Masters Degree in Nursing

The San Jose State University Masters in Nursing Program
The Valley Foundation School of Nursing

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Founded over fifty years ago, The Valley Foundation School of Nursing at SJSU currently offers Masters in Nursing and Post Masters Certificates in the Specialty Areas of Nurse Administrator and Nurse Educator. The Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) and the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) accredit the program. The CCNE awarded ten-year accreditation in 2011.

The Masters Essentials of the American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN) is the foundation for the graduate curriculum. Each course is a hybrid blend of online and on campus coursework.

Fall 2016 Concentration

We are currently accepting 25 students for our redesigned Nurse Educator option, with classes beginning in Fall, 2016. This is a cohort model program that students complete within two years. Applications must be completed by May 1, 2016.

How to Apply

A baccalaureate degree in Nursing from an accredited program is required. Registered nurses with baccalaureate degrees in disciplines other than nursing are accepted conditionally to provide a specialized course of study. There are a minimum of four undergraduate courses which need to be completed with a grade of "B" or better.

You must apply to San Jose State University at www.csumentor.com for admission at the Graduate Level, as well as to the School. All forms for applying to the School are available online at www.sjsu.edu/nursing/graduate. Deadlines are also posted at this site. Financial aid is available.

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