



Returning Student Registration— Summer and Fall 2011

Athens Technical College wants to ensure that each student has a smooth transition during the quarter-to-semester conversion. To prepare for the change to semesters, students should see their program advisors to discuss how their course requirements may change under the semester calendar system and to receive advisement regarding which courses they should register for during upcoming terms.

Administrators at Athens Technical Colleges realize that the quarter-to-semester conversion will be an adjustment for returning students and that many students want to plan ahead. To allow for students to better plan for the quarter-to-semester conversion, Athens Technical College is offering Fall Semester 2011 Returning Student Early Registration during the same time as the Summer Transition Quarter 2011 Returning Student Registration period. Please see the registration dates below.

Summer Transition Quarter 2011 & Fall Semester 2011 Early Registration

You must use the BANNER online registration system to register for classes. Online registration periods begin at **12:01 a.m.** All online registration ends at **11:59 p.m., May 20, 2011.**

- **May 11, 2011 — May 20, 2011** online registration for students with **55 or more** hours of earned credits
- **May 13, 2011 — May 20, 2011** online registration for students with **30 or more** hours of earned credits
- **May 16, 2011 — May 20, 2011** online registration for students with **16 or more** hours of earned credits
- **May 18, 2011 — May 20, 2011** online registration for **all returning students**

Please Note: Learning Support hours are NOT included in the “hours of earned credits” during registration periods.

Tuition and fees for all summer classes must be paid by **4:00 p.m., Monday, June 27, 2011.** Tuition and fees for all fall classes must be paid by **4:00 p.m., Friday, Aug. 19, 2011.** Payment can be made online via check or credit card or in person at the cashier’s window in building H (Athens), building 100 at the Elbert County Campus, or the Administrative Office at the Walton County Campus.

[Click here](#) to review a tutorial on **how to register** if you need help with registration.

There are many benefits of transitioning to a semester calendar system. The change brings us closer to the goal of seamless education in Georgia where students of all ages can move easily between the state’s three major educational systems: the Technical College System of Georgia (TCSG), the University System of Georgia, and the K-12 system. Additionally, the change will align the technical college calendar with more than 80 percent of American colleges and universities that now follow the semester system. Having calendar alignment and semester credit hours will make transferring to other colleges and universities easier for our students.

We encourage each student to contact his or her Program Advisor with questions regarding the transition to semesters. Students may also visit the Quarter to Semester website at <http://www.tcssemester411.com/> for more information.