BEFORE GETTING STARTED

5 STEPS TO COMPLETING CAL STATE APPLICATION

1. CREATE An Account
2. SELECT Your Intended Campus(es) and Major(s)
3. INPUT Personal and Academic Information
4. REVIEW Application
5. SUBMIT!

PREFERRED BROWSERS
• Google Chrome
• Mozilla Firefox
CAL STATE APPLY

OCT 1 – DEC 4

www.calstate.edu/apply
WHAT TO EXPECT FROM THE CSU ADMISSIONS PROCESS

BY DEC. 4
Submit CSU application

OCTOBER - DECEMBER
Apply and submit applications to CSU campuses

DECEMBER – APRIL
Visit CSU Campuses (Virtually)

FEBRUARY - MARCH
Receive decisions from each campus (i.e., admission, denial or waitlist)

MAY - JULY
Upload/send transcript and test scores to the campus you’ll be attending

APRIL - JULY
Sign up for New Student Orientation

JUNE – AUGUST
Attend New Student Orientation

AUGUST - SEPTEMBER
Start fall semester at the CSU

MARCH - APRIL
Receive financial aid award package, if any

JANUARY – FEBRUARY
Check your student portal account; supply any missing items

DECEMBER - JANUARY
Receive communication from campus(es), create your student portal account

CAL STATE APPLY
SELECTING APPLICATION TERM

Find your future at the California State University. With 23 campuses and thousands of degree choices, the CSU is a great place to start your journey. Explore your options below, and start your application today.

See Application Dates & Deadlines

The Fall 2019 application will be available on October 1, 2018.

Select a Term to Apply For  Apply

Choose the type of student you are to learn more about how to apply to the CSU:

- Freshman
- Transfer
- Graduate
- International
- Teaching Credential
Welcome to The California State University

• $70 application fee per campus

• Fee waivers are available for those who qualify

STEP 1 | Creating an Account
WHEN CREATING AN ACCOUNT

1. Student’s Full Name
2. E-mail Address *
3. Telephone Number
4. Username/Password *
5. Security Question
6. Terms and Conditions
   Acknowledgement

* Avoid using High School email address
* Store Username and Password
1. All questions are **REQUIRED** marked with an asterisk (*).
2. The ‘SAVE’ button does not turn on until all the required fields are entered.
DEGREE OBJECTIVE: FIRST-TIME FRESHMAN

Degree Goal

* What degree, credential or certificate are you applying for?

- First Bachelor's Degree (seeking your first bachelor's degree and have not earned a prior bachelor's degree)

* Which of the following best describes your current educational status?

- Graduating High School Senior or equivalent (with or without college coursework prior to High School graduation)

* Have you taken and earned college credits through a community college or university?

- Yes
- No

Only answer "Yes" if classes were taken at a community college – AP, IB, does not count

- Transferring with an Associate Degree for Transfer (AA-T/ AS-T) awarded by a California Community College
- Transferring from a community college or four-year institution

- Second Bachelor's Degree (already earned a bachelor's degree and are seeking another one)
- Graduate (e.g. Master's, Doctoral) or Professional's Degree
- Teaching Credential Only (e.g. Single or Multiple Subject, PPS, Librarian, Admin, CalStateTeach)
- Certificate
STEP 2 | SELECTING CAMPUS(es) & MAJOR(s)

You must select at least one program to begin your application. You may add additional programs from the Add Program tab at any time before the submission deadline.

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APPLICATION DASHBOARD

My Application
This dashboard is your application home providing access to each part of the application you need to complete and a high level overview of your progress.

Latest Notifications
- Recommendation Request Submitted to Evaluator 2 days ago
- Welcome to the California State University application (save this email) 3 days ago

View My Notifications

Personal Information
- 1/8 Sections Completed

Academic History
- 9/7 Sections Completed

Supporting Information
- 1/2 Sections Completed

Program Materials
- 1/7 Sections Completed
YouTube Channel
CSUF Outreach and Recruitment

Are you ready to be a Titan?
45 views • 3 weeks ago

Get a sneak preview as to what makes California State University, Fullerton one of the leading colleges in both the state and the nation!

