1+2+1 STUDENT HANDBOOK
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For Students in the US-China 1+2+1 Undergraduate Transfer Program at George Mason University (CHEPD)

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I. Welcome to Mason!

Welcome to George Mason University’s 1+2+1 Program. We look forward to working with you to ensure that your time at Mason will be educational and exciting! We will be in frequent contact throughout your stay at Mason. We hope this Handbook will answer many of your basic questions, and you are always free to get in touch with us directly.

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What to Bring with You to George Mason University

You will be living and going to classes on the main campus of George Mason University in Fairfax, Virginia. You will need clothing for hot summers as well as cold winter weather. If you are from a region that does not have such a wide range of temperatures, you may find it easier to buy seasonal clothing once you are here. Dress for school is usually casual ---jeans, skirts, shorts, sweaters, and shirts. You can also bring a suit or dress for more formal occasions. Mason has a large and active international community, and we encourage you to bring some traditional clothing to wear at cultural events when you wish to share your heritage. It is also a good idea to bring your favorite music, some photos, and books in your language to help you feel at home and to share with your friends at Mason.

Remember to bring documents including:

- Passport and DS 2019 form (make sure to have these in your carry on brief case)
- The latest academic transcript from your Chinese university showing your first year classes and grades
- Official report of your TOEFL or IELTS test scores if you have taken one of these tests
- Medical and dental records, information on allergies, and medicines if necessary
- Eye glass prescriptions—and an extra pair of glasses is always useful
- A record of all prior trips to the USA
- Proof of immunizations (These documents are needed after you arrive at Mason)
- A credit card in your name (Verify that it can be used in the US.)

Other things you may want to bring: (recommended)

- If you bring a laptop, you may want to bring the laptop accessories you need as well as a printer cable and travel power adaptors, since these are more expensive in the United States and may not be compatible with your computer.
- Other electronic devices like e-dictionary and digital camera.
- A travel power adaptor
- Campus dormitories do not provide sheets and blankets. You may want to bring a lightweight pillow, sheet, and blanket or buy them here.

Not recommended (You do NOT need to bring):

- Thermal underwear
- Kitchen items: These are heavy in your luggage and easy to get in Fairfax.
- Any agricultural and meat items that are forbidden by US customs
- A dictionary
The First Week at Mason for 1+2+1 Students

Sample Schedule (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

Students arrive together in August, one week before classes begin, after a pre-departure briefing in Beijing by CCIEE. The first week at Mason is full of activity. Students please bring your passport with you to all meetings in the first week. You will get a detailed schedule when you arrive at Mason. In the meantime, here’s an idea of what to expect:

Day one/Saturday afternoon
New 1+2+1 students arrive from China and are met at the airport by Mason faculty and staff and other 1+2+1 students. They are then taken by bus to the dormitory to get a good night’s sleep!

Day two/Sunday
Shopping trip and rest

Day three/Monday
English testing at INTO Mason for those who have not passed the TOEFL or IELTS exams.

Day four/Tuesday
International Student Orientation presented by Office of International Programs and Services (OIPS).

Day five/Wednesday
Students will receive English test results. The Academic Advising Center will help students register for classes if they passed the Mason Into test.

Day six/Thursday
Special Orientation for all new China 1+2+1 students.
Students will check-in with Mason’s Health Clinic (bring immunization records)

Days seven/Friday
Immigration check-in at the Office of International Programs and Services (OIPS). Students must bring passports and all immigration documents to this meeting.

Convocation---Welcome by University President

Classes begin on the last Monday in August, about one week after the 1+2+1 students arrive on campus. This is also WELCOME WEEK at Mason. A detailed WELCOME WEEK schedule will be posted.
II. Academic Life

Student Status and Responsibilities

1+2+1 students are enrolled as full-time students at George Mason University from the time they arrive at the university until they graduate from both Mason and their Chinese university.

Students must follow all university and 1+2+1 rules and regulations. If a student violates the rules, depending on the nature of the violation, the student may be required to withdraw from the program or to sign an agreement with the 1+2+1 Office to ensure that the violation does not recur. The 1+2+1 Coordinator will also notify CCIEE and the Chinese university of the situation. A second violation will be grounds for immediate dismissal from the program and the university.

Students should check their Mason email regularly to receive important university and 1+2+1 program announcements until they graduate--including during their fourth year in China. All 1+2+1 students must also attend regular 1+2+1 meetings during their time at Mason.

