

Dear EOPS Student,

This is a quick reminder: If you are completing your certificate and/or AA, AS, AA-T or AS-T degree requirements in Spring or Summer 2024, or have already completed those in fall 2023, we encourage you to participate in the graduation ceremony and invite your family and friends to celebrate your achievements at GCC. [The commencement will take place on Wednesday, June 12, 2024 at 7:00pm.](#)

**[May 13, 2024](#) is the deadline to submit a graduation petition to the Admissions and Records Office and to have your name included in the spring graduation program, as well as receive EOPS graduation benefits described below.**

EOPS students who have completed their graduation requirements in fall 2023, or will be completing those in spring 2024 or summer 2024, and plan to attend the graduation ceremony, will receive the following gifts from the EOPS office:

- ◆ Graduation cap and gown, and tassel
- ◆ EOPS stole
- ◆ EOPS graduation mug and teddy bear, and EOPS pen and notepad



**MARK YOUR CALENDAR:** EOPS Faculty and Staff are organizing **EOPS Graduation Social** for our graduates on **May 29, 11-2 in the EOPS office**. We will have finger foods and refreshments. Graduating students will receive their gifts at this time.

To receive the EOPS benefits mentioned above, EOPS students must submit their graduation petition by the May 13 deadline, plan to attend the graduation ceremony, and [RSVP to attend EOPS Graduation Social by May 17, 2024.](#)

If you have not turned in your graduation petition, [schedule a counseling appointment with an EOPS counselor ASAP](#) to review your graduation requirements and to prepare the graduation petition.