The Spartan East Side Promise is a collaboration between San José State University and East Side Union High School District with the goal of offering guaranteed admission to qualified students who attend high school in the East Side Union High School District. The program provides a pathway to admission by clearly specifying the admission requirements and sharing information with students and families in the district. Through a variety of interactive programming, the Spartan East Side Promise will provide guidance and a clear pathway to students from the ESUHSD seeking admission to SJSU.

**Spartan East Side Applicants will be considered for admission in accordance with SJSU’s impaction standards. Those applicants who do not meet the impaction standard for their first or second choice major will be guaranteed admission to Undeclared, provided they meet the following requirements:**

Graduate from one of the high schools in the East Side Union High School District listed below as a member of the 2018, 2019, 2020 or 2021 graduating classes:

- Evergreen Valley High School
- Andrew P. Hill High School
- Independence High School
- James Lick High School
- Mt. Pleasant High School
- Oak Grove High School
- Piedmont Hills High School
- Santa Teresa High School
- Silver Creek High School
- W.C. Overfelt High School
- Yerba Buena High School
- Calero High School
- Foothill High School
- Accel Middle College
- Apollo High School
- Pegasus High School
- Phoenix High School
- College Connection Academy

➤ TIP: Meet with your counselor to make sure you are on track to graduate and meet CSU eligibility requirements

**Apply to SJSU by November 30th at CALSTATE.EDU/APPLY**

➤ TIP: Apply early – SJSU opens for applications on October 1 for the following fall term. (You will need to apply by November 30 of your senior year of high school to be considered for the fall after you graduate from high school).
Take the SAT or ACT test and submit those official test scores to SJSU by the posted deadlines

► TIP: If possible, take the SAT more than once. When we calculate your admission eligibility, SJSU will take the highest score from each section (Evidence-Based Reading and Writing, and Math) even if they were not earned on the same test date. If you can’t take the SAT more than once, be sure to practice as much as possible before the exam date using free tools available online.

Successfully complete all A-G college preparatory courses with grades of C- or better

► TIP: See sjtu.edu/admissions for more information about your A to G course requirements (or esuhisd.org/Students-Parents/Instruction/A-G)

Earn a 3300 Eligibility Index (SAT) or 790 (ACT) that is verified with final transcripts

► TIP: Your Eligibility Index (EI) is a combination of the GPA from your A to G classes and your SAT or ACT score. See CalState.edu/Apply for an EI calculator.

Meet all SJSU application procedures and deadlines

► TIP: There are no exceptions to missed deadlines. SJSU posts all deadlines and requirements at sjtu.edu/admissions

►► In addition to meeting the conditions for guaranteed admission to undeclared, parents, guardians, or a supportive adult are encouraged to participate along with their student by attending events and workshops provided by Spartan East Side Promise. Applicants who are admitted as Undeclared can remain on track for graduating in four years by taking advantage of advising resources at sjtu.edu/advising/student_resources/mygps

POINTS OF PRIDE

► SJSU is ranked eighth overall among the West’s top public universities offering bachelor’s and master’s degrees by U.S. News and World Report.

► San José State’s student body reflects the diversity of the Bay Area, one of the most diverse regions in the world.

► Silicon Valley companies hire more San José State students and alumni than any other college or university in the country.

“The Spartan East Side Promise is a social contract that opens doors for our students and creates an environment that encourages all of our students to strive for college.”

—Chris D. Funk,
Superintendent, East Side Union High School District