



Winter/Spring 2027 Priority Registration Calendar

Students' priority registration dates are determined by completing orientation, placement, having developed a comprehensive student educational plan, are in good academic standing and have less than 100 earned units.

For Priorities 1-3, all requirements must be completed by Oct 23, 2026 for Winter and Spring 2027 priority.

*Registration begins at 8:00am on the first day of each Priority Level
and students may continue to register any day after until the day before the term begins.*

REGISTRATION PERIOD	DATE	WHO CAN REGISTER?
Priority 1	Monday, Nov 2, 2026	AEC, CalWORKS, EOPS, Foster Youth, Homeless Youth, Rising Scholars, Student Parents, Veterans (see notes below for eligibility criteria)*
Priority 2	Thursday, Nov 5, 2026	Athletes, MESA, Puente, Gavilan College Promise/CA College Promise (see notes below for eligibility criteria)*
Priority 3	Monday, Nov 9, 2026	Continuing ¹ and First time to college ² students who have completed orientation/placement/ed plan, and Dual Enrolled CCAP³ and GECA Students⁴
Priority 4	Thursday, Nov 12, 2026	Continuing and First time to college ¹ students who have not completed orientation/ placement/ ed plan
Priority 5	Monday, Nov 16, 2026	Returning ⁵ , Transfer ⁶ , Students not in good academic ⁷ standing, or earned 100+ degree applicable units, and Concurrent High School Students⁸ (non CCAP)
All	Monday, Nov 16, 2026	All students

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- 1) Continuing students: Enrolled at Gavilan in consecutive semesters
- 2) First Time to College: Student who has never attended college/university after graduating from high school or completing GED or equivalent
- 3) Dual Enrolled CCAP: HS student (grade 9-12) enrolled in Gavilan courses that are a part of regular HS schedule.
- 4) Dual Enrolled GECA: HS student (grade 9-12) attending middle college at Dr. TJ Owens Gilroy Early College Academy.
- 5) Returning: Previously attended Gavilan but missed 2 or more semesters. Must re-apply.
- 6) Transfer: Have taken college courses at another college/university prior to attending Gavilan.
- 8) Concurrent High School; Non CCAP Student: Any HS student (grade 9-12) taking a Gavilan course outside their regular HS schedule.
 - Good Standing – student who is NOT on academic or progress probation for two or more consecutive terms
 - 100 earned units – degree applicable units, excluding 30 units from basic skills of ESL classes.

LOSS OF PRIORITY (PRIORITY 5)

Priority Registration criteria specified above shall be lost at the first registration opportunity after a student:

- Fails to maintain good academic/progress standing and is placed on academic or progress probation for 2 consecutive terms
- Has earned 100 or more degree-applicable units

Priority Registration Appeals Process

Students may petition for reinstatement by completing the [Loss of Enrollment Priority Appeal Petition](#).
Petitions must be submitted to: prioritygroup@gavilan.edu by October 23, 2026.