

Steps to Enrollment

FALL 2018 | INTERNATIONAL

Freshmen

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Important Information about completing the Steps to Enrollment:

Although the steps are presented in numerical order, keep in mind that you may not necessarily complete all of these steps in the order that they are presented. Refer to your MySJSU student account for specific deadlines and tasks that need to be completed to ensure your enrollment.



SJSU'S OFFICIAL MASCOT
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Stay Committed to the Process

There are consequences if you miss deadlines. Deadlines are very important in the U.S. and are in place to help you through the enrollment process. You risk having your admission withdrawn if you do not meet our deadlines and maintain your eligibility. To avoid this, sign in to your MySJSU student account every few days and thoroughly read any messages, "To Do List" items or posted deadlines and take the requested action as soon as possible.

SJSU Points of Pride

- As a Spartan, you get the best Silicon Valley has to offer, while having fun nearby in the Pacific Ocean, Yosemite National Park and San Francisco.
- SJSU is ranked sixth overall among the top public universities in the western U.S. 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.
- San José State University ranks #2 for Top Master's Colleges and Universities Hosting International Students.
- A record number (62) of current and recently graduated Spartan student-athletes were recognized for consistent academic achievement and designated as a President's Scholar or a Dean's Scholar by SJSU.
- San José State's student body reflects the diversity of the San Francisco Bay Area, one of the most diverse regions in the world.
- For the second consecutive year, a record number (25) of SJSU student-athletes were honored as 2017 Arthur Ashe, Jr. Sports Scholars for academic achievement and community service.
- Distinguished SJSU alumni include actors Coby Bell and Omar Benson Miller, author Amy Tan, Oracle co-founder Ed Oates, former NFL player James Jones and former NFL coach Bill Walsh.
- You'll enjoy a newly expanded Student Union and a new Student Wellness Center.
- The King Library offers books, e-books and online articles, one-on-one research assistance from a librarian, all-night study hours five days a week, as well as laptop and ipad checkout.
- Among the nation's top veterans-serving academic institutions, SJSU is ranked 20th overall and fourth among public universities by U.S. News and World Report.

2018 Calendar

April

Saturday, April 14	Admitted Spartan Day
Monday, April 16	Fall 2018 Class Schedule goes live at http://info.sjsu.edu/home/schedules.html

May

Tuesday, May 1	Intent to Enroll Deadline Enrollment Deposit Payment Deadline (payment submitted via Intent to Enroll process) Housing Application (for University Housing Services) Deadline Document Deadline
Monday, May 28	Memorial Day – Campus Closed

June

Monday, June 11	Registration (Enrollment) appointments for newly admitted students begin http://my.sjsu.edu
Tuesday, June 26	Frosh Orientation Session 1
Thursday, June 28	Frosh Orientation Session 2

July

Wednesday, July 4	Independence Day – Campus Closed
Thursday, July 5	Payment due date
Tuesday, July 10	Frosh Orientation Session 3
Thursday, July 12	Frosh Orientation Session 4
Sunday, July 15	Final transcript/document due date
Tuesday, July 17	Frosh Orientation Session 5
Thursday, July 19	Frosh Orientation Session 6
Tuesday, July 24	Frosh Orientation Session 7
Saturday, July 28	Frosh Orientation Session 8
Tuesday, July 31	Frosh Orientation Session 9

August

Thursday, August 2	Frosh Orientation Session 10
Saturday, August 4	Payment due date
Tuesday, August 7	Frosh Orientation Session 11
Sunday, August 12	International House – Contract Move-in Date
Saturday, August 18	Advance Registration for all students ends Housing: Campus Village apartments, CV2, Classics, and Suites open to all residents
Sunday, August 19 – Monday, August 20	No registration activity on MySJSU
Tuesday, August 21	First day of instruction Late registration begins (Late add fee of \$25 assessed)
Tuesday, August 21 – Monday, September 10	Late Registration (Registration via MySJSU starts after 7 a.m. requires instructor's permission)
Friday, August 31	Last day to drop a class without a "W" grade

September

Monday, September 3	Labor Day – campus closed
Tuesday, September 4	Payment due date
Monday, September 10	Last day to add courses via MySJSU and without a petition and late fee Last day to submit Credit/No Credit (audit) grading option Last day to submit instructor drops

October

Friday, October 5	Payment due date
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Submit Your Intent to Enroll

<https://nextsteps.sjsu.edu>

San José State will need to know if you plan on attending in Fall 2018. Go to the Next Steps Intent to Enroll website (<https://nextsteps.sjsu.edu>) and tell us your plans. The process includes accepting SJSU's offer of admission, signing up for mandatory orientation, and paying the nonrefundable enrollment deposit.

