

Gila Institute For Technology

GIFT

Preparing Today's Students
For Tomorrow's Careers

Parent / Student Orientation

2020-2021

Our GOAL

- ❖ **Provide an education**
- ❖ **Obtain a certificate/degree**
- ❖ **Gain employment**
- ❖ **Be a productive citizen**

Who is Eligible?

Any high school junior or senior, or anyone under 21 who does not have a GED or high school diploma.

* Graduated Seniors of 2020 are eligible within certain guidelines.

Those eligible for participation in GIFT programs are those who meet the application requirements, are a high school junior or senior, or anyone under 22 who does not have a GED or does not have a high school diploma.

Students must show the desire to be successful.

College level classes:

1. Teacher syllabus
2. Teacher RULES
3. Time and Effort



Students need to follow the teachers' syllabus. Many teachers are only posting online. We suggest you PRINT it off and highlight the important dates and tests.

Teachers rules are generally listed on the syllabus, students follow them first, then they have the GIFT rules to follow.

Know that you will need to put additional TIME and EFFORT into the GIFT / College classes. One class may require 6 plus hours each week of study time.



Handbook Review

Online at:
gift-tech.org

Quick Links

Students or Parent

Student Handbook

Acknowledgment Form

o Fill out and submit

When viewing online be sure to fill out and submit the [Acknowledgment Form](#) prior to August 19th and the beginning of GIFT classes.

GILA INSTITUTE FOR TECHNOLOGY 2020-2021

JULY 2020							JANUARY 2021						
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DECEMBER 2020							JUNE 2021						
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School Not In Session
 Work Day for 12 Month Staff
 Holiday All Staff and Students
 Early Release
 GIFT Start and End Dates
 EAC Start and End Dates

SCHOLASTIC CALENDAR
 Aug 10 - GIFT First Day of Classes
 Sept 7 - Labor Day
 Oct 9 - Graham County Fair Day
 Nov 11 - Veteran's Day
 Nov 25-27-Thanksgiving Break
 Dec 18 - End 1st Semester (89 days)
 Dec 21 - Jan 1 - Winter Break
 Jan 4 - School Resumes
 Jan 18 - Martin Luther King Jr. Day
 Feb 15 - President's Day
 Mar 15-19 - Spring Break
 May 19 - End 2nd Semester (91 days)

EARLY RELEASE DAYS
 Dec 18 - Early Release-Holiday
 May 19 - Early Release-Last Day of School

ACADEMIC PERIODS
 Jul 6 to Aug 7, 2020 Summer School Session II
 Oct 5 - 40th Day
 Dec 18 - End 1st Semester - 89 days
 Jan 19 - 100th Day
 May 19 - End 2nd Semester - 91 days

CALENDAR SUMMARY
 First Semester - 89
 Second Semester - 91
 Total School Days - 180

Board Approved 2-12-2020

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GIFT has their own calendar that can be very different than your home high schools' calendar. Be sure to look at GIFT start and end dates, they can be different than EAC and your home High School. Also days off and holidays can be very different, please follow the above calendar.

1st Year Students

- Plan on starting GIFT classes **August 10th** if in:
 - Sports Med
 - Health Care Professions
 - LNA
- Start **August 24th**, 2020
 - Autos
 - Welding
 - CADD
 - Phlebotomy
 - Industrial Electrician

2nd year Sports Med students start class August 10th.

Additional Tuition

1. GIFT pays for CTE classes
2. You pay for additional classes
 - English, Math, Wellness Center, Science
 - \$90.00 per credit hour. **Depending on Schedule**
3. Call GIFT office with specific questions
 - 348-3393



Example Only

\$90 per Credit hour

Tuition and Fees for 2020-2021

If GIFT pays for 7 Credits

You TAKE 10 Credits - COST will be

Credit Hours	Arizona Residents
1	\$90
2	\$180
3	\$270
4	\$360
5	\$450
6	\$540
7	\$630
8	\$720
9	\$810
10	\$900
11	\$990
12	\$1,080
13	\$1,170
14	\$1,260
15 & over	\$1,350

\$900
-630
\$270

Your cost

* Depending on Schedule you may owe college more

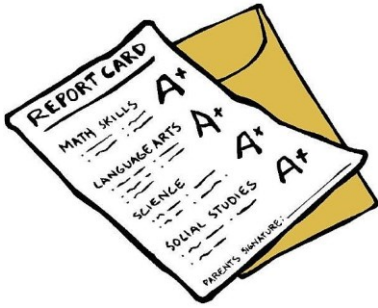
Example Only


Payment

Payment for the additional classes needs to be made to Eastern Arizona College.



GRADES



1. 9 week grade check
2. 'C' or above Average
3. Pay  up front
4. \$ will be refunded if get 'C' Average
5. Transfer to high school

GIFT does a 9 week grade check. Any student falling below a 70% will have a letter sent home, their high school will be contacted and the GIFT staff will have a personal meeting with the students setting goals on how they can bring up their grade.

At the end of the semester, if the grade point AVERAGE falls below a 'C' or 70% student will have to pay \$270.00 up front for the next semester, this would be refunded as long as the student got their GPA above a 'C' or 70% at the end of the semester.

Grades are transferred back to students home high school. Generally 3 college credits = ½ credit at the high schools.



