

# BEGIN YOUR INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE AT COLORADO MESA UNIVERSITY



**COLORADO MESA**  
UNIVERSITY™  
Grand Junction, Colorado

# ARE YOU READY TO BEGIN?



Downtown Grand Junction



Colorado National Monument



Grand Mesa National Forest

1925

YEAR CMU WAS FOUNDED

10K

STUDENTS

47

COUNTRIES REPRESENTED

99+

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ENROLLED

89%

OF CLASSES HAVE FEWER THAN 40 STUDENTS

## YOU WILL BE ...

### WELCOMED.

Colorado Mesa University (CMU) is committed to making your international experience in the United States exceptional and affordable. With students from 47 countries and a student body that welcomes diversity, international students feel well-supported from the time they apply through graduation and beyond.

### SUPPORTED.

The International Student Admissions Office assists international students through the admission process and once admitted, the International Programs Office provides individualized assistance with the visa process, arrival preparation and support services. New students are provided with an on-site orientation and a mentor/buddy program to facilitate adjustment and all international students have ample opportunity to participate in weekly programming events and activities.

### INVOLVED.

Choices for campus involvement are plentiful. The Programming Activities Council offers free university-wide events. The Outdoor Program plans numerous outdoor trips and provides the gear, transportation and planning. The International Student Alliance, one of CMU's 150+ clubs and organizations, is here to help you network and develop friendships and a sense of belonging.



## ACADEMICS

Colorado Mesa University is primarily a four-year bachelor's degree institution with a small number of career/technical as well as graduate options.

With small class sizes and expert faculty who are invested in your success, students at CMU receive a quality, personal education.

**GAIN EXPERIENCE IN YOUR FIELD!** F1 international students are eligible to work off campus in their field of study following completion of one full year of studies.



SEARCH FOR PROGRAMS ONLINE AT:

[coloradomesa.edu/academics](http://coloradomesa.edu/academics)

# PROGRAMS OF STUDY

<b>BUSINESS</b>
<b>Accounting</b>
General Accounting
Public Accounting
<b>Business Administration</b>
Business Analytics
Business Economics
Energy Management/Landman
Entrepreneurship
Finance
Hospitality Management
Human Resource Management
International Business
Management
Marketing
<b>COMMUNICATIONS AND LANGUAGES</b>
<b>English</b>
General
<b>Mass Communication</b>
Media Strategies and Applications
<b>Spanish</b>
Hispanic Studies
<b>FINE AND PERFORMING ARTS</b>
<b>Animation, Film, Photography and Motion Design</b>
<b>Art</b>
Studio Art
<b>Art History</b>
<b>Dance</b>
<b>Graphic Design-Visual Design</b>
<b>Music</b>
Commercial Music
Liberal Arts
<b>Music Performance</b>
Instrumental
Keyboard
Vocal
<b>Music with Elective Studies in Business</b>
<b>Theatre Arts</b>
Acting/Directing
Design/Technology
Music Theatre
<b>HEALTH SCIENCES AND KINESIOLOGY</b>
<b>Exercise Science</b>
<b>Fitness and Health Promotion</b>
<b>Nursing</b>
<b>Outdoor Recreation Industry Studies</b>
<b>Radiologic Sciences</b>
<b>Sport Management</b>