Interested in learning more? Check out www.fullerton.edu/or/

Use arrows to scroll for videos
VIDEO TUTORIALS

Quadrant I
- Video Link

Quadrant II
- Freshman Video Link

Quadrant III
- Video Link

Quadrant IV
- Video Link
STEP 3 | INPUT PERSONAL & ACADEMIC INFORMATION
QUADRANT I

PERSONAL INFORMATION
1. Release Statement
2. Biographic Information
3. Contact Information
4. Citizenship/Residency Information
5. Race & Ethnicity
6. Parent/Guardian Information
7. Other Information
8. Financial and Parental Information
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

To apply as an INTERNATIONAL STUDENT, the following must be true:

EXTENDED PROFILE SECTION:

Do you have or will you require an F1 Visa (student) or J1 Visa (exchange) to study at the California State University (CSU)? = YES

NOTE: The status is determined ONLY in the Extended Profile section.
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

HIDDEN QUESTIONS AND TILES
• Educational Opportunity Program (EOP)
• EOP Parent/Guardian Information & Financial Status
• EOP Biographical Questions
• EOP Recommendations
• Academic Infractions and Conduct
• Academic Standing
• Additional Information Release
• Applicant Information
• CA Promise
• Cal Fresh
• EOP Recommendations
• Military Application Questions
• Military Dependent Question
• Statewide Student ID
CITIZENSHIP & RESIDENCY INFORMATION

DOMESTIC APPLICANTS

US Citizenship
- Country of Citizenship
- Select the value that best describes your U.S. Citizenship
- If you were born outside of the U.S., what year did you or will you move to the U.S.?

Residency
- What U.S. State/Possession do you regard as your permanent home?

INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS

Citizenship
- Country of Citizenship
- Which student visa do you have, or will you have when you study at the CSU?
  - F1 (Student)
  - J1 (Exchange)
- Date issued (if you have already been issued a student visa)
To apply as an AB540 STUDENT, the following 2 CONDITIONS must be true:

- Extended Profile section:
  - International Student status = NO
- Personal Information > Citizenship or Residency Information section:
  - Select the value that best describes your U.S. Citizenship = NONE
  - What U.S. state/possession do you regard as your permanent home = CALIFORNIA
  - Do you claim California residency = YES
  - Have you lived in California continuously since birth = NO
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (SSN)

If you have a U.S. Social Security number you are required to include it on admission application forms to all CSU campuses pursuant to Section 41201, Title 5, Code of California Regulations and Section 6109 of the Internal Revenue Code. Please refer to the Applicant Help Center for more information on laws pertaining to SSN.

Social Security Number
Your designated programs may require your SSN for institutional or federal financial aid forms.

SSN

Social Security Number Acknowledgement
Check the box below if you do not have a Social Security Number.

International students, nonresident aliens, and other exceptions, may not have a Social Security Number and should check this box.

UPDATES
• No SSN checkbox for international students
• SSN validation functionality
• DACA Issued SSN can be entered
ACADEMIC HISTORY
1. High Schools Attended
2. High School Coursework
3. Colleges Attended*
4. A-G Matching
5. Transcript Entry*
6. Standardized Tests
7. Advanced Placement (AP)
8. College-Level Examination Program (CLEP)
9. International Baccalaureate (IB)

* = FTF with college coursework
HIGH SCHOOL(S) ATTENDED

If you have multiple high schools, you can pick the school you are graduating/graduated from.

You must enter your expected graduation date.
HIGH SCHOOL COURSEWORK ENTRY

- Applicants will need to select courses from the prepopulated course list which is tied to the high school you’ve selected. Additionally, input Course Type, and Grade.

- Senior Year Grades: “In Progress” for Fall / “Planned” for Spring.

- Applicants will also need to manually enter the A-G subject area on the A-G Matching Screen.
Course Validation Entry

**Mathematics**
- A grade of C or higher in the second semester validates a D or F earned in the first semester
- A grade of C or higher in the second semester of an sequential Mathematics course validates the prior year
- A grade of C or higher in the second semester of an Advanced Mathematics course validates the entire three year subject requirement

**Science (Chemistry)**
- A grade of C or higher in the second semester validates a D or F earned in the first semester

**Language Other Than English (LOTE)**
- A grade of C or higher in the second semester validates a D or F earned in the first semester
- A grade of C or higher in the second semester of a second year or higher of foreign language will validate the entire two year subject requirement

**Tip For Inputting Grades:**
Enter the valid grades earned with a consecutive row with the same course title, and a grade of Pass for the first semester and select No Grade for the second semester.
ASSISTANCE WITH INPUTTING COURSEWORK

Cal State Apply Applicant Help Center

Welcome to the Cal State Apply Applicant Help Center!

- Click here for quick start information, or click here for customer service contact information.
- Click here to start your application.
- Got Feedback? Click here to help us improve your experience.

We also have the following guides to help you through the application:

- Freshman Coursework Entry
- Transfer Coursework Entry
- Transfer Application Guide

Starting Your Cal State Apply Application

Get started with an overview of the process, important dates and fees, and contact information.