YES – I intend to enroll at SJSU for the Fall 2018 semester.

(Please note: You may not defer your enrollment to a later semester.)

NO – I will not attend SJSU for the Fall 2018 semester.

(Your application will be withdrawn from further consideration.)

You will need the following to submit your intent to enroll:

- Your nine-digit SJSU ID (provided on your Letter of Admission)
- PIN (month and day of your birth date). For example, January 21 is 0121.

You must complete the multi-step Next Steps Intent to Enroll process by 11:59 p.m. (Pacific Standard Time) on Tuesday, May 1, 2018 or your admission will be withdrawn.

If you anticipate any problems completing the required steps below by the stated deadlines, contact nextsteps@sjsu.edu immediately.

NEXT STEPS INTENT TO ENROLL • <https://nextsteps.sjsu.edu> 



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Sign Up for Frosh Orientation

<https://nextsteps.sjsu.edu>

Frosh Orientation is a mandatory one-day program that will acquaint you with the campus, introduce you to your college and major department, and provide you with critical academic planning information. All admitted students must attend orientation. You are required to attend the entire program.

If you do not attend or leave during any portion of the event, you will be blocked from registering for classes and will not be able to attend SJSU in Fall 2018. Students who arrive late will not be allowed to attend the program.

During Frosh Orientation, you will:

- Be welcomed from SJSU administrators, faculty, staff and students and learn what it means to be part of the Spartan community.
- Connect with student leaders in small groups and have an opportunity to ask questions about campus life.
- Receive campus information to help maximize your first-year experience and student success.
- Learn tools to best navigate key university services and resources.
- Meet with academic advisors to plan your class schedule and register for courses.
- Review what's next before you start classes.

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Pay Your Enrollment Deposit

<https://nextsteps.sjsu.edu>

In order to complete the Next Steps Intent to Enroll process, you will be prompted to pay your enrollment deposit online via a link provided in your Next Steps portal. Your \$250 Enrollment Deposit includes your \$180 Orientation payment and deposit of \$70 towards your tuition and fees for Fall 2018. Please note: The \$250 Enrollment Deposit is non-refundable, even if you do not enroll in classes for the Fall 2018 semester.

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Apply for Campus Housing

sjsu.edu/housing (University Housing Services)

sjsu.edu/ihouse (International House)

Freshmen who graduated 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. You must complete a housing application for either University Housing Services or the International House, depending on where you prefer to stay for the 2018-19 school year. (Please note there is a separate application for the International House.)

Housing Options	Description	Residents	Rent*	Meal Plan**	Included in Rent
Campus Village Apartments – Building A “CVA”	Eight-story building: efficiencies, one and two bedroom units and bedspaces	Juniors, Seniors, Graduate Students, Faculty and Staff	\$11,332	No Meal Plan required. Meal Plans offering a limited number of meals per semester are available.	Internet, Basic Utilities & Internet TV
Campus Village Apartments – Building B “CVB”	Fifteen-story building: studios, three, four and five-bedroom units	Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors, Graduate Students	\$10,962	No Meal Plan required. Meal Plans offering a limited number of meals per semester are available.	Internet, Basic Utilities & Internet TV
Campus Village Suites – Building C “CVC”	Seven-story building: four-bedroom units	Freshmen	\$16,115	5-day included in rent 7-day meal plan available	Internet, Basic Utilities & Internet TV
Campus Village 2 “CV2”	Ten-story building: traditional hall	Freshmen	\$16,799	5-day included in rent 7-day meal plan available	Internet, Basic Utilities & Internet TV
Washburn Hall “The Bricks” “The Classics”	Three-story building: traditional hall	Freshmen	\$13,800	5-day included in rent 7-day meal plan available	Internet, Basic Utilities & Internet TV
Joe West Hall “The Classics”	Twelve-story building: traditional hall	Freshmen	\$13,800	5-day included in rent 7-day meal plan available	Internet, Basic Utilities & Internet TV
International House “I-House”	Large residence near campus. Home to 71 U.S. and international students	Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors, Graduate Students	\$15,206 (Activity fee included)	7-day meal plan included in rent	Internet, Basic Utilities & Internet TV

*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 and all residents of the I-House.