<b>HOSPITALITY AND CULINARY</b>
<b>Baking and Pastry Arts*</b>
<b>Culinary Arts*</b>
<b>Hospitality Management</b> (Bachelor of Business Administration)
* Associate degree that can be stacked into a Bachelor of Applied Science degree.
<b>LIBERAL ARTS</b>
<b>General Studies</b>
<b>Interdisciplinary Studies</b>
<b>SCIENCES, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, MATHEMATICS</b>
<b>Biological Sciences</b>
Biology
Cellular, Molecular and Developmental Biology
Ecology, Evolution and Organismal Biology
<b>Chemistry</b>
Biochemistry
<b>Civil Engineering</b> CMU-CU Boulder Partnership Program
<b>Computer Information Systems</b>
<b>Computer Science</b>
<b>Construction Management</b>
<b>Electrical/Computer Engineering</b> CMU-CU Boulder Partnership Program
<b>Environmental Science and Technology</b>
<b>Geosciences</b>
Environmental Geology
Geology
<b>Mathematics</b>
Actuarial Science
Applied Mathematics
Statistics
<b>Mechanical Engineering</b> CMU-CU Boulder Partnership Program
<b>Mechanical Engineering Technology</b>
<b>Physics</b>
<b>SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES</b>
<b>Applied Anthropology and Geography</b>
<b>Criminal Justice</b>
<b>Forensic Anthropology</b>
<b>History</b>
<b>Political Science</b>
<b>Psychology</b>
Counseling Psychology
<b>Social Work</b>
<b>Sociology</b>

<b>TEACHER EDUCATION</b>
<b>Early Childhood Special Education</b>
<b>Teacher Licensure</b>
<b>Elementary Education</b>
Liberal Arts
<b>K-12 Education</b>
Adapted Physical Education
Art
English
Kinesiology
Mathematics
Music
Social Science
<b>Secondary Education</b>
Biological Sciences
English
Geosciences
History
Mathematics
Spanish



## TOP 5 MAJORS

FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS:

- BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
- NURSING
- SPORT MANAGEMENT
- CHEMISTRY
- COMPUTER SCIENCE



# SUCCESS STARTS HERE

With 10,000 Mavericks who call CMU home, you'll discover diverse perspectives and a close-knit supportive community.



115+

PROGRAMS OF STUDY

1:18

FACULTY/STUDENT RATIO



## HIGH EXPECTATIONS, LOW COST.

### ESTIMATED ANNUAL COST OF ATTENDANCE FOR INTERNATIONAL UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

Undergraduate Tuition and Fees (30 in-person/hybrid credit hours over two semesters)	\$ 26,048
Residence Hall and Meal Plan Average	\$ 12,860
<b>Estimated Annual Total (not including scholarships, if eligible)</b>	<b>\$38,908</b>

The chart above reflects estimated expenses. It does not include living and personal expenses. Students should budget a minimum of \$5,500 per year for health insurance, books/supplies, and personal expenses.

### SCHOLARSHIPS

CMU offers a merit scholarship to high-achieving international students with a 3.0 U.S.-equivalent secondary grade point average (GPA) or a 2.5 university transfer GPA. The scholarship is valued at \$9,000 per year and is renewable. An additional \$1,000 is available to current international students at CMU with a 3.75 or higher GPA after 30 credit hours.

### INTERNATIONAL UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Online application
- \$40 application fee (Contact us to get a waiver code.)
- Academic transcripts
- Proof of English proficiency with a minimum TOEFL 70, IELTS 6.0, or DuoLingo 105. Minimum subject scores required. Other evidence will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis. Students who do not meet these minimum requirements can apply for conditional admission to CMU and attend an approved intensive English provider.
- Copy of valid passport
- Financial support documents: bank statement(s) and the CMU Statement of Financial Support (required for issuance of the I-20)



LEARN MORE ABOUT ADMISSION DETAILS, DEADLINES AND STARTING YOUR ONLINE APPLICATION

[coloradomesa.edu/admissions/requirements/international/undergraduate](https://coloradomesa.edu/admissions/requirements/international/undergraduate)

U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT — BEST COLLEGES RANKINGS, 2024

#5

IN TOP PUBLIC SCHOOLS

#20

IN REGIONAL COLLEGES WEST



## STUDENT LIFE

CMU's Student Life office aims to enrich the college experience by providing student-oriented opportunities that promote diverse learning, exploration and campus involvement. The only question is what do you want to do first? Visit [coloradomesa.edu/student-life](https://coloradomesa.edu/student-life) for details.

## CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

CMU supports more than 150 clubs and organizations spanning all interests including academic, athletic, cultural, professional associations and honor societies

## LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Organizations such as Associated Student Government and Residence Hall Association

LEARN MORE ABOUT STUDENT LIFE, CLUBS, ORGANIZATIONS AND THE INTRAMURAL SPORTS PROGRAM



[coloradomesa.edu/student-life](https://coloradomesa.edu/student-life)

enable you to take an active role in shaping our campus while improving your interpersonal skills and increasing your value to future employers.

## ATHLETICS AND INTRAMURALS

Admission to all CMU NCAA athletic events is free for students with their student ID. In addition to the 28 varsity teams, CMU has 20 club programs and 13 intramural leagues that any student is welcome to join.

## RESIDENCE LIFE

By living on campus you get the complete college experience. You are just minutes from all of the action including sporting events, theatrical productions and cultural activities. Satellite TV, high-speed wireless Internet and free laundry are included in our 14 residence halls. Various residence styles and room types are available to meet your needs.

LEARN MORE ABOUT RESIDENCE LIFE



[coloradomesa.edu/residence-life](https://coloradomesa.edu/residence-life)

## OUTDOOR PROGRAM

The CMU Outdoor Program is dedicated to outdoor adventure and education. It offers trip coordination, instruction and equipment rentals. Enjoy whitewater rafting, mountain biking, hiking, camping, cross country skiing, rock climbing and much more. You can also rent a bike for a \$250 deposit.



LEARN MORE ABOUT WHAT THE OUTDOOR PROGRAM OFFERS.

[coloradomesa.edu/outdoor-program](https://coloradomesa.edu/outdoor-program)



TERESA SCHUSCHNIG, Germany

"... this has been one of the best years of my life. I have fallen in love with CMU, the campus and the outdoors. There is so much to experience that every day feels like a new adventure."



BISHAL KHADKA, Nepal

"CMU has been a great university for me. I have gotten the chance to meet talented professors and cool friends. If you are applying to CMU, you are applying to the right university."

## DID YOU KNOW?



GRAND JUNCTION IS ONE OF THE NEW YORK TIMES "52 PLACES TO GO IN 2023"



Campus is alive with activities and adventure. Whether you're looking to meet new people, try new things or keep pursuing your passions, this place has it all.

150+

STUDENT CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

2,000+

STUDENT-RUN EVENTS EACH YEAR

50+

PLAYS AND PERFORMANCES EACH YEAR

FREE ACCESS

TO HAMILTON RECREATION CENTER, GROUP EXERCISE CLASSES, EL POMAR NATATORIUM, ATHLETIC EVENTS AND PERFORMING ARTS EVENTS.

# RESIDENCE HALLS

Each of our furnished residence halls has something to offer including quiet study spaces, free laundry and community activities. Whether you choose a traditional room, suite, semi-suite or an apartment, you'll feel right at home.

MAP	NAME OF HALL	TYPE	PRICE PER YEAR*
1	Rait Hall	Traditional; Single and Double	\$4,560–\$6,750
2	Tolman Hall	Traditional; Single and Double	\$4,560–\$6,750
3	Piñon Hall	Traditional; Single and Double	\$6,210–\$7,775
4	Garfield Hall	Traditional; Double	\$6,210
5	Wingate Hall	Traditional; Double	\$6,770
6	Monument Hall	Semi-Suite; Double	\$6,630
7	Bunting Hall	Semi-Suite; Single, Super-single, Double and Double-lofted	\$6,720–\$10,480
8	Lucero Hall	Suite; Single and Double	\$6,900–\$7,775
9	Grand Mesa Hall	Suite; Single, Super-single and Double	\$7,140–\$10,500
10	Walnut Ridge Apartments	Apartments; Single and Double	\$6,820–\$8,160
11	Lucero Hall Apartments	Apartments; Single and Double	\$7,500–\$8,500
12	Orchard Avenue Apartments	Apartments; Single and Double	\$7,750–\$10,450
13	Aspen Apartments	Apartments; Single	\$12,295
14	Wingate Apartments	Apartments; Single	\$12,295

\*2023–2024 rates. Current rates are listed at [coloradomesa.edu/residence-life/housing-information/rates](https://coloradomesa.edu/residence-life/housing-information/rates).

