[The course now has an official badge](https://www.mountaineers.org/membership/badges/course-badges/introduction-to-alpine-rock-student)that you should have on your Mountaineers profile. You'll see it has a student asterisk, once you've finished your requirements to graduate the course you'll have the graduate version of it.

Now that you have this badge once you've finished all the course work it will let you register for Basic Alpine and Basic Rock climbs on the website.

I want to call out that some climbs listed under 'Basic Alpine Climb' involve glaciers, this course **does not** prepare you for glaciers and **you cannot sign up for** them unless you have the glacier badge by taking the Glacier Course. The site might let you but the climb leader won't be happy with you and will boot you from the climb, so please confirm that the climb isn't a glacier climb before signing up.

This is the first year of this course and as such is only 12 people. Many climb leaders (especially ones outside of the Seattle Branch) may not be aware of what this course is, if they reach out to you about how prepared you are or what this course taught feel free to add me to the email thread. Most climb leaders should have no issue once they know the details.