University Housing Services

We strive to provide supportive and affordable residential learning communities that promote academic success and individual development. Our living-learning communities help ease the transition to university life, serve as an extension of the classroom, and increase awareness of community responsibility. Located on the main San José State campus, the residence halls are just minutes from classes, the library, recreation and dining facilities, and downtown. If you have questions, contact University Housing 408-795-5600 or uhs-frontdesk@sjsu.edu

The Housing Application deadline is Tuesday, May 1, 2018. To fill out a housing application, visit sjsu.edu/housing

1. A completed online University Housing application
2. A \$50 non-refundable application fee
3. A \$600 initial payment

Room/Apartment Assignment

We encourage all applicants to complete the online housing application and submit payments as soon as possible. Applicants will be assigned to their preferred apartment/building or room and occupancy type whenever possible based on the date their license materials and payments are received.

You must complete your online application (electronically signed license agreement and \$50 application fee) and submit the \$600 initial payment by Tuesday, May 1, 2018 to be included in the first round of housing assignments. Room/apartment assignments will be made on a first-paid, first-served basis after May 1.

Freshmen are required to live on campus

Freshmen who graduated 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. Priority will be given to freshmen who have completed the housing application and all of the required steps by Tuesday, May 1, 2018. Housing applications will still be accepted after this date as long as space remains available. International House meets the freshman on-campus housing requirement.

International House

A large, comfortable home located near campus, the International House (I-House) is a residence for 70 U.S. and international students attending San José State. At I-House, residents find friends, study partners, and mentors in addition to opportunities for leadership, group activities and travel. I-House students represent approximately 25 countries, range in age from 17 to 35 years of age, study in a wide variety of programs offered on the SJSU campus, and enroll in graduate, undergraduate, and English language programs.

I-House offers a one-semester contract and stays open year-round with per diem rates during summer and winter breaks. Students interested in living in the I-House must send a separate application directly to the I-House. There is no application fee. Applications are available at sjsu.edu/ihouse



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Sign Up for English and Math Requirements

First Year Course Placement

To facilitate appropriate first year course placement, the CSU evaluates entering freshmen to classify each student's academic preparation in two areas: quantitative reasoning and written communication.

The evaluation takes into account several factors, including grade point average, completed high school coursework, transfer-level coursework, and scores on standardized tests such as the SAT, ACT, CAASPP/EAP, and Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate examinations.

In addition, freshmen entering SJSU will complete an online Reflection on College Writing exercise to explore writing at SJSU and to find the course they need. The online exercise is offered through Canvas. Be alert for Canvas emails and MySJSU messages about the Reflection on College Writing.

SJSU provides students who may benefit from extra support in their first year various supported course options in mathematics and writing. Forms of support include co-requisite courses, stretch courses, labs, workshops, and tutorials that help students succeed academically as they make the transition to SJSU.

Some students may also be required to participate in summer skill-building activities through the Early Start Program. Students will receive more information through MySJSU starting in the first week of May and continuing throughout the summer. Additional information can also be found at sjsu.edu/english/frosh and sjsu.edu/supportedinstruction

SJSU no longer offers placement tests to all students. However, students in majors requiring calculus or statistics who would like to be placed into more advanced courses than those allowed by their initial evaluation may request a placement test to demonstrate a higher level of skill. For further information, refer to the Mathematics Placement section of sjsu.edu/supportedinstruction

Department Exams (If Required)

To learn if you need to take a department placement exam, contact the department that oversees your degree program (major). View a listing of degree programs and their departments at <http://info.sjsu.edu/home/catalog.html>

Many new undergraduates in the College of Science, Engineering and Business may need to take the Calculus Placement Exam prior to registration. For details, exemptions, and other criteria, visit sjsu.edu/math/calculus



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Purchase Health Insurance

SJSU requires all international students to purchase the SJSU health insurance coverage prior to registering for classes. You can register for the mandatory SJSU health insurance online. Learn how to enroll at sjsu.edu/isa

You can buy your insurance for the year, or for a semester at a time. If you have questions about purchasing your insurance, contact International Student and Scholar Services at 408-924-5920 or international-office@sjsu.edu

Required Proof of Immunizations

As a new student, you must provide proof of Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR) and Hepatitis B prior to the first day of classes. For more information on requirements and how to submit visit sjsu.edu/registrar/students/Immunization



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Attend Frosh Orientation (Mandatory)

sjsu.edu/newspartans

Frosh Orientation is mandatory. If you arrive late or leave during any portion of the program, your admission will be withdrawn. Missed sessions will only be excused with documentation of a circumstance clearly beyond your control.