Filling Out Your Cal State Apply Application

Complete the application's four core sections: Personal Information, Academic History, Supporting Information, Program Materials.
UPDATING A-G MATCHING
Based on the courses the students have reported, the screen shows the summary of each subject, along with the number of years completed.

The minimum years required are noted in parentheses.
A-G MATCHING

College courses can be entered in the College Transcript Entry

• Then matched in A-G
• Any courses that are A-G applicable should be matched
• Appropriate years and GPA will be calculated

A-G Not Met Warning now checks for minimum requirement for each subject.
(Last year only checked for total years.)
COLLEGES ATTENDED

Report all colleges and institutions attended, regardless of:
Their relevance to the programs you’re applying to, and
Whether the coursework completed there was already transferred to
another institution.

* What college or university did you attend?

IRON VALLEY COLLEGE

* Did you obtain or are you planning to obtain a degree from this college or university?

[ ] Yes  [ ] No

Save
COLLEGES ATTENDED

* What type of term system does this college or university use?
  - Quarter
  - Semester
  - Trimester

When did you attend this college or university?

Select the first and last semesters that your transcript covers, even if there were breaks between semesters.

* First Semester
  - Semester
  - Month
  - Year

* Last Semester
  - Semester
  - Month
  - Year

Check if you are still attending this college or university
For terms that are in-progress or planned, select In Progress/Planned in the drop down box in the term header. Grades are not required for in progress or planned terms.

Select Academic Status that corresponds to the number of credits completed at the time you began that semester. Status definitions are as follows:
- Freshman 0-29 semester credits
- Sophomore 30-59 semester credits
- Junior 60-89
- Senior 90 or >
COLLEGE COURSEWORK

GRADE: Enter in the grade as listed on your transcript. All attempts and grades should be included.

Enter repeated courses noted on the transcript with a grade of RP. Enter Academic Renewal courses with a grade of AR.

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+ Add A Course    + Add A Semester
COLLEGE COURSEWORK

TRANSFERABLE: Check all courses that are transferable.

The transferable flag is checked off automatically for all courses that were selected from the course drop down list at time of entry. Courses entered manually will need to have the box checked if the course is transferable. In the example below, the course not checked off is not transferable.
QUADRANT III

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

1. Educational Opportunity Program (EOP)
2. EOP Parent/Guardian Information & Financial Status
3. EOP Biological Questions
4. EOP Recommendations

If a student needs to make any edits to these sections after submitting the application, he/she can go back and modify the answers without having to call tech support to unlock the application.
EOP Overview:

- Provides access and educational equity for historically underserved students
- $800 EOP grant is only offered to students who have a $1200 EFC (Estimated Family Contribution) or lower
- EOP application and listed recommenders must be completed by January 15th (Application Deadline of Dec. 4th preferred)
- EOP recommenders have until January 31st to complete recommendation (only for CSUF)
- Ensure you are giving recommender(s) notice before listing them on application
- Applicants should always verify the campus application status and deadlines - https://www2.calstate.edu/attend/student-services/eop/Pages/eop-campus-status.aspx

Helpful Tips:

- Parents should be around when students are applying to help answer some of the financial questions on the app
- Students are strongly encouraged to submit FAFSA in October to be awarded the full amount for both Fin Aid and EOP
- When filling out the EOP questions, students should focus on addressing why college is important and what they hope to achieve or gain from a college experience. Share as much as possible and avoid transactional responses, i.e.; I want to go to school and make more money
- When students are inputting parent income, and a parent does not have an income they have to put a numerical value or it shows as an incomplete application – students should input 0 instead of leaving it blank
PROGRAM MATERIALS
1. Major/Program Introduction
2. Supplemental Questions*

SUB SECTIONS
3. Program/Major Information
4. Supplemental Questions*

*Visible to special programs only.
  i.e., “Nursing - Entry-Level Freshman”
Program Materials

My Application

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View My Notifications

Latest Notifications

The California State University application – Welcome!

