Steps to Admission
FALL 2019
**Why SJSU?**

**1857**

SJSU was founded in 1857, making it the first public school of higher education in California.

**3.4M**

Become a part of 3.4 million alumni of California State University, the nation’s largest four-year public university system.

**“Victory Salute”**

The statue reflects a silent protest for human rights by alumni Tommie Smith and John Carlos at the 1968 Olympic Games.

**20**

SJSU has 20 Division I men’s and women’s sports teams.

**450+**

Student organizations and clubs offer students opportunities to learn outside of the classroom.

**César E. Chávez Arch of Dignity**

Civil rights activist and labor leader César Chávez devoted his life to improving the treatment and conditions of farm workers.

**SJSU student body**

reflects the diversity of the Bay Area, one of the most diverse regions in the world.
Did You Know...

As of Fall 2017:

**STUDENT BODY**

33,409

- **GENDER**
  - Female 49%
  - Male 51%

- **ENROLLMENT STATUS**
  - Full-time 80%
  - Part-time 20%

- **AVERAGE AGE**
  - Undergraduate 22.4
  - Graduate 28.7
  - Credential 31.3

- **RACE/ETHNICITY**
  - Asian 32%
  - Hispanic 26%
  - White 17%
  - American Indian <1%
  - African American 3%
  - Other 9%
  - International 12%

- **WHERE DO SJSU STUDENTS CALL HOME?**
  - Santa Clara County 40%
  - Outside California 40%
  - Other California Counties 1%
  - Outside the U.S. 10%

- **AVERAGE CLASS SIZE**
  - Lower Division
  - Upper Division
  - Graduate Courses

Points of Pride

- SJSU is ranked sixth overall among the **West’s top public universities** offering bachelor’s and master’s degrees by U.S. News and World Report.
- SJSU’s Charles W. Davidson College of Engineering ranks **third in the nation** among public engineering programs offering bachelor’s and master’s degrees by U.S. News and World Report.
- The King Library offers more than 1.5 million print books and e-books, over 450 electronic databases and over 100,000 e-journals, as well as laptops, adapters and chargers.
- We’re among the **nation’s top veterans-serving** academic institutions, ranking 20th overall and Fourth among public universities, by U.S. News & World Report.
- San José State leads the nation in the number of student-athletes (41) selected for the Arthur Ashe Jr. Sports Scholars.
- San José State was named one of the **Nation’s Best Value Colleges** by Forbes magazine for delivering the best bang for the buck based on factors such as alumni earnings, net price, net student debt, school quality, timely graduation and the number of Pell Grant recipients.

Victor (Left)
Aviation
Oladoton
Political Science

Non-Discrimination Policy:
San José State University does not discriminate on the basis of accent, age, ancestry, citizenship status, color, creed, disability, ethnicity, gender, marital status, medical condition, national origin, race, religion or lack thereof, sex, sexual orientation, transgender, genetics or veteran’s status. This policy applies to all SJSU students, faculty and staff programs and activities. Questions regarding this policy should be directed to the director of the Office for Equal Opportunity, 408-924-2250.

SJSU prohibits sex and gender-based discrimination, harassment and retaliation, sexual misconduct, dating and domestic violence and stalking against students, faculty, staff and third-parties. Please direct questions regarding these policies to the University’s Title IX Office at 408-924-7290. Learn more at http://notalone.sjsu.edu
### Degrees

**Degrees Awarded 2016/2017**

- **BACHELOR'S**: 6,186
- **MASTER'S**: 2,389

### African-American Studies
- BA, African-American Studies

### Anthropology
- BA, Anthropology
- BA, Behavioral Science
- BA, Organizational Studies

### Art and Art History
- BA, Art, Concentrations in
  - Art History and Visual Culture
  - Studio Practice
- BFA, Art, Concentrations in
  - Digital Media Art
  - Photography
  - Pictorial Art
  - Spatial Art

### Aviation ★
- BS, Aviation

### Biological Sciences
- BA, Biological Science
- BS, Biological Science, Concentrations in
  - Microbiology
  - Molecular Biology
  - Systems Physiology
- BS, Ecology and Evolution
- BS, Marine Biology

