

Class Scheduling

Class Scheduling Processing Times

- **Class Schedule Build: 18-20 weeks**
 - Prior Term Copy Roll: 4 weeks
 - *First two weeks:* Department confirms course prior term copy roll
 - *Second two weeks:* OCAS completes PTC in SIS and prepares template
 - Draft Build in SIS: 10 weeks
 - *First five weeks:* Department prepares class schedule for SIS entry
 - *Second five weeks:* OCAS processes changes in SIS
 - Corrections in SIS: 4 weeks
 - *First two weeks:* Department resolves errors, makes corrections
 - *Second two weeks:* OCAS finalizes class schedule in SIS
- **Change of Master Schedule (CMS) Form: 3-5 business days**
 - Change existing class
 - Add new class
 - Cancel class
 - Stop enrollment
 - Temporary classroom change
 - Combined sections/classes
 - Enrollment requirement groups (ERGs)
- **Instructor Assignments Forms: 1-2 weeks**
 - Instructor Assignment Form
 - RTA Form
- **Other:** Varies; contact GCC Schedule for assistance

Using the Change of Master Schedule (CMS) Form

Change class information by submitting the [Change of Master Schedule \(CMS\) Form](#).

Use the CMS to communicate changes needed for a class after the class schedule is finalized. Additionally, use the CMS to work with:

- **Classes**
 - To add new classes
 - To cancel classes
 - To change classes (start/end dates/times)

- **Assignments**
 - To add instructor assignments
 - To change instructor assignments
 - To remove instructor assignments
- **Classrooms**
 - To assign a classroom
 - To change a classroom
 - To remove a classroom
- **Fees**
 - To add course fees
 - To change course fees
 - To remove course fees

Remember to notify students as soon as possible of any changes for a class. Request the proper signage to place on classroom doors from your [Department Administrative Specialist](#).

Tips:

- CMS may be submitted by department chair, department administrative assistant, or designee.
- Submit CMS's in the order to be processed.
- Indicate only information that is changing.
- Complete information is needed when requesting to add a new class.
- Use [Contact Hour Calculator](#) to ensure required "seat time" is met for in-person classes.
- ALWAYS indicate when a class is part of a combined section.
- Need help with CMS – contact the Office of Curriculum and Academic Scheduling (OCAS)