Program Materials

1/2 Sections Completed

Healthcare Administration
Interfield Course

Single Subject Credential - World Languages
Fullerton Credential

Multiple Subject Credential
Channel Islands Credential
### PROGRAM MATERIALS

**INTRODUCTION**

- Cal State Fullerton (standard)
- College (standard)
- Major/Program (specific)

### PROGRAM DETAILS

**Program Name**

- Main Campus
- Online
- Irvine
- Garden Grove

**Location**

- Term
- Deadline Date
- Delivery Format
  - Face to Face (Classroom)
  - Hybrid
  - Online

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*About California State University Fullerton*

Cal State Fullerton is a leading institution of the 23-campus California State University system, enrolls more than 40,000 students and offers 119 degree programs. An intellectual and cultural center for Orange County, Cal State Fullerton is a primary driver of innovation and economic development throughout the region and a national model for supporting student success through innovative high-impact academic and co-curricular experiences, including faculty student collaboration research. The university embraces its rich diversity, recognizing that it both enhances the educational experience for students and uniquely prepares them to excel as leaders in the global marketplace and in their communities. Cal State Fullerton is recognized as a top public university in the West, in particular for its work in supporting underrepresented minorities entering a college degree.

For more information about Cal State Fullerton, please click here.

**College of Education**

College of Education programs have a distinctive reputation for excellence. We offer the only programs in Orange County that are accredited by the National Council for Accreditation in Teacher Education (NCATE). This means that we offer exceedingly rigorous programs that are relevant to the needs of today’s classrooms, as judged by a national panel of professionals.

**Single Subject Credential**

The Single Subject Credential Program at Cal State Fullerton is the only nationally-accredited program in Orange County. Those successfully completing our program receive a credential from the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which authorizes teaching in the subject(s) identified in greater than 12 high school teachers and most middle school teachers hold single subject credentials. Some single subject teachers also work in elementary grades (for example, many music teachers who teach at elementary schools hold single subject credentials).

The Single Subject Credential Program is interdisciplinary, involving the Department of Secondary Education, academic departments, and local school districts in providing the subject matter preparation, pedagogical training, and field experiences necessary to prepare high-quality teachers. Our program recruits and supports candidates in developing the dispositional knowledge and skills needed to meet the needs of diverse learners in California schools.

Admission into a program leading to licensure and credentialing does not guarantee that students will obtain a license or credential. Licensure and credentialing requirements are set by agencies that are not controlled by or affiliated with the CSU and requirements can change at any time. For example, licensure or credentialing requirements may include evidence of the right to work in the United States (e.g., social security number or tax payer identification number or successfully passing a criminal background check). Students are responsible for determining whether they can meet licensure or credentialing requirements. The CSU will not return tuition fees, or any associated costs, to students who determine subsequent to admission that they cannot meet licensure or credentialing requirements. Information concerning licensure or credentialing requirements is available within each department or program respectively.
STEP 4 | REVIEWING APPLICATION

My Programs

- Chemistry - Biochemistry (Tbilisi State Univ)
- San Diego Extension

Application Status:
- In Progress

Download Application (PDF)
Please review before submission

In order to submit your application, please acknowledge that you have read and understood the following warnings. If any of the following statements are an error, please return to the application and make the necessary adjustments before submission.

Please Read and Acknowledge the Following

- In your Extended Profile, you have indicated you are a Lower Division Transfer applicant however based on the number of semester or quarter hours you have entered, you appear to be an Upper Division Transfer, please review the courses you have marked as transferrable.

  This statement is an error? Review Transferable courses

- Household Income Values: We noticed you entered the same income amount for Parent's adjusted gross income (AGI) and Parent's untaxed income and benefits, please review your entries. Click here for more information.

  This statement is an error? Review Financial and Parental Information

- Military doc: Based on your military status, you are encouraged to upload a copy of your DD214 document.

  This statement is an error? Review Documents

Continue to Payment
Students must complete all sections of the application before submitting, with exception of Section 3 Supporting Information - EOP Application.
STEP 5 | SUBMITTING APPLICATION(s)
Waivers are still four per term.

The Application Fee Waiver tables will also be modified to expand eligibility for the waiver.

https://www2.calstate.edu/apply/paying-for-college/Pages/fee-waiver.aspx
Early Submitter Sweepstakes

• Entice students to apply early – by November 20th

The drawings will be held on these dates:
• October 19, 2020 - Ten $100 Amazon Gift Cards
• October 26, 2020 - Ten $100 Amazon Gift Cards
• November 2, 2020 - Ten $100 Amazon Gift Cards
• November 9, 2020 - Ten $100 Amazon Gift Cards
• November 16, 2020 - Ten $100 Amazon Gift Cards
• November 23, 2020 – Grand Prize one $1,000 Amazon Gift Card
  Inclusive of applicant submissions between 10/1/20 and 11/20/20 midnight PT

• Earlier the application – more chances to win
Campus Tours
Virtual Services

- Website: www.fullerton.edu/or
- Go to “Campus Tours” tab

Transfer Center
Virtual Services

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