This guide will show you how to enroll in Early Start Program courses through your MySJSU student portal.

1. Navigate to one.sjsu.edu, sign in using your SJSU ID and password, and click the MySJSU tile to enter your student portal. If you can't find the MySJSU tile, search for it in the "What would you like to do?" search bar at the top of the page.

2. In the Academics section of your Student Center, click on the Early Start Program link. And don’t forget to come back later and check your new messages. You have eleven of them, and there is probably something important in there!
3. This is your Early Start Program Page, which explains your Early Start recommendation or requirement. You will use this page to tell SJSU where you plan to participate in Early Start.

We strongly recommend that you choose SJSU as your campus. Following the SJSU course sequence is especially important for students in calculus-based majors.

Note the fee waiver information at the bottom of the page. After choosing your Early Start campus, click Confirm Early Start Selection(s).

4. Read through your selections and confirm that you are not making a terrible mistake. If everything looks right, click Return to Early Start Program Page.

5. You will now be taken back to the Early Start Program Page. If you selected a campus other than SJSU, wait for that campus to contact you with enrollment instructions. If you selected SJSU, click Enroll in Early Start Program.
6. Before enrolling in a class, you will see the fee waiver message again. Click OK.

7. This is your enrollment shopping cart. There is not much to do here except clicking Search. So go ahead and do that.

8. In the Subject box, type in the subject you intend to take. Use ESM for math classes and ESE for writing classes.

   We are going to enroll in a math class, so we have entered ESM.

   Set the Course Career field to Undergraduate.

   For course recommendations, visit the SJSU Early Start website at https://www.sjsu.edu/earlystart/course-recommendations/
9. Find an open section that best fits your summer schedule and click Select.

10. Read through the course details to confirm that this is the class you want. If it is, click Next.

11. Congratulations, your class is now in your shopping cart! But you are not yet done. You still have to add the support class! Click Search again to repeat steps 7 through 10 for the support class.

For ESM 01, the support class is ESM 1001S.
For ESM 09, the support class is ESM 9W.
For ESM 10P, the support class is ESM 1010PS.
For ESM 18A, the support class is ESM 1018AS.
For ESM 15, the support class is the activity tied to your lecture section.

ESM 05 and ESE 01 do not have support classes.
12. Both classes are in your shopping cart! We're in the home stretch.

Click Proceed to Step 2 of 3.

13. Confirm once again that you are not making a terrible mistake.

If everything looks right, click Finish Enrolling.

14. Now for the moment of truth: Did we get green checks or red X's?

If you see green checks, you are enrolled! If you do not have a fee waiver, you have 2 days to make your course payment.

For an illustrated guide to making a payment through your portal, go to https://www.sjsu.edu/bursar/docs/steps/how-to-pay-online.pdf

If you got red X's, contact the Early Start Program at earlystart@sjsu.edu and we'll fix the problem.

Good luck in your Early Start classes!