JUMP START APPLICATION

For the online application, go to www.grace.edu/applynow. No application fee if you apply online.
our mission
Grace College is an evangelical Christian community of higher education which applies biblical values in
strengthening character, sharpening competence, and preparing for service. You can learn more about Grace College
and current campus activities by visiting our Web site: www.grace.edu

jump start

Get a jump start on college!
If you are a high school junior or senior and your high school GPA is at least 3.0, you may take a total of 12 credit hours as a Jump Start
student at Grace College. Juniors may take three credit hours per semester; seniors may take up to six credit hours per semester. Jump Start
registrations are subject to approval by the Registrar. To go beyond a total of 12 credit hours, a student must make full application with the
Admissions Office, be accepted, and pay the $200 admissions deposit.

You may apply by filling out our Jump Start application. This application is available in the Admissions Office or online at
www.grace.edu/applynow.

For a listing of courses available through this program, please visit www.grace.edu/jumpstartclasses. To find dates and times when courses
are being offered, please visit www.grace.edu, choose “Registrar” on the Quicklinks menu, and then “Class Schedules.”

questions?
If you have any questions about this program, you may contact the Jump Start Coordinator at 866.974.7223. Office hours are 8:00 am to
5:00 pm, Monday through Friday.

how to apply

application procedures for first-time Jump Start students
• Jump Start Application complete and forward with your Registration Form to Grace College Admissions Office.
• Registration Form (enclosed) fill in the class(es) you plan to take during the semester and forward with your Jump Start application to
  the Grace College Admissions Office.
• High School Transcripts Request Form (enclosed) complete the top portion and forward it to your guidance counselor. The counselor
  will complete the remainder of the form and return it along with a copy of your official high school transcripts directly to the Grace
  College Admissions Office.

important dates
To find important dates dealing with the fall and spring semesters, please refer to the Campus Calendar on our Web site: www.grace.edu.

purpose
Students can earn dual credit for high school and college, earn accredited transferable college credit, and take advanced courses that are not
offered at high school level.

recommended criteria
Student must be a junior or senior in high school, maintain a minimum 3.0 cumulative grade point average, and have approval from the
high school principal, guidance counselor, or homeschool parent.

fees
Tuition for Jump Start students is $100.00 per credit hour up to 12 credit hours (three hours per semester for juniors and up to six hours per
semester for seniors). Additional credit hours (over six per semester or 12 total) require the full application, acceptance, and $200 admissions
deposit. Additional hours will be charged at the normal per-credit-hour rate for the semester. The facility fee has been waived for all Jump
Start students. Students will receive an invoice for tuition at the beginning of each semester by mail.
jump start application

Mr. Miss Last Name_________________________ First Name______________________ Middle Name _____________________

Preferred Name ___________________________ Social Security Number _________________________________

Current Mailing Address ________________________________________________________________________________________________

City ____________________________ State ________ Zip Code __________ Country ___________________________

Telephone (_______ ) _____________________________ E-Mail Address ________________________________________________________

Date of Birth __________________________ Age _________ m Male f Female

Ethnic Background (optional): o Black/Non-Hispanic o American Indian o Alaskan Native o Asian/Pacific Islands o Hispanic

o White/Non-Hispanic o Other _____________________________________________________________________________________________

Have you applied for Jump Start courses in the past? o Yes o No If yes, when? ___________________________

Name of High School __________________________________________________________________________________________________

City ____________________________ Class o Junior o Senior Date of Graduation: Month/Year______________

Name of Church ______________________________________________________________________________________________________

Address ______________________________________________________________________________________________________________

City ____________________________ State _______ Zip Code ______________ Denomination _____________________

Name of Parents/Guardians _____________________________________________________________________________________________

Work Phone (_____) ______________________________ Employer _____________________________________________________________

E-Mail Address ______________________________________________________________________________________________________

Has either parent attended Grace College? o Yes o No

How did you hear about the Jump Start program? __________________________________________________________________________

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christian commitment

We wish to thank you for your interest in Grace and our educational program. In view of the fact that you are not requested to sign our Christian Commitment of standards, we respectfully ask that you would refrain from any behavior that is in violation of our commitment while on campus.

