Overview
The WGU Orientation course covers the basics of a competency-based education (CBE) and the expectations for students enrolled in a WGU degree program. You will also learn about a variety of resources available to help students succeed, communication tools, and strategies for your success as a WGU student.

Competencies

- **Strategies for Personal Success**
  The student utilizes strategies for personal success.

- **Communication Tools**
  The student uses WGU tools to communicate effectively.

- **Academic Program**
  The student understands the scope, sequence, and rigor of the WGU academic program.

- **Student Resources**
  The student understands how to utilize WGU student resources.

- **Academic Expectations**
  The student understands academic expectations in the WGU model.

Learning

Getting Started
Welcome to your Orientation for Western Governors University! We are excited to have you here and appreciate the opportunity to share some useful information about the university with you. This course will use an interactive, self-paced learning resource provided by MindEdge to help guide you through the basics of going to school at WGU. To access this learning resource please click on the 'Go to Course Material' button below. Begin to work through each module sequentially, completing the various activities throughout.

You do not need to complete the entire course in one session, it will bookmark your progress so that you can return right where you left off. If at any time during your Orientation you need assistance, please contact your Orientation Team for help.

Unlike other courses, there is no formal assessment for Orientation. Course completion is recorded by doing 100% of the modules within the Learning Resource and all required activities.

Assessments

- **Performance Assessment: Education Without Boundaries Orientation**
  Status: Not Attempted
  Code: ORA1

Course Information

- The Student Success Center