Spaces of Learning, Creativity, and Innovation
Whitlock Music Center is where we host our weekly chapel service as well as our student-led vespers service. Yearly events include a night of worship led by students called Outpour, Gospel Fest featuring both students and local musicians, and band and choir concerts perform for the campus and community in this space.

Whitlock:
- state-of-the-art recording studios
- practice rooms equipped with pianos
- Luzador Chapel
- Wilson Recital Hall

**FUN FACT**: students from all majors end up finding a home in Whitlock. Music is such an important part of GU culture that musicians from all walks find a way to perform in this space.

You may have seen some GU students as contestants on The Voice and American Idol.
Marston is the home of the School of Education, though many majors will take classes in Marston classrooms.

- 3 floors of classrooms equipped with presentation tools
- School of Education offices
- Practice classrooms
- Education resource room
LaDue auditorium is where a lot of campus events take place.

- **Without Ceasing** - a 12-hour, worship event.
- **Joyous Chaos** - our student-improv group performs on this stage.
- **Colloquiums** - hear speakers from around the world and participate in eye opening discussions.
- **GSGA events** - large indoor events hosted by our student government like trivia nights and dances take place in LaDue.
- **Large auditorium-style courses** are held in LaDue.
The second floor of Dietzman is home to the business majors, and large classrooms are on the first and second floor. The campus coffee shop, Jos Java, and the GU apparel store, the Panther Clawset, are a part of the Dietzman building.
Students in STEM majors spend most of their time in Snyder. Science, engineering, and mathematics faculty are easy to get to with their offices next to their labs.

- Quantum Lab
- Cadaver Lab
- 3D printer
- study rooms for STEM students
- dedicated, fully-equipped labs for each field of study
The field station was dedicated to GU for science students’ environmental field experience. An education center, observatory, pond, and hiking trails are on the land.

**FUN FACT:** Remember the original campus building, Hogue Hall? There was a catwalk inside of the building that is now on the grounds of the field station. Student photographers often take advantage of this hidden gem.
MAVES

Digital media majors and art minors will find the facilities and equipment they need to create in Maves Art Center. Maves is also where students create our student magazine, The VISTA, and the e-newspaper, The Papyrus.

- art gallery
- drawing and painting studio
- fine arts classroom
- computer graphics center
- student lounge
- sculpture studio
- wood shop
- ceramic studio
- individual studio spaces
A computer center for digital media students. The DM Center has a Mac lab and all computers are equipped with the full Adobe Suite.

**FUN FACT:** DM students are welcome to show their creative skills by writing and drawing on a massive wall in the DM Center. Every semester, the wall is covered in unique student work, and receives a fresh coat of paint every winter and summer break to get it ready for more art and writing.
KAUFMANN

Formerly a house, English students find a comfortable place to write, read, and review films together in the large living room of Kaufmann. This building is also where English faculty offices are located.

JKL

Theology and ministry majors spend most of their time in JKL where classrooms and religion faculty offices are. JKL also has a resource library for its majors.
Students, staff, faculty, and members of the community are welcome to audition and perform at the Factory Theatre. Set designers, costume designers, and lighting and sound engineering find ways to showcase as well. The theatre puts on roughly five plays a year.

www.facebook.com/GUfactorytheatre
The SMART Center helps to connect students with local industry leaders.

- state-of-the-art rentable office space
- Rocket Bowls restaurant
- demonstration kitchen
- event venue
La Casa is where students come together to celebrate culture and diversity. Students share meals, discuss important topics related to diversity and equity, and participate in events at La Casa.

- The Office of Diversity and Inclusion
- communal kitchen
- learn about The Black Student Union and MOSAIC
THE BLACKROOM
The Blackroom is our on-campus, small event venue. Campus bands perform, music industry studies students organize events and run sound, and students host an open mic night every Tuesday for musicians, comedians, and other performers.

KRP BUILDING
Early Childhood education majors get hands-on experience working at the University’s fully functioning Kindergarten Readiness Program preschool.

PRAIRIE CENTER
The home of University Pathways. University Pathways is where international students can take intensive English language learning courses in order to ease their transition to college. There is also a communal kitchen.
Places for Students
THE UNION

The lower Union serves grab-and-go and grilled food options at Hoguey and the Hen. Students are often seen having a meal and studying together in the lower Union.

The upper Union is a student hub. Large student gatherings like our Cinematic Conversations, where students watch and discuss important films, take place in the upper union.

- ping pong
- pool table
- large projector screen
- open 24/7
- campus radio station (WGRN 89.5)

THE DINNING COMMONS

Our students designed this communal space for dinning and studying. Healthy options are served daily, and professionals prepare meals for those with allergies.
**THE GULLIES**
Thirteen acres of wooded trails located on campus. Hike, play disc golf, and follow the guided prayer trail.