### Business
- BS, Business Administration, Concentrations in
  - Accounting
  - Accounting Information Systems
  - Business Analytics
  - Corporate Accounting and Finance
  - Entrepreneurship
  - Finance
  - General Business
  - Global Operations Management
  - Human Resource Management
  - International Business
  - Management
  - Management Information Systems
  - Marketing

### Chemistry
- BA, Chemistry
- BS, Chemistry
- BS, Chemistry, Concentration in
  - Biochemistry

### Child and Adolescent Development
- BA, Child and Adolescent Development
- BA, Child and Adolescent Development, Preparation for Teaching

### Communication Studies
- BA, Communication Studies

### Computer Science
- BS, Computer Science

### Creative Arts
- BA, Creative Arts

### Design
- BA, Art, Concentration in Design Studies
- BS, Industrial Design
- BFA, Art, Concentration in Animation/Illustration

### Economics
- BA, Economics
- BS, Economics

### Education
- BA, Communicative Disorders and Sciences

### Engineering ★
- BS, Aerospace Engineering
- BS, Biomedical Engineering
- BS, Chemical Engineering
- BS, Materials Engineering
- BS, Civil Engineering
- BS, Computer Engineering
- BS, General Engineering
- BS, Electrical Engineering
- BS, Industrial and Systems Engineering
- BS, Mechanical Engineering
- BA, English
- BA, English, Concentrations in
  - Professional and Technical Writing
  - Creative Writing
- BA, English, Preparation for Teaching (Single Subject)

### Environmental Studies
- BA, Environmental Studies
- BA, Environmental Studies, Preparation for Teaching
- BS, Environmental Studies

### Film and Theatre
- BA, Radio-Television-Film
- BA, Theatre Arts

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★ Charles W. Davidson College of Engineering Applicants

Freshman applicants to engineering programs will be ranked on a modified eligibility index that will give greater weight to the math sections of the SAT and ACT.

### Graduate Degrees

For a complete list of degrees, including graduate degrees and credentials, see [http://info.sjsu.edu/home/catalog.html](http://info.sjsu.edu/home/catalog.html)
Geography
BA, Geography

Geology
BA, Earth Science ●
BS, Geology ●

Global Studies
BA, Global Studies

Health Science and Recreation
BS, Public Health
BS, Public Health, Concentration in
- Health Services Administration
BS, Recreation
BS, Recreation, Concentrations in
- Recreation Management
- Recreation Therapy

History
BA, History
BA, History and Social Science
BA, History and Social Science Teacher Preparation

Hospitality, Tourism and Event Management
BS, Hospitality, Tourism and Event Management

Humanities
BA, Humanities, Concentrations in
- American Studies
- Asian Studies
- European Studies
- Liberal Arts
- Middle East Studies
- Religious Studies ●
- Creative Arts (Interdepartmental)
BA, Liberal Studies, Preparation for Teaching

Journalism and Mass Communications
BS, Advertising
BS, Journalism
BS, Public Relations

Justice Studies
BS, Justice Studies
BS, Justice Studies, Concentration in
Criminology
BS, Forensic Science, Concentrations in
- Biology
- Chemistry

Kinesiology
BS, Kinesiology ●
BS, Kinesiology, Preparation for Teaching

Linguistics and Language Development
BA, Linguistics

Mathematics and Statistics
BA, Mathematics ●
BA, Mathematics, Preparation for Teaching ●
BS, Applied Mathematics, Concentrations in
- Applied and Computational Mathematics ●
- Economics and Actuarial Science ●
- Statistics ●

Meteorology and Climate Science
BS, Meteorology ●
BS, Meteorology, Concentration in Climate Science ●

Chicana and Chicano Studies
BA, Mexican American Studies

Music and Dance
BA, Music ●
BM, Music, Concentrations in
- Composition
- Jazz Studies
- Music Education
- Performance
BA, Creative Arts (Interdepartmental)
BA, Dance
BFA, Dance

Nursing
BS, Nursing ●

Nutrition, Food Science and Packaging
BS, Nutritional Science, Concentrations in
- Applied Nutrition and Food Sciences
- Dietetics
- Food Management
BS, Packaging

Philosophy
BA, Philosophy ●

Physics and Astronomy
BA, Physics ●
BA, Physics, Preparation for Teaching ●
BS, Physics ●