Students must know and follow Mason’s Honor Code [http://oai.gmu.edu/honor-code/]. Students who violate the Honor Code will be sent to the Honor Committee and subject to sanctions or dismissal from the 1+2+1 program and the university.

Students enrolled in the university assume an obligation to conduct themselves in a manner compatible with the university’s status as an educational institution. The Office of Student Conduct is responsible for supervising student conduct on campus. The Code of Virginia confers upon the university the responsibility for maintaining order within the university and the right to exclude those who are disruptive.

If a student fails to attend classes or complete assignments regularly, or receives consistently poor grades, CCIEE and the student’s Chinese university will be notified. If the situation continues, the 1+2+1 Office, in consultation with OIPS and the Dean of Student Academic Affairs & Advising, may determine that the student is not able to successfully complete the program, and require that the student withdraw from the university.

Upon arrivals, students will sign a release form to authorize China 1+2+1 office to release student records to CCIEE and their home institutions.
**Transferring First Year Credits to Mason**

**General Information:** 1+2+1 Program students will receive credit at Mason for their first year transferable coursework done in China if the student has earned a grade of C or above. Mason’s Office of Admissions will evaluate the courses taken in China as shown on a student’s official Chinese transcript to determine the equivalent Mason course and the appropriate credits to be transferred. Mason does not accept for transfer credit courses graded on a Pass/Fail basis. When the process is complete, students can view the credits transferred to Mason by checking their academic record on Mason’s Patriot Web system. Transfer credit evaluations are considered final after the first year of enrollment.

**Re-evaluation Process:** If a student feels that a mistake has been made on a first year course evaluation, the student may appeal the decision by filling out a Transfer Credit Re-evaluation Appeal and following the instructions on the Admissions website. The Mason Admissions Office only accepts reevaluation requests for existing transferred credits. When doing a reevaluation request:

- Read the description of the Mason course you want credit for (see the Mason catalog) to make sure it seems equivalent to the course you took in China and want reevaluated.
- Get an official description of the Chinese course or syllabus. This description needs to be on the Chinese university letterhead, out of the university catalog, or on the university website. Students may not write their own course descriptions. Do not submit a textbook without the official syllabus for the course. All re-evaluation decisions are final and can not adjust after the first year of enrollment.

**English Language Requirements**

1+2+1 students must meet the university’s English language requirements before they are permitted to begin their academic classes at George Mason University. The following are minimum English language test scores required for full-time academic study:

- Internet based TOEFL (iBT) – The minimum combined score for the iBT is 80 with a minimum subsection score of 18
- IELTS – The minimum score for the IELTS is 6.5 (academic version) with a minimum subsection score of 6.0

Mason strongly recommends that 1+2+1 students take the TOEFL or IELTS (academic) **before** coming to the United States. Please notify CCIEE and Mason’s 1+2+1 Office when you get your scores and also send the scores directly to Mason’s Office of Admissions (Mason’s institutional code for test scores is 5827). Students may also take the iBT or IELTS after they arrive in the United States. However, in order for the test results to influence academic placement, official test scores must be received by Mason within the first week of the semester in question.

1+2+1 students who provide documented evidence of either the minimum iBT score or the minimum IELTS score before they arrive at Mason will be permitted to begin academic studies in their first semester at Mason. Upon arrival at Mason, all students not providing the iBT or IELTS minimum scores must take the Accuplacer at INTO Mason which includes assessment of Reading, Listening, Writing, Speaking (one-to-one with a faculty/staff member). Students scoring sufficiently high on each component of the placement test may begin academic studies without further English language instruction. Students scoring below the minimum percentile on the placement test will be required to study English at the INTO Mason until they meet the university’s minimum required skill levels.

1+2+1 students required to study at the INTO Mason will be placed into an appropriate level of instruction based on their individual sub-test and cumulative placement test scores.
Your Major at Mason

1+2+1 Program students must declare a major before they arrive at George Mason University. They may choose one of the approved 1+2+1 majors at Mason (see list below.) The student’s major at Mason should be closely related to their major in China. Double majors are not recommended in the 1+2+1 Program. Students may select a minor with permission from both universities if it does not require a prolonged visa extension.

Approved Majors for 1+2+1 Students at George Mason University

The College of Humanities and Social Sciences
- Communication, B.A.
- Economics, B.S.
- Global Affairs, B.A.