Frosh Orientation Dates

- Session 1: Tuesday, June 26
- Session 2: Thursday, June 28
- Session 3: Tuesday, July 10
- Session 4: Thursday, July 12
- Session 5: Tuesday, July 17
- Session 6: Thursday, July 19
- Session 7: Tuesday, July 24
- Session 8: Saturday, July 28
- Session 9: Tuesday, July 31
- Session 10: Thursday, August 2
- Session 11: Tuesday, August 7
- Session 12: Wednesday, August 15

Immigration Session

As a new F-1 international student, you are required to report to the Office of International Student and Scholar Services (ISSS). In order to meet this U.S. government requirement, you must check-in with ISSS. During check-in you will receive information on how to maintain your F-1 status. More details can be found on the New Students page (sjsu.edu/isa/new/index.html) on the ISSS website. Information will also be sent to you through your MySJSU account.

Disability Accommodations

This event is wheelchair accessible. Individuals needing sign language interpreters, visual aids, or other accommodations should contact us at 408-924-5972 at least two weeks prior to their selected orientation date.

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Submit Final Transcripts and Documents

Continue to check your MySJSU "To Do List" for transcript and document deadlines. We will review your final transcript to verify that you completed all required courses for admission. This includes passing required courses with a C- or better. Final transcripts must include your graduation date and must be submitted by the date listed on your MySJSU account To Do List. If you have AP, IB or CLEP exam results, please have official test results sent to SJSU.

Please note:

After your documents have been received, it may take up to three weeks for your "To Do List" items on your MySJSU account to be reviewed and updated. Avoid delays; apply early, and submit documents as soon as possible in the approved format.

Continue to check MySJSU for important messages, required documents and deadlines.

How to Submit Transcripts and Documents

Transcripts/Mark Sheets: Transcripts with final grades for all courses must be submitted to maintain your eligibility to enroll. If you earned a degree from the institution(s) you attended, the transcript must show proof of your degree completion, including the graduation date.

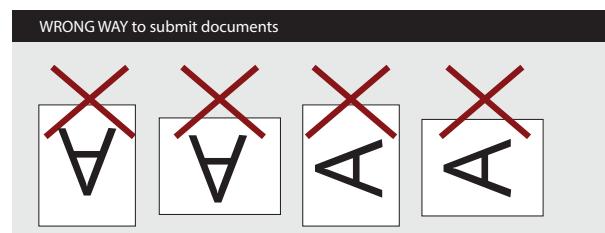
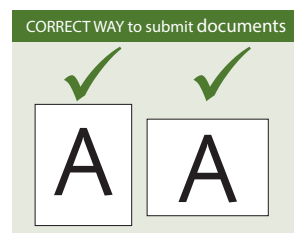
Test Scores (TOEFL, IELTS, Advanced Level/A Level, AP exams, SAT and ACT) and IB diploma must also be sent directly to SJSU from the testing agency.

To speed up transcript processing time you are highly encouraged to request that your institution send electronic transcripts to San José State University. If you must have your transcripts mailed, please make sure that the name on your application matches the name listed on your transcripts. All transcripts must be sealed and unopened to be accepted as official documents. COPIES OF TRANSCRIPTS OR OPENED TRANSCRIPTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Once submitted to SJSU, documents become the property of the University and cannot be released. If transcripts must be mailed, send to:

San José State University
Undergraduate Admissions
One Washington Square
San José, CA 95192-0016

All other documents (bank statement, Declaration of Finance, and photocopy of current passport) can be mailed or submitted electronically in individual PDF formatted files (one PDF for each requested document). If possible, please submit them electronically (PDF only) to sa-adm-wrkflow@sjsu.edu
NOTE: Multiple PDF documents may be attached to one email.



The following are steps for submitting items by email.

