



MILLEDGEVILLE CAMPUS

Graduation Frequently Asked Questions

1. Where are the graduation ceremonies going to take place?

All ceremonies are taking place at the GMC Activity Center, 715 Broad Street, Milledgeville, GA 31061.

2. Are guests allowed to attend graduation?

Yes, students can invite up to 2 guests. We will provide students with 2 tickets to share with their guests. Guests will need to have their tickets in hand to enter into the activity center.

3. If I have not already applied for graduation is it too late?

No! We have extended the deadline for graduation applications to April 1st. [Please click here to access the graduation application](#). Sonal Patel can assist you if you have questions or need further support.

4. How do I know what ceremony to attend?

Students with the last name **A-I will attend the 10am ceremony** while students with **the last name J-Z will attend the 2pm ceremony**.

If you have questions about your assigned ceremony, please contact Sonal Patel at sopatel@gmc.edu.

5. What time should I arrive at my ceremony?

Graduate line up starts 30 minutes prior to the ceremony starting. So, if you are attending a 10AM ceremony, please arrive no later than 9:30AM. Similarly, if you are attending a 2PM ceremony, please arrive no later than 1:30PM.

6. Do I need to attend graduation rehearsal?

Just like the graduation ceremony, rehearsal is voluntary. However, if you plan to participate in the graduation ceremony, we strongly encourage you to attend rehearsal.

7. Which rehearsal should I attend?

Students with the last name **A-I will attend the 10am practice** while students with **the last name J-Z will attend the 2pm practice**.

8. What do I need to wear to graduation?

In order to participate in commencement students are required to wear a black gown, cap and GMC 2021 tassel. All graduates that are part of the corps of cadets will wear the Class A uniform,

short sleeve shirt. Proper attire is required of all students participating in the ceremony. Ladies please wear dark shoes; low heels are strongly encouraged. Gentlemen please wear dark shoes and trousers (no shorts). Please avoid wearing bright colors.

9. How do I order cap and gown?

To order cap and gown you will need to contact our Balfour representative, Amanda Greene at 478-452-1325 or agreene@gmail.com. A Balfour representative will be on campus to take orders during the following days:

Thursday, February 4 th	9am until 12pm	Grad Fair, Bulldog Room
Wednesday, March 3 rd	12pm until 3pm	Atrium
Wednesday, April 14 th	9am until 12pm	Atrium

Starting February 4th, you can also order online by visiting:

<https://gmcmlledgeville.shopoakhalli.com/>

10. How do I pick up my cap and gown?

Short answer: The GMC Bookstore.

You must place your order no later than **Friday, April 23rd** to secure the \$25 price. These orders will be available for pick up at the GMC Bookstore.

The cost of orders after April 23rd will be \$64.95, which will be shipped directly to students.

11. How long will it take to receive my diploma after graduation?

It typically takes 4-6 weeks for your diploma to arrive in the mail.