The College of Science
- Geography, B.S.
- Physics, B.S.

The College of Visual and Performing Arts
- Art and Visual Technology, B.A.
- Music, B.A. (Audition required.)
- Graphic Design, M.A. (Portfolio review required.)

The School of Business
- Accounting, B.S.*
- Finance, B.S.*
- Management, B.S.*
- Marketing, B.S.*

The Volgenau School of Engineering
- Computer Science, B.S.*
- Computer Engineering, B.S.*
- Electrical Engineering, B.S.*

* Extra time and coursework at Mason beyond two years is required for these majors.

During the first year at Mason, a 1+2+1 student may apply to change majors to another approved 1+2+1 major, if their Chinese university approves of the change. Students may change their major only once. Students should discuss the decision with an advisor in their original department as well as in the department to which they want to transfer. If the student decides to make a change, he/she should do so before beginning the second semester of academic classes at Mason.

To change majors, students must take the following steps:
- Contact the 1+2+1 Office in your Chinese university to request permission to change your major at Mason. The Chinese university will need to send a letter or email to Mason’s 1+2+1 Coordinator stating that they acknowledge and allow you to change your major from X to Y.
- CCIEE will also be notified.
- Get an Undergraduate Change/Declaration of Academic Program form from the Registrar’s website: http://registrar.gmu.edu/forms/. This form needs to be signed by your new major advisor at Mason, a copy given to the 1+2+1 coordinator, and the original to the Registrar office.
Fulfilling Mason Requirements and Graduating from Mason

**Minimum Grade Requirement:** To complete a Mason degree, 1+2+1 students must meet all the General Education and departmental requirements for their majors. Students must receive a grade of C or higher to earn credit toward their majors. For a summary of requirements, please consult the appropriate 1+2+1 Guidelines for your major, which are available from the 1+2+1 Office and the China 1+2+1 Student myMason webpage [http://mymason.gmu.edu/](http://mymason.gmu.edu/) (see Helpful Resources.)

**Full Time Academic Credit Hours at Mason:** Full time status is 12-16 credit hours per semester (Fall and Spring.) Students may not take more than 18 credits per semester without special permission from their dean.

**Program Duration at Mason:** 1+2+1 students must return to China for their final year of study. If students cannot complete required coursework at Mason during the fall and spring semesters, they are expected to take classes during summer sessions. Students may be required to stay at Mason extra semesters to complete major course requirements. If a student needs to stay at Mason longer than two and half years to complete required courses, they must receive permission from their Chinese university and from the 1+2+1 Office at Mason.

**Final Semester at Mason:** In the final semester at Mason, all 1+2+1 students will attend a meeting to receive information about planning for their final year in China. Before the meeting, students must complete a “Check-Off Plan” listing the courses they need to finish in China, and get the plan approved by their advisor at Mason. If a student wants to take more than 3 required Mason courses in the fourth year in China, the student must get permission from his/her Mason advisor. Students will also take part in a 1+2+1 Program Focus Group with the Office of Assessment in their final semester.

**Final Year in China:** 1+2+1 students must return to China and graduate from their Chinese university before their Mason degree is awarded. At the beginning of each semester in the final year at their Chinese university, each student is asked to submit to Mason a “Program Student Fourth Year Course Registration Summary Form” listing all courses they are taking that semester and signed by both the student and their Chinese university 1+2+1 Program Coordinator. The Chinese university will also be asked to send official course descriptions for each class unless it has been previously evaluated at Mason. (Check with the 1+2+1 Office or the Course Equivalency Tables on the China 1+2+1 page of the myMason website.)

**Final Year Credit Transfer Back to Mason:** To complete the transfer of courses taken in the final year in China, each Chinese university must submit the student’s official Chinese transcript to Mason each semester, showing the grades that the student received. 1+2+1 students will receive credit at Mason for approved coursework done in China if the student earns a grade of (C) as shown on the official Chinese transcript. Two weeks after final transcripts are received, students can review the credits transferred to Mason by checking their academic record on Mason’s Patriot Web system.