- Convert documents to PDF format. Free PDF converters are available at primopdf.com or freepdfconvert.com
- Make sure the documents are readable, with your name or the name of your institution at the top of the page, and in individual files (one document per PDF).
- Include your nine-digit SJSU ID and your first and last name as it appears on your passport in the BODY of the email message.
- Send email with attachments to sa-adm-wrkflow@sjsu.edu. One email may contain multiple PDF files.



Pay Your Tuition and Fees

sjsu.edu/bursar

Fees are due after registering for your classes. To see your payment due date, check your MySJSU account under the "Finances" section. You have the option to pay in full or sign up for a payment plan. For details, visit sjsu.edu/bursar

Estimates of average expenses (international student) for a nine-month academic year are:

Summary for one academic year	Undergraduate
Minimum semester units:	12 units/semester
Tuition Fees	\$17,225*
Living Expenses	\$21,974
Total (required for Declaration of Finance)	\$39,199

* Amount is based on full-time attendance (12 units per semester) for a nine-month academic year

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 fees are initially charged or initial fee payments are made, to increase or modify any listed fees. All listed fees, other than mandatory systemwide fees, are subject to change 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).

Financing Your Education

Please note that international students are not eligible for financial aid at SJSU. Also, off-campus work authorization in the United States is difficult to obtain.

For more information on scholarships, please visit the financial aid office sjsu.edu/faso/Scholarships/International_Students/

Keeping Your MySJSU Account Current

SJSU has established a business practice whereby all payments apply to the oldest debt on your account. For example, if you are making a registration payment and you have a housing debt with an earlier due date, the payment will apply to the housing charges first. Keep your account current to avoid the possibility of enrollment cancellation.

Any delinquent outstanding charges owed to the university will be submitted to the Franchise Tax Board for tax refund offset. The university or its agent has the right to pursue collections in order to repay a delinquent debt owed to the university

Fee Payment Deadlines

After you register, sign in to your MySJSU account to view the amount you owe and your payment due date. SJSU does not send invoices to students. It is your responsibility to check your MySJSU account to keep current with your account. Failure to pay by the deadline will result in all of your classes being dropped. For more information about payment methods, including international wire transfer, fees and payment due dates, visit sjsu.edu/bursar.

If a Third Party Sponsor, such as a foreign government agency, a business and/or educational institution, agrees to sponsor you by paying your tuition and fees, please get an authorization letter from the sponsor stating how much of your tuition they will cover and for which semesters. Submit the authorization to SJSU's Bursar's Office prior to the due date, attention: Third Party Technician and retain a copy of the letter for your records. The Bursar's Office will invoice the sponsor as appropriate for tuition and fees after the add/drop period as long as the sponsored student is registered and has submitted a current letter of authorization. Learn more at

Learn more at sjsu.edu/bursar/services/sponsors/3rd_party/index.html

Installment Payments

For payment plan options visit sjsu.edu/bursar/payment_refunds/installments/index.html There are two installment plans, one for tuition and fees and one for on-campus housing. There are enrollment fees to participate. Please note: Students are not eligible to sign-up for the payment plan until charges actually appear on their account, either tuition and fees, or housing charges. Payment plans will be available only when tuition and fee and/or housing charges appear on the student account.

International Wire Transfers

International students can now make payments via international wire transfer. San José State University has partnered with flywire to streamline the tuition payment process for our international students. Flywire offers excellent foreign exchange rates, allowing you to pay in your home currency (in most cases) and save a significant amount of money, compared to traditional banks. You will be able to track the progress of your payment throughout the transfer process via a student dashboard, and you will also be notified via email when your payment is received by San José State.

There is no fee charged by SJSU or flywire for international wire transfers. The bank you use to send the wire transfer usually charges a fee, so check with that bank for their fee schedule. Learn more at sjsu.edu/bursar/payment_refunds/methods/international_wire_transfer.

Field Trip Fees

A few courses have additional field trip fees ranging from \$11.00 to \$52.00.

Special or Optional Fees

Parking permits are available for students. A daily one-semester parking permit is estimated at \$192.00.

Refunds

Students are highly encouraged to enroll in Direct Deposit. With Direct Deposit, you receive your refund several days quicker than a paper check. You will need to have a U.S. bank account. To enroll, login to MySJSU, scroll to Finances, and select Enroll in Direct Deposit. To learn more visit sjsu.edu/bursar

Spartan Bookstore Charges

Registered students can charge books and supplies to their SJSU student account. For more details visit sjsu.edu/bursar/services

Checklist

Mandatory

Submit your Intent to Enroll no later than 11:59 p.m. (Pacific Standard Time) on Tuesday, May 1, 2018.