Political Science
BA, Political Science

Psychology
BA, Psychology
BS, Psychology

Sociology and Interdisciplinary Social Sciences
BA, Social Science, Preparation for Teaching
(Single Subject)
BA, Social Science, Preparation for Teaching
(Multiple Subject)
BA, Sociology
BA, Sociology, Concentrations in
- Community Change
- Race and Ethnic Studies
- Social Interaction
- Women, Gender and Sexuality Studies

Social Work
BA, Social Work

Technology
BS, Industrial Technology, Concentrations in
- Computer Electronics and Network Technology ●
- Manufacturing Systems ●

Undeclared
Freshmen only

World Languages and Literatures
BA, Chinese
BA, French
BA, Japanese
BA, Spanish ●

Kyle
Business Administration

IMPACITION CRITERIA FOR TRANSFER APPLICANTS
Some programs will give preference to applicants who have completed program-specific preparatory courses. For these programs, applicants will be ranked on a combination of self-reported GPA and completion of approved program-specific courses.

● Program Specific Course Preparation
▲ Program Specific Associate Degree for Transfer
STEPS TO ADMISSION - FALL 2019

Freshman

High School Courses

Complete the required high school courses with grades of "C-" or better (prior to your high school graduation date).

A list of approved courses can be found at ucop.edu/agguide

☐ a. History/ Social Science 2 years required
☐ b. English 4 years required
☐ c. Mathematics 3 years required
☐ d. Laboratory Science 2 years required
☐ e. Language other than English 2 years required
☐ f. Visual and Performing Arts 1 year required
☐ g. Elective 1 year required

SAT/ACT Scores

Freshman applicants are required to take the SAT (Evidence-Based Reading and Writing and math) or ACT and have their scores submitted to SJSU.

Request to have your official scores sent from the testing agency — scores listed on your transcript or on your application for admission will not be accepted as a substitute.

Please note: The SAT/ACT writing portion is not used for admission or placement purposes at SJSU.

Eligibility Index (EI)

SJSU uses your Grade Point Average and SAT/ACT scores to calculate your Eligibility Index. You must meet the following minimum CSU Eligibility Index (EI) requirements to be considered for admission in our impaction process. This means that meeting minimum CSU eligibility requirements does not guarantee admission to SJSU.

Minimum EI Required for Admission to SJSU

IF YOU TOOK THE SAT...

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Calculating Your Eligibility Index/El

IF YOU TOOK THE SAT...

IF YOU TOOK THE ACT...

GPA Calculator

You can estimate your GPA (including honors, IB and AP courses) using the CSU Grade Point Average Calculator at https://www2.calstate.edu/apply/eligibility-index

Impaction Criteria (for Freshmen)

Admission to San Jose State is competitive in all majors because SJSU continues to have more qualified applicants than available new student spaces. This situation is called "impaction" and it means that meeting the minimum academic requirements for CSU eligibility does not guarantee admission to San Jose State.

Freshman applicants who meet the minimum academic requirements for CSU eligibility does not guarantee admission to San Jose State.

Freshman applicants who meet the minimum academic requirements will be ranked in each major based on a combination of their self-reported GPA (at the time you apply) and official SAT or ACT test scores (Eligibility Index or EI).

Last Year’s Thresholds

To view last year’s Eligibility Index thresholds, visit sjsu.edu/admissions/impaction (Please keep in mind the thresholds change each year).
While at SJSU, you can enroll in online courses offered at any of the 23 campuses that make up the California State University system.

SJSU grants bachelor’s, master’s and doctoral degrees in 250 areas of study preparing students to solve 21st-century problems.
Freshman Steps to Admission

1. Meet all of the Academic Requirements
   - Meet minimum CSU Eligibility Index for your major
   - Complete A-G Courses
   - Earn High School Diploma or Equivalent

2. Choose Your Degree Program (Major) Carefully
   - We admit to major
   - Change of major is never guaranteed
   - Must pick alternate major (not all majors are available, particularly highly competitive majors)

3. Apply to San José State University at Cal State Apply
   CalState.edu/Apply

4. Look for an email with your SJSU ID within two weeks with the subject line: “Activate your MySJSU Account”

5. Create your SJSUOne password.
   (This is the same password you will use to access your MySJSU student account.)

6. Access your MySJSU student account on the one.sjsu.edu Spartan Apps Portal

7. Check your MySJSU account weekly

8. Submit official SAT or ACT test scores by Jan. 3, 2019

9. Maintain CSU Eligibility
   - (See Freshman Tab)
   - Minimum Eligibility Index
   - Complete A-G Courses
   - Graduate

10. Meet Impaction Criteria for Degree Program
    sjsu.edu/admissions/impaction

Meet all Deadlines
If you miss an SJSU deadline, we will withdraw your application for admission, and you will not be able to attend SJSU for the term in which you applied. If you have an extreme circumstance that may cause you to miss one of our deadlines, contact admissions@sjsu.edu prior to the deadline date.