**Graduating from Mason:** In early March of the final year of study, Mason’s Office of the University Registrar will file a “Graduation Intent Form” for each 1+2+1 student completing the program in China. All China 1+2+1 students graduate from Mason in August (summer semester) instead of May (spring semester) due to the different semester completion dates in China. At the AASCU-CCIEE graduation ceremony in China in June, Mason students will receive a Graduation Certificate indicating that they are expected to graduate in August. If Mason receives official documentation showing that a student has met all Mason requirements by July and graduated from his/her Chinese university, the student’s Mason diploma will be awarded in August and mailed to the student in China by October. **Student must receive their degree from China before Mason will award its degree by agreement of the MOU.**

Students may not remain in the U.S. for academic training or begin graduate school until they have returned to China and received their undergraduate degrees from both universities.
Requesting an Extension of Your DS2019

All 1+2+1 students receive a DS-2019 form valid for two and half years. If a student needs more than two and half years to complete Mason academic requirements, they must renew their DS-2019 forms in order to keep legal immigration status in the United States. **Students should start the DS-2019 renewal process at least 2 months prior to their DS-2019 expiration date.** Students should first contact their Chinese university for approval to extend their study time at Mason. Once this request is approved, the Chinese university sends an official note to Mason’s 1+2+1 Office. Second, the student must have enough funds in his/her Education Fund to cover the additional semester(s) at Mason. Jun Kim will let students know how much additional money should be wired to the university, if needed. Third, the student must have a Faculty Recommendation Form signed by their Mason advisor, listing the reason for the extension and the expected completion date. After these three steps are competed, either Lisa O’Hara or Olivia Sun will sign Permission for Extension of J-1 Student Status form. The student can then take this paperwork to OIPS to request renewal of the DS-2019.

Students will receive the China 1+2+1 tuition discount for two and half years. After this point, students will pay full, out-of-state tuition. Please visit the Student Accounts Office webpage [http://studentaccounts.gmu.edu/tuition.html](http://studentaccounts.gmu.edu/tuition.html) to learn more about out-of-state tuition rates by term.
III. Student Life

**Housing**

Students will be assigned a dormitory room on campus for the first year at Mason. Students may stay in on-campus housing until the end of the final summer school session in early August. If students stay on campus through the end of August, there is a GAP fee for housing until the fall semester begins (approximately $25/day for approximately 20 days).

Students can choose to live off-campus after their first year on campus. Students are responsible for finding, negotiating for, securing and personally paying for their off-campus housing and handling any financial and/or legal issues resulting from living off-campus. Please update your address on Patriot Web whenever you move to a different location.

Housing fees vary depending on the type of dormitory. The student’s Education Fund (the money wired to Mason in advance of arrival) covers the cost of housing in basic residence halls or student apartments. If a student chooses to live in a more expensive residence hall, they may reduce their Education Fund more quickly. Different housing rates can be found at housing.gmu.edu.

When selecting housing for the second or third year at Mason, students are required to make a $300 housing deposit during the previous semester. The Housing Office will contact students with payment information after the room assignment is made. Students are personally responsible for making this deposit, which will be applied to their Student Account the following fall.

The dormitory buildings will have a kitchen for students who want to cook for themselves. Campus eating facilities are closed during Thanksgiving Break, spring break, and winter break and students are responsible for their own meals during this period. Students must follow all housing regulations regarding cooking in the dorms. Students may choose to purchase a meal plan. For information, go to http://masonid.gmu.edu/mealplans/newmealplanresident.html. If a student cancels his/her meal plan, the meal plan funds will remain in his/her Education Fund.

There is easy access to shopping and entertainment within walking distance of campus. Public transportation is available from campus to nearby large shopping centers and into Washington DC.
Your Money At Mason

Your Education Fund: The summer before coming to the US, China 1+2+1 students electronically wire funds to Mason in July to cover most major expenses for the first year and wire funds to cover second year expenses in the following July. (Students choosing to live off campus in their second year will reduce the wired funds by the housing cost.) These wired funds are deposited into the student’s Education Fund at Mason, which is managed by the 1+2+1 Office and is separate from the student’s personal bank account and online Student Account (see below.) Expenses covered by the Education Fund include academic tuition and related fees, basic campus housing, and required international health insurance for Fall and Spring semesters for two years, (and meal plans, if added by the student.) Students do not have direct access to the Education Funds. The 1+2+1 Office transfers these funds to the appropriate university offices to pay student bills. **Students are responsible for paying all of their own expenses if they take classes in the summer, including tuition and housing.** (The spring semester health insurance also includes the summer so there is no additional payment for summer health insurance.)