Sign up for Frosh Orientation

Pay Enrollment Deposit

Apply for Campus Housing

Check your "To Do List" in your MySJSU student account

Choose a Fall Writing Course

Purchase health insurance prior to registering for classes (see "Health Insurance" section)

If coming from another school in the U.S., submit the SJSU Transfer In Form (listed as "Transfer In Form" at sjsu.edu/isa/forms) to your current school.

Attend mandatory Frosh Orientation

Submit final transcripts and documents (as required on your "To Do List" in your MySJSU account)

Pay Your Tuition and Fees

Beginning August 13, check MySJSU for link to mandatory online training courses addressing sexual assault prevention education

Important

Read the SJSU Catalog online at <http://info.sjsu.edu/home/catalog.html>

Read the SJSU Schedule of Classes at <http://info.sjsu.edu/home/schedules.html>

Follow SJSU Enrollment Services on Instagram: [SJSU_ES](#)

Follow SJSU Enrollment Services on Twitter [@SJSU_ES](#)

Frequently Asked Questions

Student Responsibilities and Rights

As members of the academic community, students accept both the rights and responsibilities incumbent upon all members of the institution (S90–5).

Students are encouraged to consult the Student Responsibilities and Rights (<http://info.sjsu.edu/web-dbgen/narr/static/catalog/studentrights.html>) section of the SJSU Catalog to ensure an understanding of the resources, requirements, and programs designed to support students' academic and personal growth, as well as review important university policies and procedures (<http://info.sjsu.edu/static/catalog/policies.html>) every student at SJSU is responsible for knowing and upholding.

Student Code of Conduct

Members of SJSU are expected to uphold the community standards and demonstrate academic integrity, accountability for one's actions, respect for oneself and one's community, and personal development. It is, therefore, important that students familiarize themselves with the Student Conduct Code and Academic Integrity Policy for which they are accountable. This information can be found in the SJSU university catalog, schedule of classes, at sjsu.edu/studentconduct/policies/

Top Countries for SJSU International Undergraduates

China

Vietnam

India

Japan

Korea

Indonesia

Malaysia

Taiwan

Saudi Arabia

Hong Kong

What if I do not complete required courses or miss a deadline?

You will have your admission to SJSU revoked and your registration canceled. Failure to submit your final transcript will result in your application being withdrawn, even if you have signed up for housing and attended orientation.

What if I am taking courses required for admission during the Summer 2018 term?

You may not use coursework from the Summer 2018 term to complete admission requirements.

Can I defer my admission to another term?

No, your admission is good for one term only. If you wish to be considered for a later term, you must submit a new application for the next available term for which you meet the minimum requirements.

I am provisionally admitted; what if I earn “D” or “F” grades?

Your final transcript must show that you have passed required courses for admission with the equivalent of a U.S. “C-” or better prior to your high school graduation date. We will withdraw your admission for failure to meet this standard.

Can I change my major?

Due to space limits in many SJSU departments, you may not change your major before the term starts. Note that change of major is never guaranteed, even after admission to SJSU.

F-1 Student Visa/Status

Students with Disabilities

The Accessible Education Center provides academically related services for students with disabilities. To qualify, students must register and create a confidential file with the AEC to receive a wide spectrum of services based on their own individual needs. Services include, but are not limited to: Consideration for priority registration, note takers, readers, sign language interpreters/captioners, test accommodations, academic counseling, general education advising and hands-on training with adaptive technology. Students should provide the AEC with disability verification as soon as possible. Before registering for classes, make an appointment with the center at 408-924-6000 for review of specific needs.

Non-Discrimination Policy

San José State University does not discriminate on the basis of age, ancestry, citizenship status, color, disability, ethnicity, gender, gender expression, gender identity, marital status, medical condition, military/veteran status, national origin, race, religion or lack thereof, sex, sexual orientation, genetic information or veteran's status. This policy applies to all SJSU students, faculty, staff and third parties. 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>

Coming from a U.S. Institution

Prior to the end of your last semester, you must have your current school transfer your F-1 electronic record in the SEVIS database to SJSU. To complete this process, you must do the following: Show your admission letter and the SJSU "Transfer In Form" to your current school's international office. You can find the form at sjsu.edu/isa/forms under the SJSU "Transfer In Form" heading. Complete the top section of the form and ask the school to complete the remaining sections and fax the form to 408-924-2035. Then you will receive a Transfer-Pending Form I-20 from SJSU.