Grace College believes that:
• The Bible is the fully inspired Word of God, and its teachings are the final authority in matters of faith and life.
• Jesus Christ should be the foundation and center of every individual’s life.
• As a life can never be complete without fulfillment in Christ Jesus and His Word, neither is knowledge complete except as it relates to God’s eternal values.
• An important aspect of student life at Grace College is corporate worship and fellowship. Therefore, regular attendance at chapel and Sunday services (in an evangelical church) is required of all full-time students.
• As part of Grace College’s commitment to a distinctive lifestyle and experience, students are to refrain from the use of alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, tobacco, sexual misconduct, gambling, cheating, theft, coarse or obscene language, or any other conduct inconsistent with the goals and traditions of the college. Further, Grace College students are to abstain from morally degrading media and literature.
• It should be understood that any behavior which indicates that an enrolled student has little regard for living a life honoring to God, or whose conduct evidences a spirit of disregard for the College standards, will be sufficient reason for disciplinary action or dismissal.

If you desire further details concerning these standards, please contact the Student Affairs Office.

We ask that you sign in the space provided, acknowledging that you have read the above Commitment and that you will refrain from any prohibited behavior while on campus.

Signature _______________________________________________________________________ Date _________________________________________

• Note: Admission as a Jump Start student does not mean acceptance into a program or degree, nor does it imply the individual will be accepted as a full-time student.
• A full application must be made and acceptance granted prior to an individual entering a specific program or a degree.
• Course(s) taken as a Jump Start student may apply toward a program or degree if the student is officially accepted at a later date.
HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT REQUEST
I, ____________________________________________________, _________________________________, hereby authorize the release of my academic and personal records by _________________________________________________________ for use as requested by Grace College.

Signature_____________________________________________ Date _________________________________

Your assistance in the completion of this student's application file will allow us to serve his/her request for admission in a responsible and prompt manner. The student's application will not be evaluated until we have received this reference. We thank you in advance for taking the time to complete this form (this information is treated confidentially and is employed in evaluating the applicant).

The OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS you send us will be most helpful if it includes the following information:

- Applicant's full name
- Courses by year (including grades received)
- Courses currently in progress (if applicant is enrolled)
- Standardized test results
- Name and address of your school
- Signature of school official and date of signature

Student rank and evaluation

The student ranks (1 as top) _____ in a class of (total enrollment) __________ at the end of (number) __________ semesters on a (check one) m weighted m non-weighted ranking system. His/her current grade point average is __________ based on a 4-point scale.

This student (check one) ☐ was graduated (date)________ ☐ will be graduated (date)________ ☐ withdrew (date)________

Our school is (check one) ☐ state accredited ☐ regional association accredited ☐ non-accredited
Our school is a (check one) ☐ public high school ☐ private high school ☐ Christian high school

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What special strengths or qualities do you feel this student possesses?

Please list any areas where the applicant might need special attention:

Printed Name ______________________________________________________________________ Title/Position _________________________

Signature_____________________________________________ Date _____________________ Phone ________________________________

☐ Check here if you prefer to discuss any of the above by telephone.

Please mail this completed form and the student’s official high school transcripts directly to:
Grace College Admissions Office · 200 Seminary Drive · Winona Lake, IN 46590
JUMP START REGISTRATION
Choose the course(s) you plan to take from the list at www.grace.edu/jumpstartclasses. High school juniors may take three credit hours during a semester and high school seniors may take six credit hours, three each session, during a semester. For the times, dates, credit hours, and instructors, visit www.grace.edu, use Quicklinks to "Registrar" and then "Class Schedules." Jump Start registrations are subject to approval by the Registrar.

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Complete this form, sign and date it, have a school official or parent sign, and then mail, fax, or bring this completed and signed form, along with your jump start application, to:

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