“Local” Applicants
San José State gives preference to “local” applicants. Learn more about local preference at sjsu.edu/admissions/impaction

Coursework Outside U.S.
Very Important! When you fill out the admission application at CalState.edu/Apply, you must include all high schools and colleges/universities attended, including those outside of the U.S. Failure to report an institution could negatively affect our ability to verify your eligibility for admission.

ALL INFORMATION, DATES, TEST SCORES, AND FEES SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE
Transfer Academic Requirements

Junior Status
(60 Semester / 90 Quarter Units)
Complete 60 or more transferable semester units or 90 or more quarter units by the end of the Spring 2019 term. Learn about courses accepted at SJSU at transfer.sjsu.edu.

California College/University Credits
To learn how course credits earned at one public California college or university can be applied when transferred to another, use ASSIST, an online student-transfer information system, at assist.org.

Second Bachelor’s Degree
If you are seeking a second bachelor’s degree (except for those entering the nursing program), you will not be admitted.

Basic Skills Courses
Complete your four basic skills courses as early as possible. The four basic skills courses must be completed by the end of the Spring 2019 term to be eligible for admission for the fall semester. Courses taken during the Summer 2019 term will not be counted toward the completion of academic requirements for Fall 2019.

You must earn a “C-” or higher in each basic skills course.

- 1. One course in oral communication (Area A1)
- 2. One course in written composition (Area A2)
- 3. One course in critical thinking (Area A3)
- 4. One course in college-level mathematics or quantitative reasoning, with intermediate algebra as a prerequisite (Area B4)

Grade Point Average
Earn a college grade point average of 2.00 or better in all transferable courses. Be in good standing at the last college or university attended.

Transfer Associate Degree
At SJSU, a California Community College student who has earned the Associate in Arts degree for Transfer (AA-T) or the Associate in Science degree for Transfer (AS-T) will receive priority admission consideration into a similar baccalaureate program at SJSU if they meet the minimum academic requirements. Verification of degree completion will be required during the application process as well as at final verification prior to enrollment.

Transfers with the AA-T or AS-T degree who do not meet SJSU’s impaction criteria (based on their intended major) are not guaranteed admission in a specific major or campus, but will receive priority admission consideration at their local CSU to a program or major that is similar to their associate degree.

Supplemental Application
To be considered for admission, all transfer applicants must complete SJSU’s supplemental application by the deadline posted to your MySJSU account.

Impaction Criteria (for Transfers)
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CSU eligible transfer applicants will be ranked in each major based on their self-reported GPA (as reported in the required supplemental application). Some programs will give preference to applicants who have completed program-specific preparation courses.

Majors with (Program-Specific) Preparation Courses
Select majors (degree programs) give preference to applicants who have completed program-specific preparatory courses. These programs are noted in the “Degrees” section and will give preference to students based on a combination of their self-reported GPA and the completion of program specific, lower division coursework.

For example, if two applicants to the same program have the same GPA, preference will be given to the applicant who has completed the greater number of program-specific preparation courses.

The program-specific courses that will be considered are listed at sjsu.edu/admissions/impaction.

Nicole
Global Studies

A degree with a guarantee
 Associate Degree for Transfer

To view last year’s impaction GPA thresholds, visit sjsu.edu/admissions/impaction (Please keep in mind the thresholds change each year.)
Our upcoming modernized Spartan Recreation and Aquatic Center will feature 128,000 square feet of space that includes pools, courts, a 1/8-mile track, aerobic and strength equipment and a rock climbing wall.