Upon arrival to SJSU, please be sure to complete the mandatory international student check-in process at sjsu.edu/isa/new/post-arrival/index.html#checkin. The International Student and Scholar Services (ISSS) Office is located in the Student Union West Building, second floor or you can call at 408-924-5920 or email at international-office@sjsu.edu For more information, visit sjsu.edu/iss

Coming from Outside the U.S.

You will receive a U.S. Immigration Form I-20 directly from San José State in the mail with your letter of admission. To start the process to obtain an F-1 student visa first complete the I-901 form online through SEVIS at ice.gov/sevis/i901 then pay the SEVIS fee and print out the receipt. To obtain your F-1 visa, make an appointment for a visa interview and go to the nearest U.S. Consulate with the following:

- Your current passport
- SJSU admission letter
- Your I-20 (Certificate of Eligibility) form
- Proof (receipt) of SEVIS payment
- Proof of financial support

Learn more about preparing for a visa interview at sjsu.edu/isa/new/pre-arrival/visa-interview/index.html

Additional information can be found at travel.state.gov/content/visas/english/study-exchange/student.html

Prepare in advance for Customs and Immigration at the Airport

Please expect this process to be a lengthy experience and prepare in advance. You must keep the following documents in your carry-on luggage so you are able to present them to a Customs and Border Patrol officer:

- Passport, valid for at least six months after the date of entry
- F-1 visa stamp, valid at the time of entry*
- Valid Form I-20
- Proof of financial support and resources reflected on Form I-20
- Tuition and/or Housing receipt(s), if you have already made payments prior to your arrival
- SEVIS fee receipt

*Canadian citizens are not required to apply for a visa to enter the U.S. as an F-1, but must still pay the SEVIS Fee and present their Form I-20 at the U.S. port of entry.

For more information on preparing for Customs and Immigration at the airport, visit sjsu.edu/isa/new/pre-arrival/entering/index.html

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Contacts

For a complete campus directory of faculty, staff and departments, visit sjsu.edu/directory

Accessible Education Center

sjsu.edu/aec
aec-info@sjsu.edu
408-924-6000 voice/408-924-5990 TTY

Advising

sjsu.edu/aars
academic.advising@sjsu.edu
408-924-2129

Athletics

sjsuspartans.com

Bookstore

spartanbookstore.com
408-924-1800

Class Schedules

<http://info.sjsu.edu/home/schedules.html>

Fees and Tuition (Bursar's Office)

Payments and Refunds
sjsu.edu/bursar
bursar@sjsu.edu
408-924-1601

Housing (University Housing)

sjsu.edu/housing
uhs-frontdesk@sjsu.edu
408-795-5600

International House (I-House)

sjsu.edu/ihouse
ihouse@sjsu.edu
408-924-6570

International Student and Scholar Services

sjsu.edu/isss
international-office@sjsu.edu
408-924-5920

Library (Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Library)

library.sjsu.edu
408-808-2000

Maps/Directions to SJSU

sjsu.edu/about_sjsu/visiting
campus_maps/directions

New Student and Family Programs

(for Frosh Orientation questions)
sjsu.edu/newspartans
frosh-orientation@sjsu.edu
408-924-5972

Parking

Purchase parking permits online only
sjsu.edu/parking

Registration (Registrar's Office)

sjsu.edu/registrar
registrar@sjsu.edu
408-283-7500, option 3

Testing Office

testing.sjsu.edu
testing-office@sjsu.edu
408-924-5980

Tours of SJSU

youvisit.com/tour/sjsu?pl
(virtual campus tour)
sjsu.edu/soar
outreach@sjsu.edu
408-924-2786

Transportation Solutions

<http://as.sjsu.edu/asts>
transportation@sjsu.edu
408-924-7433

Tuition and Fees (Bursar's Office)

sjsu.edu/bursar
bursar@sjsu.edu
408-924-1601

Tutoring and Mentoring Services

Peer Connections
<http://peerconnections.sjsu.edu>
peerconnections@sjsu.edu
408-924-2587

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