Acronym

AEC – Accessible Education Center (formerly the Disability Resource Center (DRC)).

AMC – Alternative Media Center – in the MLK Library. This service translates academic material into a “readable” format for disabled students.

AS – Associated Students – go to http://as.sjsu.edu/ for more information. Student Government and other services and activities.

ASPIRE - Academic Support Program for Increased Retention in Education – A program for first generation, economically disadvantaged and/or disabled students. See http://aspire.sjsu.edu/ for more information.

BCIT – Behavioral/Crisis Intervention Team includes members from Student Affairs, the University Police, Human Resources, and Counseling Services. Detects, tracks, and intervenes within the campus community in order to reduce violence and tragedy on campus. If you have any concerns about a student, you can contact any member of the team directly, call the University Police Department (4-2222 for non-emergency; 911 for emergencies), or report anonymously online via TipNow (http://www.sjsu.edu/police/crime_reporting/tipnow/) or by phone Crimestoppers (4-2236).

BOGS – The 11-member Board of General Studies reviews, approves, and authorizes courses and curricular proposals for purposes of General Education, provides for and approves "challenge" mechanisms for Basic Skills requirements in consultation with deans and chairs, considers petitions from programs for relief from the fifty-one semester hour General Education requirement.

EARC - Employment Accommodations Resource Center. For employees in need of work accommodations due to disability.

GUP – Office of Graduation and Undergraduate Programs (Thalia Agangos, AVP).

IEA – Institutional Effectiveness and Analytics (Scott Heil, Director).

Info.SJSU- SJSU Student Information – the website that provides the real time information on admission, schedule of classes and university catalog. Check: http://info.sjsu.edu/home/

MOSAIC - Multicultural Opportunities and Student Awareness in Different Cultures – offers guidance, academic support, programs and leadership opportunities that focus on creating sensitive, aware, and socially responsible individuals who advocate and dialogue for equity and social justice.

MUSE – Metropolitan University Scholars’ Experience. This program was discontinued, but it is still referenced in discussions about first-year experience programs. It was a group of small seminars, with First Year Experience courses that counted toward GE credit. The courses, while full of material to help students enter into and navigate through, the university, tended to be fashioned by faculty who want to teach their “passion”.
Peer Connections (formerly LARC) - Peer Connections offers free mentoring and tutoring services to undergraduate SJSU students. Peer Mentors can assist you with many aspects of university life, including study skills, adjusting to life as a college student, getting connected on campus, and personal issues. Peer Tutors offer small group, individual, and drop-in tutoring for a number of undergraduate courses. Workshops are offered on a wide variety of topics including preparing for the Writing Skills Test (WST), improving your learning and memory, alleviating procrastination, surviving your first semester at SJSU, and other related topics. [http://peerconnections.sjsu.edu/](http://peerconnections.sjsu.edu/)

UPD – University Police Department. Non-emergency number is 4-2222. Dial 911 for emergencies.

VITAL – The Veterans Integration to Academic Leadership (VITAL) is a Veteran-centered, results oriented, collaboration between the VA Medical Center (VAMC) and higher education. ([http://www.sjsu.edu/vital/](http://www.sjsu.edu/vital/)). Goal is to increase retention and graduation and provide academic and counseling support for veterans. VITAL will partner with you to resolve issues and find resources.

**College-Specific Advising Centers**

ACCESS - Academic Counseling Center for Excellence in the Social Sciences
BSAC – Business Student Advising Center
ESSC- Engineering Student Success Center
H&A Student Success Center
CoSAC – College of Science Advising Center
CSSC – College of Applied Sciences and Arts Student Success Center

**Student Services Center**

It is very common for students and visitors to go to the Administration Building for Admissions, transcripts, etc., and will need to be redirected to the Student Services Center (SSC). All services listed below are located in the 10th St. (North) Garage, 1st floor, SSC.

- Academic Advising and Retention Services
- Admissions and Outreach
- Aspire-McNair Programs
- Bursar's Office
- Enrollment Services
- Enrollment Services Administration
- Enrollment Services Communications
- Financial Aid and Scholarship
- Graduate Admissions and Program Evaluation (GAPE)
- Peer Connections
- Pre-College Programs
- Registrar's Office
**Parking Garages**
Names were changed in recent years, but long-timers still use the old versions. Can be confusing when trying to figure out where things are.

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**Campus Eateries** (some are closed for summer)

*Student Union* (some are closed for summer)
- LeBoulanger; Brick’s Pizza; Mojo Burger; Panda Express; Taco Bell; In the Mix; Jamba Juice

*Just Below* – Healthy & organic food; fresh deli; breakfast; Peet’s coffee.
- Located in MacQuarrie Hall. Can order online: [https://www.tapingo.com/order/restaurant/just-below/](https://www.tapingo.com/order/restaurant/just-below/) or with iTunes or Android app.

*On Fourth Café* – 1st floor of MLK library on San Fernando & 4th

*Instant Brew* – 1st floor of MLK library on San Fernando & 4th


*Street Eats* – Mobile “street” food. On campus every week at different locations and with different menus. To find out where Street Eats will be next and what they’ll be cooking up, follow them on Twitter: [www.twitter.com/sjsustreeteats](http://www.twitter.com/sjsustreeteats) or like them on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/SJSUStreetEats](http://www.facebook.com/SJSUStreetEats)

**Off-Campus Eateries**

*San Pedro Square Market*

SPSM is a public market that includes over 25 unique vendors selling everything from sushi to crepes to tapas and home goods. For a list of food vendors and shops: [http://www.sanpedrosquaremarket.com/about-san-pedro-square-market](http://www.sanpedrosquaremarket.com/about-san-pedro-square-market)

*Casual*

*Peanuts* – on San Fernando between 6th & 7th across from Admin building

*Pomegrante* – on San Fernando across from Hugh Gillis and Dudley Moorehead Halls

*Flames* – on San Fernando at 4th

*Gordon Biersch Brewery* – on E. San Fernando St. Known for their garlic fries.

*The City Fish* – Seafood, Fish & Chips, Sandwiches. 30 E. Santa Clara St.

**Sandwich Shops**

*Togos* – Paseo San Antonio

*Subway* – 4th & San Carlos
Ikes Love & Sandwiches -- 75 E. Santa Clara St.

Freshly Baked Eatery – 152 N. 3rd St.

Pizza

Pizza My Heart – San Carlos between 3rd and 4th Sts. Pizza by the slice. They have a meeting room that can be reserved.

Ice Cream

Ben & Jerry’s – San Carlos at 3rd Street.

Upscale-ish

Back A Yard (Jamaican)

Café Eden (Mediterranean)

Nemea (Greek)

Il Fornaio (Italian)

LaPastaia (Italian)

Scotts Seafood

The Grill on the Alley - steakhouse

Angelou’s Mexican Grill

Downtown Farmer’s Market

San Pedro Square between Santa Clara St. % St. John St. (May 1- Nov. 20)