

(To go on the “iStart for Students” page)

Step 1: Log in to iStart at istart.gsu.edu



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Welcome to the Services Login Page

Georgia State University International Student & Scholar Services

iStart is Georgia State University's web portal to immigration services, requests and benefits for our international student, scholar, and employee community.

Important:

We are committed to maintaining support and service to you during this time and will continue to operate under normal operating procedures for the remainder of the semester, just from a remote and online platform.

Current Students, Faculty, or Staff

For full access to your international services account, please log in.

Login

A GSU Campusid and password are required.

Don't Have a Network ID?

New and future students and scholars can log in with their University ID number, PIN, and date of birth. [New Student/Scholar Login](#)

Step 2: Your home page. You will see all requests you have done, and their pending status here. Your name will appear in the top right of the menu next to a dropdown arrow.



Your name will appear here

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- F-1 Practical Training
- F-1 Student Services
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Services Home Page

Online Services for International Students, Scholars, and Staff: Update your institutional information, request signatures, work authorization, certificate of enrollments, sign-up for sessions, and more.

Notifications

There are no current notifications.

Requests

-  IN PROGRESS
Request F1 or J1 Immigration Document: GSU Main Campus - Data Science and Analytics
-  PENDING OFFICE APPROVAL
I-20 Update or Duplicate Request
-  DENIED
I-20 Update or Duplicate Request
-  IN PROGRESS
Pre-Arrival and Orientation: GSU Main Campus - Data Science and Analytics

Step 3: Find the area on the side menu which applies to you:

- If you are a newly admitted student, without an I-20 or who needs to fill out a Verification of Lawful Presence form, go to the Admissions menu.
- If you are a new student with your I-20, go to the Pre-arrival and Orientation menu.
- If you are a continuing F-1 student go to F-1 Student Services.
- For F-1 Practical Training requests (CPT or OPT), go to F-1 Practical Training
- If you are a J-1 Student, go to J-1 Student Services

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Step 4: Click on the e-form you would like to fill out. (This example is from the F-1 Student Services menu.)













The screenshot shows the Georgia State University iStart portal. The top navigation bar is blue with the university logo and name on the left, and notification, edit, and calendar icons on the right. Below the navigation bar, the 'iStart' logo is on the left, and the 'F-1 Student Services' title is centered. A left-hand navigation menu lists various services, with 'F-1 Student Services' highlighted. The main content area, titled 'Tasks', displays a grid of 12 e-forms, each with a pencil icon and a text label.

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F-1 Student Services

Tasks

 Add a New Dependent (SEVIS Document)	 Departure/ Request to Terminate Status Form	 Extension of I-20 Document
 I-20 Update or Duplicate Request	 Letter Request - Certification of Enrollment	 Letter Request - F1 SSN Support
 Passport Update	 Reduced Course Load - Academic	 Reduced Course Load - Medical
 Transfer Out Form	 Travel Signature Request (I-20)	 Request to Terminate F-1 Status

Step 5: On that e-form page, you will see if you have had any previous e-forms like this, as well as to the status of your e-form (submitted, pending, etc.)

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I-20 Update or Duplicate Request

CURRENT LIST OF SUBMITTED FORMS:

🕒 05/19/2020 05:18 PM | Pending - Addition or modiciation of major/program, Master of Science in Analytics in DSA

✖ 05/15/2020 12:29 PM | Denied - Other, GRAD

+ [Add New I-20 Update or Duplicate Request](#)

Step 6: Fill out e-form and hit Submit



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Form Submitted: I-20 Update or Duplicate Request

*** FORM STATUS: PENDING OFFICE APPROVAL ***

Your submission is under review. You will be notified if the submission is not acceptable.

(*) Information Required

To update your existing I-20, please choose from the following choices. If you have multiple changes, please submit this form again for each new change.

DO NOT submit this eform if you are wishing to obtain a travel signature. If you need a travel signature, then submit the Travel Signature Request eform.

I-20 update

Please select from the following options the reason that you would like to request an updated I-20:*

- Addition or modification of major/program
- Updated financial information
- Lost I-20
- Defer I-20 Program Start Date to Next Term
- Other