Foster self-advocacy in students to manage their academic, personal and fiscal responsibilities.
- Advocate for students individually and systemically
- Assist students in arranging for appropriate medical/mental health care
- Monitor compliance with treatment plans and/or College behavioral expectations
- Evaluate threat and assess risk to self and/or the community
- Serve as a liaison to parents on behalf of the College
- Coordinate campus resources for students



Parent Resources

- Materials in your folder
- gustavus.edu/parents
- Gustavus Adolphus Families Facebook page



Housing Resources

Access the housing portal (open April 18 - June 25)

Required: Student must complete the "New Student Housing

Form" under Application/Housing Forms

Optional: Roommate search!

Norelius & Sohre Hall

Early July - housing info available in the housing portal



Cars & Parking

- First-year students can have cars on campus
- An annual parking permit costs \$290
- All cars with permits have a guaranteed spot on campus
- First-year students are not able to park next to their residence hall



Important Dates 2023-2024

- Move-In Day (September 1)
- New Student Orientation (September 1-4)
- First Day of Classes (September 5)
- Family Weekend (October 6-7)
- Fall Break (October 21-24)
- Thanksgiving Recess (November 22-26)
- Final Exams (December 15, 16 and 18)
- Winter Break (December 19 January 2)

(https://gustavus.edu/registrar/six_year_calendar/)



^{*}Please reference the official <u>Academic Calendar</u> for complete information and updates



New Student Orientation

- Move-in Day: September 1st
 - Watch for information from Residential Life about logistics
- New Student Orientation: September 1st-4th
 - Small group format with a Gustie Greeter
 - Introduction to academic life, campus resources, etc.
 - Social connections and activities

Fall Programming to Build Community



Summer Tasks

Summer conversations

Online harm-reduction courses

Students will receive an email with links to the required courses on or about August 1st







Student Life Panel

Health Service Campus Safety

Counseling Center Career Development

Residential Life Current Gustie Student