**PANTHER CLAWSET**
Students can stock up on all of their Panther gear and apparel at the Panther Clawset.

**JOS JAVA**
The campus coffee shop. Students meet with each other and faculty here, and students host a weekly TED talk for campus.
Our campus quad. Most large outdoor events like Back-to-School-Bash, Grill and Chill, and Streetfest take place on Scott Field. An ultimate frisbee league plays on the field every Sunday.

**FUN FACT:** Scott Field used to be an orchard and the original athletic field for the campus.

Hogue Lawn, right next to Scott Field, is the location for the Ivy Cutting and Ivy Planting ceremonies.

**FUN FACT:** Hogue Lawn has perfect trees for hammocking.
Athletics
[GYMNASIUM]
- basketball court
- volleyball court

[FUN FACT]: The GU Men’s Basketball breaks national records by scoring a 200 point game in our gym. All games have free admission.

[RECREATION CENTER]
“The Rec” is a large recreation center which accommodates large group activities like indoor soccer, kickball, and dodgeball. Intramurals also take place in The Rec for volleyball and basketball.

- 2 tennis courts
- 2 basketball courts or 4 half courts
- badminton courts
- 2 volleyball courts

[FUN FACT]: The Simple Room, a local center for at-risk youth, hosts a yearly dodgeball tournament in The Rec, and students are welcome to join in.
**TENNIS COURTS**

6 Outdoor Tennis courts are located just behind the gym and rec center.

**ANNEX**

The Annex is a fitness center located near the athletic complex. It is free, and all students are welcome to use it.

- lap pool
- sauna
- aerobics room
- free weights and machines
Located just a mile off campus, the athletic complex is where outdoor sports facilities are.

- Indoor training complex with turf and batting cages
- Practice fields
- Softball field
- Baseball field
- Soccer field
- Track
- Football field
RESIDENCES
We offer many housing styles.

Our traditional residence halls are typically reserved for freshmen and sophomores. Community is incredibly strong in each of these dorms. Each dorm has its own unique set of traditions and events that bring residences together, and these traditions end up making memories that last a lifetime. Resident Assistants are on every floor to help students, and they lead floor Bible studies for spiritual growth.

- Burritt
- Dallas Annex
- Joy
- Janssen
- Hood Hall
- Holtwick
- Tenny
- Kenny

Upper Division housing is reserved for mainly juniors and seniors. Students can choose who they will live with and benefit from living, studying, and growing together as roommates.
Laundry is free for every student on campus. All campus houses have a kitchen. Housing is based on a lottery. Students earn points by credits earned, academic performance, and disciplinary record.

Learn more about our residence halls and living on campus.
Our History
Joy house is where presidents of Greenville University lived until the University converted it into what is now the Admissions Office. We love the heritage of this historic building and believe it to be a perfect space for future Panthers to start their GU journey.

- admissions offices
- visitors conference room
- marketing offices

**FUN FACT:** Many dorms throw a campus scavenger hunt at the beginning of the year to get everyone accustomed to spaces on campus. The porch swing on the front of Joy House is always included. It is the president’s porch swing after all!
Before Greenville University was founded more than 125 years ago, there was Almira College. Almira was a college for women in the late 1800's. After the construction of Hogue Hall, and a change in leadership to a Free Methodist couple, the college became coed and changed its name to Greenville College. In 2017, we became Greenville University. The Alimra building still stands at the front of our campus as a reminder of our history.
HOGUE TOWER

After standing as the pillar of our campus for many years, Hogue Hall could no longer be restored. In its place now stands Hogue Tower, a monument to our heritage and history. Passionate Alumni, fond of their memories in Hogue Hall, dedicated the funds to erect the tower.

FUN FACT: Hogue Tower is actually a bell tower, equipped with the bell from Hogue Hall. The tower also has a time capsule beneath it. Planted in 2017, it will be opened in 2067.
The Greenville community that you build while a student never really goes away. Alumni from around the world meet at the Alumni House, particularly during Homecoming, to reminisce.

Alumni House:

- alumni staff offices
- alumni check-in location
- conference room

alumni@greenville.edu

www.greenville.edu/alumni/
At the top of our campus is a statue of Jesus washing Peter’s feet. The statue is inspired by John 13:1-17.

“14 Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another’s feet. 15 I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you. 16 Very truly I tell you, no servant is greater than his master, nor is a messenger greater than the one who sent him. 17 Now that you know these things, you will be blessed if you do them.”

The statue is a beautiful reminder of our University’s mission statement, “education for character and service.” Integrated into our curricular and co-curricular education is inspiration for our students to shape the world with hearts of good character and servanthood.
THE PRESIDENT’S HOUSE

The “new” president’s house is where the president of Greenville University lives. Its close proximity to campus helps the president stay involved with campus life.