College Degree

1. EAC – 64 Credits for AA or AAS degree
2. Certificate of Proficiencies
3. Pell Grant – 96 Credit Maximum allowance at EAC
4. University requirements
5. Strongly recommend reviewing academic catalog and meet with EAC counselor to finalize degree plan

Can't do program

1. Fill out declination sheet found on GIFT website.
2. Return Textbooks

DECLINATION SHEET

I _____
Student Name

DECLINE the opportunity to participate in the _____
name of program

GIFT program at this time. I understand that if in the future I choose to enroll in any GIFT program it will be necessary for me to reapply and go through the application process.

Student Signature _____
Instructor Signature _____
Date

Please return this form to the GIFT office located at 622 College Avenue in
Tucson.

Mailing address: 625 N Stadium Ave., Tucson, AZ 85722
FAX: (520) 548-5697



2nd Year Students

- Plan on starting GIFT classes August 24th, 2020 (unless notified with a different date by the GIFT office or your home high school)

Graduated Students

- Plan on starting classes August 24th, 2020

August 24th is the first day of classes at EAC.

If your class has a textbook, come to the GIFT office the week of August 17 – 20, 8am to 4:30pm to pick up your books. Graduated students must pay a \$60.00 CASH deposit before checking out textbooks. This fee is refundable upon returning books.

Contacts

Career Techs:

SHS: Marie Rios 348-7050 x 5302

THS: Kim Rhodes 348-7272

PHS: Katie Williams 387-8174

FTHS: Eliza Wilson 485-2427

DHS:

MHS: Brenda Street 865-7297

MGHS: John Nicholas 348-7060

GIFT: 348-3393 or www.gift-tech.org

GIFT email: mtaylor@giftjted.org
cemery@giftjted.org
cmarshall@giftjted.org

GIFT office hours: 8AM – 4:30PM (M-F)

- Here is a list of the GIFT contacts at each school. They will have brochures and other information for you.
- Also listed are the contact information for GIFT staff.

Marianne Taylor

○ Cell Number:

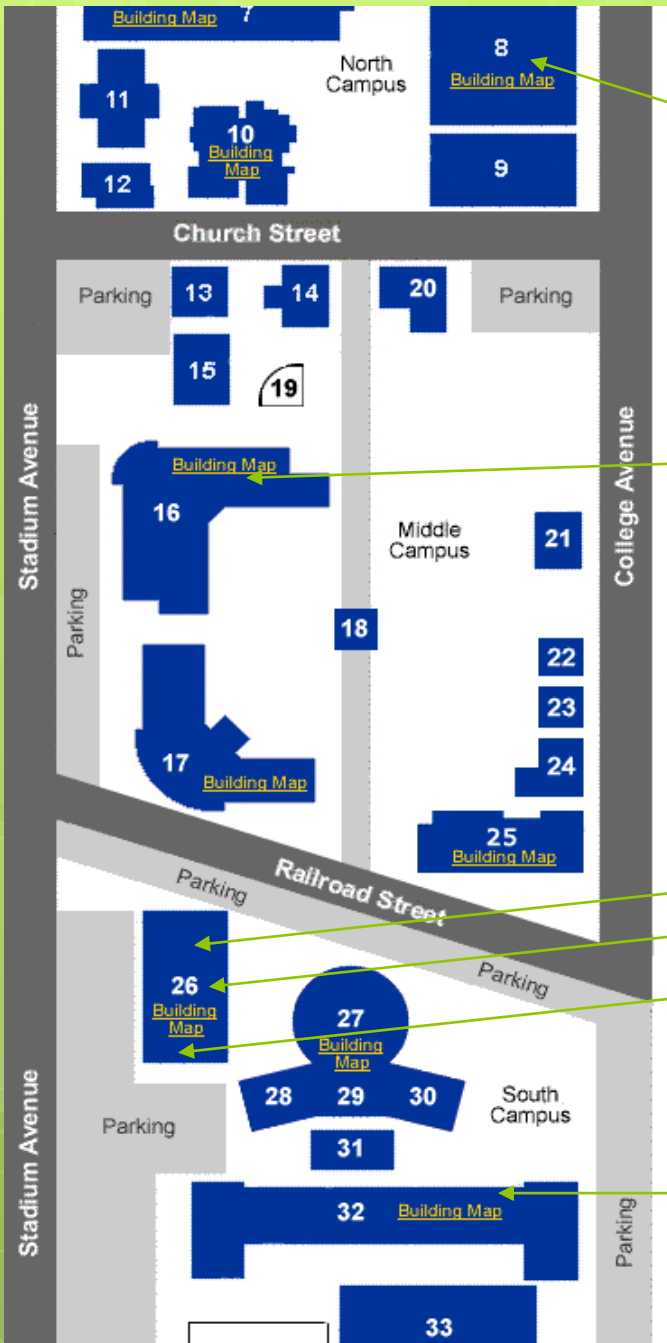
928-651-7790

Here is Mrs. Taylor's Cell phone number. She is on EAC campus everyday at 7am and will start taking your calls and texts at 6:00am until 10:00pm at night, 7 days a week.

If texting be sure and identify yourself and the program you are in.

Questions





Math Science: room 203
LNA Classes

Allied Health: AP room 271

Here is a map of the EAC campus. Use your Gila Hank to access YOUR schedule. It will tell you the building and room of your classes.

Use this map to find out for sure where you need to go.

Autos
Welding
Drafting – CADD

Sports Med Classes: SC 4 & 5