TRADITIONAL
  SEMI-SUITES
  SUITES
  APARTMENTS

## TYPES OF RESIDENCE HALLS

**TRADITIONAL:** Community bathrooms on each floor

**SEMI-SUITES AND SUITES:** One bathroom shared by multiple rooms

**APARTMENTS:** One bathroom shared by multiple rooms

## 2023-2024 MEAL PLAN RATES

Residents living in traditional halls, semi-suites and suites are required to have a meal plan.

MEAL PLAN A	MEAL PLAN B
<b>\$5,550</b>	<b>\$5,110</b>
<p><b>Unlimited access all day</b></p> <p>Offering the ultimate in flexibility, Meal Plan A allows access to the dining hall throughout the day.</p>	<p><b>Unlimited access from 10:30am to closing</b></p> <p>Meal Plan B allows access to the dining hall after 10:30am.</p>

The Dining Hall is open seven days a week offering a variety of options for every meal. CMU students also have other options to eat/dine on campus, including a Starbucks, Chick-fil-A, and more.

## MAIN CAMPUS AND RESIDENCE HALL LOCATIONS



[coloradomesa.edu/residence-life/halls](https://coloradomesa.edu/residence-life/halls)  
See floor plans and 360° views of residence halls.

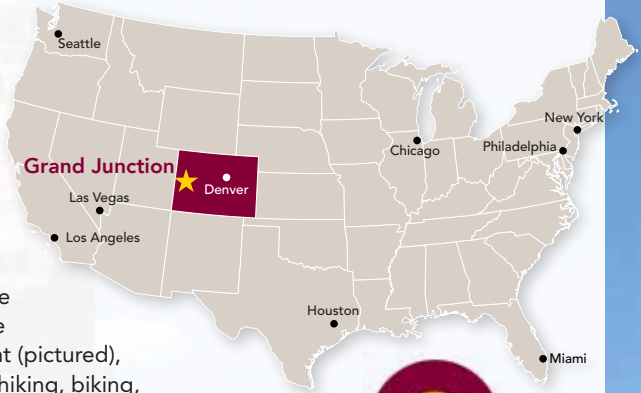
[coloradomesa.edu/virtual-tour](https://coloradomesa.edu/virtual-tour)  
Find residence hall locations and additional buildings on our interactive campus map.



# EXPLORE THE WEST!

Located in Grand Junction, a small, safe city in the beautiful high-desert of western Colorado, CMU is surrounded by areas that provide unparalleled opportunities for year-round outdoor recreation.

Some local attractions include skiing and snowboarding, the Colorado National Monument (pictured), golf, tennis, parks, disc golf, hiking, biking, canyoneering, downtown festivals, arts, music, theatre, rafting, kayaking and camping. To learn more go to [visitgrandjunction.com](http://visitgrandjunction.com).



157K+

RESIDENTS IN  
GRAND JUNCTION  
AND  
SURROUNDING  
AREA

2

HOURS TO  
MOAB,  
TELLURIDE,  
ASPEN  
AND VAIL

4

HOURS TO  
DENVER AND  
SALT LAKE CITY,  
UTAH

7.5

HOURS TO  
LAS VEGAS,  
NEVADA

## INTERNATIONAL ADMISSIONS

Resource for prospective international students as they begin and complete their admission to CMU.

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LEARN MORE ABOUT  
THE INTERNATIONAL  
STUDENT PROGRAM

🌐 [coloradomesa.edu/international](http://coloradomesa.edu/international)

📷 [CMUismp](#)

## INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS

Primary resource for admitted and enrolled international students for questions related to the student visa, academics, student employment opportunities and support services.

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