Each spring, students receive a statement showing the funds that have been spent and the current balance of the Education Fund. Students will be notified if their balance becomes too low and they are required to wire additional funds for the following semester. This can happen if a student stays at Mason for more than two years, upgrades housing, or takes more than a full time academic load of courses (17 credits and over/semester) for several semesters.

If students have a credit balance on their Education Fund in their last semester at Mason, these funds will be transferred to their Student Account. Students then request a refund check from Student Accounts or allow the funds to be applied to their Summer session(s) if they are taking summer classes before returning to China.

**Your Personal Bank Account:** During orientation week at Mason, all students will open a personal checking account. Students use these personal funds for miscellaneous personal expenses, textbooks, and for university expenses that are not paid for by the Education Fund.

**Your Online Student Account:** You may check all university charges on Mason’s Patriot Web system by going to your individual Student Account. During orientation, you will receive information on how to check and manage your online Student Account.

Student Accounts is an online system that tracks charges for INTO Mason tuition, academic tuition and fees, meal plans and bonus funds, housing, international health insurance (charged each Fall and Spring semesters), and other fees such as late fees and housing damage charges.

China 1+2+1 students receive a discount off of the out-of-state tuition rate including academic coursework of Accelerated Pathway at INTO Mason. This shows up on your student account as a payment labeled “Expt China 1-2-1 Prem Tuit.”

Each student is responsible for tracking the balance in his or her Student Account. If you have questions or concerns about your Student Account, contact student_accounts@gmu.edu or call 703-993-2484. For additional help, contact Lisa O’Hara at lohara4@gmu.edu, call her at 703-993-5075, or make an appointment to see her during her office hours. It helps to send an email describing the issue before coming to the appointment.

The 1+2+1 Office at Mason pays each student’s Student Account bill in Fall and Spring semester, using money from each student’s Education Fund. These bills are paid after the last day to add/drop a class in the semester to guarantee that the correct payments are made. The last day to add/drop a class is also the day that Student Accounts sends out late payment emails to students. If you receive such an email, please check your account on Patriot Web after several days to verify that payment has been made. **You will not receive a late payment charge.** Students must pay on their own for **all summer expenses**, housing damages, and any other fees assessed. The Education Fund will not be used to pay for these charges.
Visa, Work, Auto, and Travel Issues

**Visa:** To maintain J-1 visa status, students must attend all classes regularly at Mason, including INTO classes, and receive satisfactory grades.

**Work:** Once enrolled in full-time academic courses, students who want to get a job need to get an on-campus Employment Certification Form signed by the on-campus employer and a letter of authorization from the Office of International Programs and Services (OIPS). They may work on campus up to 20 hours per week during fall and spring semesters, and full time during holidays or summers. Students who wish to work off campus need to meet with an OIPS officer to discuss whether it is allowable by immigration law.

**Auto:** 1+2+1 students are not encouraged to have cars on campus. There is easy access to shopping and entertainment within walking distance of campus. Public transportation is available from campus to nearby large shopping centers and into Washington DC.

**Travel:** The visa stamp in your passport allows you to enter the United States. It does not determine your length of stay here --- **your DS-2019 and I-94 card determine how long you can stay.** All China 121 students receive a U.S. visa in the summer before their August arrival at Mason, which is valid for one year. If you plan to travel outside the U.S. when your visa is expired, you will need to get it renewed before you can return. A student visa can only be renewed at a U.S. embassy or consulate outside of the United States.

If your visa expires but you maintain your status as a student and stay in the United States, there is no need to travel outside of the United States simply to renew your visa.
International Student Health Insurance

All international students are required by law to carry health insurance. This insurance is provided by Aetna and charged directly to your Student Account in two charges – Fall and Spring semesters (which include coverage for the summer.). Your insurance card will be mailed to your on-campus mailbox. The insurance will help to cover major medical expenses in the case of an emergency, injury or major illness. The insurance also covers certain costs for prescriptions and dental and doctors that are members of the insurance plan. For full plan details and a basic summary of benefits, please go to this website: https://www.aetnastudenthealth.com/students/student-connection.aspx?groupID=724536&PageID=fpd.