**FUN FACT:** This house was originally a bed and breakfast, making it a great place to host visitors to campus.

CLAUSSEN PLAZA

Claussen plaza, in the heart of campus, is where students perform the Ivy Planting and Ivy Cutting ceremonies. New students plant ivy their first day at GU to signify growing together for the next four years. When they graduate, students form a circle holding the ivy. The president cuts the ivy between each student, taking an opportunity to acknowledge each graduate. The Ivy Cutting Ceremony signifies that, though graduates may physically part ways, they will always have been part of the same GU vine.

**FUN FACT:** The Ivy Cutting Ceremony is one of the most memorable experiences for graduates AND parents who watch from the edge of the circle.
Along with thousands of print books, audiobooks, and other resources, the library provides online access to many databases, including periodicals, full-text articles, journals, and online reference works. The Library belongs to the Consortium of Academic and Research Libraries in Illinois (CARLI). This group maintains I-Share, an online library catalog that allows patrons to search the Greenville University Library collection and the collections of over 75 other academic libraries in the organization. The library also maintains the University Archives, a collection of documents and materials relevant to the history of the University.

- reservable study rooms
- free tutoring through Student Success
- career and internship connection and coaching through Career Services
- professional librarians assist with research and resources
- computer lab with easy-to-access printers
- media resource center with audiovisual equipment
- educational resource center for faculty and education majors

Contact: Circulation Desk 618-664-6603, Reference Desk 618-664-6599

www.greenville.edu/library/
Students from all different majors agree, a GU degree makes a difference.

“One of the best experiences in the business management program was being connected to people who had your dream job. Meeting professional business leaders inside and out of the classroom gave me a front row seat into what I wanted my future to look like. The constant feedback and mentorship I received from professors in the Briner School of Business grew my confidence by always telling me, “it’s your turn.” - Natilyn Hepburn-Beaty, business management

Natily now works for a music trust fund company in New York.

“Dr. Watterson and Dr. Beans took the time to explain and engage in psychological discussions. Professor Shanks encouraged me to never settle for less than what I wanted and to keep pushing. Professor Laughlin hired me as his student assistant and gave me assignments that resembled those I’d see in graduate school to better prepare me. The list goes on and on! So many people from Greenville University have impacted me. - Sam Barnhart, criminal justice major

Sam is currently enrolled in a graduate program.
I was able to get a senior position at a production company right after my internship due to the experience I had at Greenville as a DM major. Everything that I learned in DM, I have applied in some way or another. There is no question in my mind about the validity or usefulness of GU’s digital media curriculum in the professional world. - Anonymous

I hear principals say Greenville grads are the best teachers! The Greenville education program prepares us for the classroom in so many ways. The professors and field experiences give us the heart and grit for teaching. I am so grateful for my Greenville education. - Laura Pennington Stewart, elementary education major

Laura teaches in an elementary school in Chicago.

Every employer who has actually hired me were impressed by my degree in storytelling. They were impressed that I created my own degree. - Andy Mills, interdisciplinary studies: storytelling major

Andy now works as a journalist for the New York Times.
“I had no idea that my Spanish studies would take me so many places and expose me to so many different things! It was never just about learning the Spanish language, but [it] was about discovering how mastering Spanish—partnered with an expanded worldview—could be used to seek and glorify God in diverse contexts. - **Britney Villhauer, Spanish major**

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**Britney now works in the Dominican Republic for Best Semester.**

“"This program has equipped me for ministry through practical, hands-on experience, biblical teaching and instruction, and Christ-centered mentorship. I am so thankful for the quality and intentionality of this program and its instructors. - **Brian Wells, worship arts and music industry studies major**

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**Brian now runs worship at a church.**
Student Service Areas
Check out places where students can find the support they need for success while at GU.

**Student Success and Community Life** - located on the first floor of the library

- housing information
- tutoring and academic support
- academic resources
- test taking center
- academic assessment

**Career Services** - located on the first floor of the library

Career services will help you find internships and job opportunities and help you explore your vocational passions and purpose.

**Greenville Central**

- financial aid
- student accounts
- international admissions offices
- records office
Mailroom

The mailroom receives packages and sends students an email within the hour to alert them that their package is ready for pick up.

- international admissions offices
- Paper mail is available 24/7

mailroom@greenville.edu

Burkhardt

- human resources
- payroll

Campus Safety - Owens House

Along with keeping the campus safe 24/7 and conducting frequent patrols, the Campus Safety Office is also where students get their parking badge and student ID.

campussafety@greenville.edu

www.greenville.edu/student_life/campus_safety/
Facilities - The Kelsey Building
Facility workers are available on-call to assist with any maintenance issues.

facilities@greenville.edu

IT - Lower Library
Students can send a virtual “ticket” to IT for computer and technology assistance, or they can go visit the IT office in the lower library.

itsupport@greenville.edu