

EDUCATION AND GOLF-CENTRIC SERVICE POINTS

Education Point Descriptions	Point Values	Maximums
Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)	0.1 education point per hour of class (Certification or re-certification)	0.7 per renewal cycle
Certification Attestor (CGCS Only)	0.5 education point per visit	
Certification Portfolios Judging (CGCS Only)	0.5 education point per portfolio judged	
Chapter meetings with education (Must be pre-approved by GCSAA)	0.1 education point per hour	
College credit hours - golf course management related classes	1.5 education points per semester credit hour	
Completion of Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary Program for GC	1.0 education point per initial certification and 0.25 education point per recertification	1.5 per renewal cycle
Completion of Audubon Signature Program	2.0 education points per initial certification and 0.5 education point per recertification	3.0 per renewal cycle
Completion of state environmental-stewardship program	0.5 education point per initial certification and 0.25 education point per recertification	1.0 per renewal cycle
First Aid	0.1 education point per hour of class (Certification or re-certification)	0.7 per renewal cycle
GCSAA Board/Chapter Strategic Planning session	0.1 education point per hour	
GCSAA Education Conference Attendance	1.5 education points per year (Full pack registrants only)	
GCSAA Online Self-Assessment Tool	0.5 education point upon completion	0.5 per renewal cycle
GCSAA Seminars, Correspondence & Online Courses	0.1 education point per hour ***	
Non-GCSAA education programs (Approved by GCSAA)	0.1 education point per hour	
Published education article in GCM	0.5 education point per article in GCM	
Published education article in trade or chapter publication	0.25 education point per article - other than GCM	2.0 per cycle for Class A and 6.0 per cycle for CGCS
Teaching college course - golf course management related	1.5 education points per semester credit hour	2.0 per cycle for Class A and 6.0 per cycle for CGCS
Teaching seminars - golf course management related	0.15 education point per hour	
Golf-Centric Service Point Descriptions	Point Values	Maximums
Affiliated Chapter Board of Directors	0.5 service point per year	
Allied/golf/turf/First Tee/environmental/community board service	0.5 service point per year	0.5 per year
Annual Chapter Delegates Meeting attendance	0.5 service point per year	
Case study or BMP approved for publication or website	0.25 service point per case study	
Initial creation and participation in the state BMP steering committee	0.5 service point per year	1.0 per five-year cycle
Updating the state BMP manual	0.25 service point per year	
Completion and updating of facility BMPs recorded in the GCSAA BMP tool	0.5 service point per each occurrence, annually	
First Green field trip host	0.5 service point per event	
First Green field trip participant	0.25 service point per event	
Chapter meetings/activities including community outreach efforts without approved education	0.1 service point per meeting/activity	
Chapter/allied/golf/turf/environmental/community committee member (non BOD)	0.25 service point per committee	0.5 per year. 1.25 per Class A cycle and 2.5 per CGCS cycle
Completion of GCSAA designated survey(s)	0.25 service point per completed survey and 0.5 service point per completed lengthy survey	
Completion of pre-approved GCSAA affiliated chapter survey	0.10-0.25 service point based on complexity of survey	
GCSAA Board of Directors	1.0 service point per year	
Giving informative speech	0.25 service point per presentation - 15 minutes minimum	
Completion of the Performance Measurement Survey	0.25 service point per year upon completion & submittal	
Media interview	0.25 service point per interview	
National Committee/Task Group/Advisory Panel/Resource Group	0.5 service point per year - per committee/task group/panel	
Participation in environmental advocacy activities or community outreach efforts promoting the value of golf and green areas	0.25 service point per event/activity	
Participation in GCSAA National Championship; and Golf Classic and Four-Ball Mixer	0.1 service point per day of participation	
Provide assistance to another superintendent/facility or offer expertise to sports fields and other non-golf facilities	0.25 service point per event/activity	
Superintendent Research Panel	0.25 service point for initially signing up on panel	0.25 point

*** Members will receive credit for attending the same on-site seminar more than once within a five-year renewal cycle. Credit will not be awarded for repeating correspondence/self-study courses within a five-year renewal cycle unless the course has been revised or updated.