IV. Helpful Resources at Mason

1+2+1 PROGRAM OFFICE
The 1+2+1 Office is part of the Office of Global Strategy at Mason.  
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myMason INFORMATION PORTAL for 1+2+1 STUDENTS  
myMason.gmu.edu is the web portal for Mason faculty, staff, and students. Under the “Organization” tab on the “myMason” page of every 1+2+1 student, there is an item called “China 1+2+1 students.” Policies and forms related to the 1+2+1 program at Mason are found there, and all 1+2+1 students should be familiar with this information.

STUDENT HEALTH AND SAFETY

EMERGENCY NUMBER: 911

CAMPUS POLICE Non-Emergency: 703-993-2810  

STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES  
Student Union Building I (SUB I), Room 2300  703-993-2831 http://shs.gmu.edu  
For a health emergency, call 911.  
• If you are ill or injured on campus, go to the Student Health Services. There is no fee to be seen by one of the health care providers.  Always bring your Mason ID card.  
• International Student Health Insurance: 1+2+1 students will purchase health insurance through George Mason University.  http://shs.gmu.edu/insurance/  If you have questions, contact Angela Drukier, adrukier@gmu.edu, or the provider, Aetna Student health at 1-800-878-1945.  
• The Student Health office will also provide information about doctors, hospitals, and clinics in the Fairfax area that participate in your health insurance plan.  
• You will receive your health insurance ID card in your Mason mailbox.

COUNSELING AND PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES  
Student Union Building I (SUB I), Room 3129 703-993-2380 caps.gmu.edu  
• Private individual and group counseling available to all students.  
• Coping with crisis and stress  
• Workshops and outreach programs
OTHER USEFUL RESOURCES

CAREER SERVICES
Student Union Building (SUB I), Room 3400  703-993-2370  http://careers.gmu.edu/
Helps provide you with the tools needed to acquire a job or internship while you are at Mason.

CENTER FOR LEADERSHIP AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT
Enterprise Hall, Room 438  703-993-2900  http://clce.gmu.edu/
Offers opportunities for Mason students to get involved in programs throughout the community.

HOUSING AND RESIDENCE LIFE
Potomac Heights 703-993-2720  http://housing.gmu.edu
- For immediate help with room issues or roommate questions, contact your Resident Advisor (RA.)
- Maintenance requests and emergencies
- $300 deposit due by student in spring to reserve a room for the next year.

MASON ID CARD AND MASON MEAL PLANS
Student Union Building I (SUB I), Room 1203  703-993-2870

OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS AND SERVICES (OIPS)
Student Union Building I (SUB I) Addition, 4th Floor, Suite 4300  http://oips.gmu.edu/
- Assists with regulatory and visa matters
- Social and cultural programming
- The International Center is an online "one stop shop" to prepare you for your travel and first few days at George Mason University.  http://icenter.gmu.edu/

REGISTRAR’S OFFICE
Student Union Building I (SUB I), Room 2101  703-993-2411  http://registrar.gmu.edu/
This office handles course registration and 4th year transfer credit, issues transcripts and verifies student records.

STUDENT ACCOUNTS OFFICE
Student Union Building I (SUB I), Suite 1600  http://studentaccounts.gmu.edu/  703-993-2484
- Mails bills
- Updates Patriot Web with balance due and course registration
- Information on tuition rates  http://studentaccounts.gmu.edu/tuition.html
- **Cashier’s Office:** 1501 Student Union Building I, open M-F 9-4:30 to make payments on your Student Account.

STUDENT INVOLVEMENT
The Hub Student Union Building II Room 2300  703-993-2909  si.gmu.edu
There are over 200 student organizations and clubs at Mason. Visit the Student Involvement Office to find out more about them. Many 1+2+1 students are active in the **Chinese Student and Scholar Association (CSSA):**  http://www.gmu.edu/org/China/ and other campus organizations.

UNDERGRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS AND SCHOLARSHIPS
308 Enterprise Hall, Office of Fellowships, Honors College  703-993-2917
LaNitra Berger, Director, Fellowships and Undergraduate Apprenticeship Progr, lberger2@gmu.edu
This office provides assistance for students who wish to apply for fellowships and scholarships.

THE WRITING CENTER
Robinson Hall, Room 114A  703-993-1200
Enterprise Hall, Room 076
Global Center, Room 1304
Johnson Center Library, Room 134L
The Writing Center offers free writing support for members of the George Mason University Community. To schedule an appointment, visit their website.  http://writingcenter.gmu.edu/