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Spring 2023 Registration

Spring 2023 registration is opening up soon! Make sure your current account is paid in full to ensure there are no registration delays. Check out the [Registration and Course Offerings page](#) for more information on registering online.

When does Registration Open for you?

Undergraduate Students	See table below for your exact date and time
Graduate Students (including Palmer Seminary)	Monday, October 31, 10:00 AM
Esperanza College Students	Monday, October 10, 10:00 AM

For Undergraduate Students:

YOUR ONLINE REGISTRATION PRIORITY IS BASED ON THE NUMBER OF CREDITS YOU HAVE EARNED:

REGISTRATION DATE	7:00 AM Start Time
<i>Registration will open on</i>	<i>If your current earned credits are.....</i>
Tuesday, November 1	73 or greater
Wednesday, November 2	32 - 72.99
Thursday, November 3	0 - 31.99

All Undergraduate students must have advisor approval in Student Planning prior to registration

*Students who have earned at least 32 credits at Eastern and have met all other graduation requirements may apply to take their final credits at an approved off-campus study program or host institution.

Spring Bills & Payment Plans

Spring, Spring 1 and Spring 2 2023 bills will be available at my.eastern.edu as you register for classes.

Once you are enrolled in classes, you can sign up for a Payment Plan for Spring, Spring 1 and Spring 2 [here](#).

Graduation Application

If you are finishing your degree soon, don't forget to apply for graduation. Log in to <https://my.eastern.edu/> and look for Academic Profile under the Self-Service menu. Graduation Application will be one of the choices under Academic Profile.

What is FERPA and what does it mean for you?

FERPA is the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act. It is a federal law that affords students the right to have access to their education records, the right to seek to have records amended and the right to have some control over the disclosure of personally identifiable information from the education records. This may mean that we need written permission from you to speak to your parents regarding your account. For more information or to access a consent form, please visit our website [HERE](#).

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Ways To Pay Your Balance

If you have a balance due now on your Student Account bill or you are anticipating a future balance in an upcoming semester/term during the 2022-2023 academic year, check out these options:

- [Payment Plans/Options](#)
- [Federal Parent PLUS Loan](#) (for Dependent students only)
- [Federal Graduate PLUS Loan](#) (for Master's and Doctoral students only)
- [Private Alternative Loan](#)
- [Outside Scholarships](#)
- [Church Matching Grant](#) (for Traditional Undergraduate students only)
- [Ministerial Discount](#) (for Traditional Undergraduate students only)

Don't hesitate to contact the Financial Aid Office or Student Accounts Office with any questions!

File Your 2023-2024 FAFSA— Available now!

The Financial Aid Office is gearing up to start putting together 2023-24 Financial Aid Packages and will start issuing them to students via my.Eastern.edu in December 2022. If you will be enrolled in Summer 2023, Fall 2023, and/or Spring 2024, we strongly encourage you to file the 23-24 FAFSA as soon as possible at [StudentAid.gov](#). You will need to use your 2021 tax information for the 23-24 FAFSA.

If any financial aid paperwork is needed, we will email you and post the information to your myEastern account. The [23-24 forms](#) (Church Matching Grant, Ministerial Discount Form, EU Family Grant Form) will be posted online soon and can be submitted to our office as soon as you have them completed. Please make sure to continue to check your EU email account and myEastern account over the Thanksgiving and Winter breaks.

Have questions about

Student Loan Forgiveness?



Want to learn more about if you qualify?



Need assistance with the Loan Forgiveness application?



Searching for an individualized long term loan resolution plan?

ECMC Solutions can help and is a non-profit company that partners with colleges to help address questions and concerns regarding federal student loans at no cost to you.

877-331-3262 | www.ecmcsolutions.org

Have a Question? Here's Who to Contact:

All of the departments of the HUB are here to help you!

The Office of the Registrar— registrar@eastern.edu—

610-341-5853 (questions re. registration, academic calendar, course catalogs, transcripts)

Student Accounts Office— student.accounts@eastern.edu—

610-341-5831 (questions re. billing, payments, refunds)

Financial Aid Office— finaid@eastern.edu—

610-225-5102 (questions re. FAFSA, financial aid packages, student loans)

HUB Office Hours are Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm

****Closed Wednesdays from 10am-11am for Chapel**