

Greetings Incoming Spartan!

This is your confirmation for your Spartan Experience for Transfers Orientation Session on Friday, August 5, 2022.

Please bring your Next Steps Reservation Receipt with the barcode and one form of state issued photo identification (ID), such as a driver's license, passport, or state ID card in order to check in. Find your Reservation here: nextsteps.sjsu.edu. Breakfast and lunch will be provided during the session.

Directions and parking information: Please [click here](#) to access the virtual parking permit valid only on the date of your Session. You will be cited if you do not complete the [steps found here](#). We recommend that you park in the South (7th Street) Garage located on the corner of S. 7th and San Salvador Streets. Entrance is on S. 7th Street. Here are some [driving directions](#) and a [map](#) of SJSU's campus.

Check-In: Please arrive at **7:30am** and check in at the **Student Wellness Center, Room 122**. Once you are checked in at the Student Wellness Center, you may proceed to the check-in process for orientation. Orientation check-in will take place on the west side of the Spartan Recreation and Aquatic Center (SRAC) near the South 7th Street Garage in the D-3 section of this [map](#). **Check-in will begin at 8:30 am and will end at 9:30am.** The program will start promptly at 9:30 am and conclude no later than 5:00 pm. Students who arrive late will not be permitted to attend the event, so please be on time!

What to bring:

- Your SJSU Student ID Number and password to register for classes on your MySJSU Student Portal
- Your Next Steps Reservation Receipt with the barcode
- One form of state issued photo identification (ID), such as a driver's license, passport or state ID card
- Laptop/tablet for course registration. Note: A smartphone will not suffice.
- Paper/writing instrument for note taking
- Water bottle
- Face mask and hand sanitizer

Before attending Orientation:

- Complete [Spartan Link](#) online pre-orientation - this must be completed prior to attending on-campus orientation. This contains valuable information about course registration that would be helpful to review ahead of course registration at orientation.
- Download the official app for San Jose State University, also known as the SAMMY app at sjsu.campusapp.com
- Follow the [SJSU COVID-19 Symptom Check Tool](#) prior to being on campus for your orientation session
- Complete your [COVID-19 self-certification form](#)

IMPORTANT INFORMATION - COVID VACCINATION RECORDS

Our records show that your COVID-19 self-certification process is incomplete and you are **NOT** in compliance with the CSU COVID-19 Policy. **In order to attend your orientation, please come prepared to show proof of a negative COVID_19 test.** You will be dropped from your courses by the start of the Fall semester if you fail to complete your [COVID-19 self-certification form](#) and provide [supporting documentation](#) where applicable or if you have provided inaccurate information on your COVID-19 vaccine self-certification form. Before attending your orientation session, **complete your [COVID-19 self-certification form](#)** and be prepared to provide proof of a negative COVID-19 test on the morning of your orientation session.

REQUIRED: PROOF OF NEGATIVE COVID-19 TEST

A valid negative COVID-19 test can be the following:

- PCR Test
 - Administered at least 48 hours prior to your orientation

- Rapid Antigen Test
 - Taken night before orientation
 - Picture of the negative rapid antigen test, any ID, date & time when the test was administered
 - Rapid antigen tests can be ordered at www.covidtests.gov or you can contact your health insurance company to find out where to get free test kits

After you have been screened and given clearance by Student Wellness Center staff, you may proceed to your orientation check in.

If you test positive or are experiencing any COVID-19 symptoms, please stay home and contact New Student and Family Programs at transfer-orientation@sjsu.edu to reschedule your orientation for a future date.

Thank you in advance for doing your part and helping us ensure a safe event! For questions, please email studenthealthcenter@sjsu.edu

IMPORTANT REGISTRATION INFORMATION

All in-person and hybrid courses with in-person meetings have a COVID-19 prerequisite. Requirements of CSU COVID-19 vaccine policy **must be** satisfied prior to enrolling in an in-person/hybrid class. To satisfy this prerequisite, students must complete the COVID-19 self-certification form in their MySJSU account **and** provide supporting documentation where applicable. Students who are not compliant will **NOT** be able to enroll in their in-person/hybrid class.

All students must also be in compliance with COVID-19 vaccination policy prior to their first in-person activity (ie. housing, orientation, first in-person class).

COVID-19 Vaccination Requirements: As a reminder, in order to attend undergraduate in-person orientation, you must be in compliance with the CSU COVID-19 Policy. It is during mandatory orientation that you will be able to sign up for your fall classes. You will be dropped from your Fall 2022 classes if you fail to complete your [COVID-19 self-certification form](#) and provide [supporting documentation](#) where applicable or if you have provided inaccurate information on your COVID-19 vaccine self-certification form. Once you have uploaded your documentation, please allow 2-10 business days for your record to be processed and verified. If your COVID-19 vaccination record does not meet verification guidelines, you will be notified via secure messages in your Student Wellness Center patient portal to take further action or submit additional documents.

Mask Policy: Due to the recent rise in COVID-19 cases locally and in our region, we will continue to require that masks or face coverings be worn when indoors and when it is not possible to maintain social distancing outdoors.

Guest Policy: We encourage you to attend SET Orientation individually, as guests will not be permitted to join you during any of the events happening during the day. Guests are invited to request a recording of our [Transfer Parent and Family Orientation](#). To request a copy, please email mystudentis@sjsu.edu.

Please note that Transfer Orientation is MANDATORY. Late arrivals and walk-ons will not be accommodated. You must participate in the entire program in order to have your Orientation hold removed. Failure to attend or complete the program will make you ineligible to register and attend SJSU.

If you do not attend your scheduled orientation, your admission will be withdrawn. In case of an emergency, you must contact us within 48 hours of the session for which you are registered, by calling 408-924-5972 or emailing transfer-orientation@sjsu.edu. You must provide verifiable documentation to support your absence and this must be submitted (by email) no later than 48 hours after your session date. This is a strict deadline.

We look forward to your participation at Spartan Experience for Transfers!

Sincerely,

New Student & Family Programs

Phone: 408-924-5972

Email: transfer-orientation@sjsu.edu

Website: sjsu.edu/newspartans

Instagram: @sjsu_newspartans

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