SJSU’s main campus in downtown San Jose is spread across 154 acres of land.
### Transfer Steps to Admission

#### 1. Meet all of the Academic Requirements
- Reach Junior Standing (60 Semester Units/90 Quarter Units)
- Complete Four Basic Skills Courses
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### Former Students
Former students who have not attended SJSU for the past two consecutive semesters and who have not been granted a leave of absence, must reapply for admission as an upper division transfer student and meet all deadlines, conditions and admission requirements currently in effect. If you have been disqualified from the university, please see section for Disqualified Students.

### Admission Priority
Former SJSU students returning may gain admission priority by completing a Re-Admission Petition form (sjsu.edu/registrar/forms) and obtaining departmental approval. Submit the form by January 15, 2019.

### Disqualified Students
To be considered for admission, former SJSU students who have been disqualified must complete and submit two separate forms for consideration and approval: the Reinstatement Petition and the Re-Admission Petition forms (sjsu.edu/registrar/forms). Please follow the instructions on each of these forms to successfully return to SJSU.

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**Housing**

**Freshman Housing Requirement**

Freshmen who graduate from a high school located in a city outside a 30-mile radius of campus are required to live on campus during their first year at SJSU. An appeal can be filed for an exception to this requirement once admitted. Learn more at sjsu.edu/housing.

**Residence at International House meets the freshman housing requirement.** If you are interested in living in the I-House, you must send a separate application directly to the I-House. Learn more about I-House at sjsu.edu/ihouse.

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<td>Juniors, Seniors,</td>
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<td>Large residence near campus.</td>
<td>Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors,</td>
<td>$16,116</td>
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*Rent amounts are subject to change and are based on double occupancy, furnished units with a 10-month contract.

**Meal plans are required for all freshmen living in University Housing.**
Costs

Amounts are based on full-time attendance (12 units per semester or more) for a nine-month academic year.

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*In addition to all mandatory state and local tuition fees, non-residents of California pay $396.00 per unit.

Fees are Subject to Change

The CSU makes every effort to keep student costs to a minimum. Fees listed in published schedules or student accounts may need to be increased when public funding is inadequate. Therefore, CSU must reserve the right, even after initial fee payments are made, to increase or modify any listed fees, without notice, until the date when instruction for a particular semester or quarter has begun. All CSU listed fees should be regarded as estimates that are subject to change upon approval by The Board of Trustees, the Chancellor, or the Presidents, as appropriate. Changes in mandatory systemwide fees will be made in accordance with the requirements of the Working Families Student Fee Transparency and Accountability Act (Sections 66028 - 66028.6 of the Education Code).

California Residency for Tuition Purposes

The determination of residency for tuition purposes affects whether a student pays in-state or out-of-state tuition fees. Out-of-state tuition fees are higher than in-state tuition fees. Just because a student is or has been a resident of the State of California does not mean that he or she qualifies to receive the in-state tuition rate. Certain requirements, established under California law, must be met.

Visit the California State University site for additional information regarding residency
https://www2.calstate.edu/apply/california-residency-for-tuition-purposes/Pages/default.aspx

In-state tuition for certain non-residents of California (AB 540 provisions)

If you attended high school in California for at least three full years and graduated or earned an equivalent degree, you may be eligible for resident (in-state) tuition. You must file an affidavit (sjsu.edu/registrar/docs/AB_540.pdf) with SJSU. You will need to show proof of attendance and graduation. For more information visit sjsu.edu/registrar/students/Residency/ab540.html

Financial Aid

Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

To help cover the cost of attending SJSU, you may apply for financial aid provided through federal grants, state grants, work study and loans by using the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). You can submit your application starting Monday, October 1, 2018. To ensure you receive as much aid as possible, we encourage you to submit your application by the priority deadline, which is Saturday, March 2, 2019. You can apply after March 2 but the amount of financial aid that you receive may be reduced due to available funding. Learn more at fafsa.ed.gov

Additional Costs

Additional costs such as college application fees and deposits are not covered by Financial Aid.

California Dream Act Application—AB540 Students

AB540 students (undocumented immigrant status) may qualify for the state grant programs that make up the California Dream Act of 2011. For the California Dream Application, you will need SJSU’s six-digit code, which is 001155. You can submit the application starting Monday, October 1, 2018. To ensure you receive as much aid as possible, we encourage you to submit your application by the priority deadline, which is Saturday, March 2, 2019 at caldreamact.org
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