# SAN JOSÉ STATE UNIVERSITY **Steps to Enrollment** INTERNATIONAL FRESHMEN | FALL 2023

# SJSU | STUDENT AFFAIRS

ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT | UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS One Washington Square | San José, CA 95192 | 408-283-7500 | sjsu.edu

### 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 MySJSU for specific deadlines and tasks that need to be completed to ensure your enrollment.

### STAY COMMITTED TO THE PROCESS

There are consequences if you miss deadlines. Deadlines are very important 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 You risk having your admission withdrawn if you do not meet our deadlines and maintain your eligibility.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 prevent this from happening, sign in to MySJSU (one.sjsu.edu) every few days and thoroughly read any messages, To Do List items, or posted deadlines and take the requested action as soon as possible.

# **Congratulations on Your Admission!**

We are excited to welcome you to San José State University, the founding campus of the California State University (CSU) system. Please know you still have steps to take to stay admitted and officially enroll for Fall 2023. This guide includes detailed information to help you complete each of the required steps.

# **Checklist**

# Mandatory

- Submit your Intent to Enroll no later than 11:59 p.m. (Pacific Daylight Time) on Monday, May 1
  - Sign up for mandatory Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation)
  - Pay your nonrefundable enrollment deposit (\$250)
- Apply for Campus Housing (Optional)
- Complete requirements to determine first-year writing and math course placement
- Take any department-specific exams
- Complete the two-step COVID-19 Vaccination Self-Certification process by Monday, May 15
- Submit a photo for your Tower Card ID at myid.sjsu.edu by Thursday, June 1
- Complete Spartan Link Online Pre-Orientation module prior to attending mandatory Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation)
- Make your housing payment by Saturday, July 15 if you are planning to live on campus
- Submit final official transcripts, test scores and documents by Saturday, July 15
- Purchase health insurance through SJSU prior to registering for classes
- Complete Immigration Document Process
- Attend your mandatory Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation) session
- Pay your tuition and fees by Monday, August 14
- Attend Virtual Global Spartan Welcome (GSW)
- Complete online training programs on sexual violence and alcohol abuse prevention

### Important

- Read the SJSU Catalog for important information at catalog.sjsu.edu
- Read the SJSU Schedule of Classes at sjsu.edu/classes
  - Follow SJSU Enrollment Services on Instagram and Twitter: @SJSU\_ES

# **Frequently Asked Questions**

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

You will have your admission to SJSU revoked and your registration canceled. In particular, failure to submit your high school transcripts will result in your application being withdrawn, even if you have signed up for housing, attended orientation or registered for classes.

#### What if I am planning to take courses required for admission during the Summer 2023 term?

You may not use coursework from the Summer 2023 term to complete admission requirements.

#### What if I want to take the Fall semester off; can I defer admission to another term?

No, your admission offer is good for the Fall 2023 term only. You must attend at least one course during the Fall 2023 semester to maintain your admission. If you do not enroll in courses during the term of your admission and wish to be admitted for a later term, you must submit a new application for the next available term for which you meet the minimum requirements.

#### Can I change my major?

Because SJSU is an impacted campus, change of major cannot take place prior to the start of the term and is never guaranteed even after admission to SJSU. If you are Undeclared, you will receive more information about declaring your major during orientation.

# 2023-2024 Calendar

| March 2023     | Thursday, March 23                       | Submit official partial transcripts and documents                                       |  |
|----------------|--|---|--|
| May 2023       | Monday, May 1                            | Intent to Enroll deadline   |  |
| -              |  | Orientation fee/Enrollment deposit due (payment via Intent to Enroll)                   |  |
|                |  | Housing application deadline (University Housing Services)                              |  |
|                |  | International document deadline (MySJSU To Do List)                                     |  |
|                | Monday, May 15                           | Two-step COVID-19 self-certification due date   |  |
|                | Monday, May 29                           | Memorial Day – Campus Closed  |  |
| June 2023      | Early to mid June                        | Make sure to order your official high school transcripts with your graduation date to b |  |
|                |  | to SJSU by the deadline posted in MySJSU.   |  |
|                | Thursday, June 1                         | Deadline to submit a photo for your Tower Card (Student ID) at myid.sjsu.edu            |  |
|                | Monday, June 26 – Tuesday, June 27       | Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation) Session 1   |  |
|                | Thursday, June 29 – Friday, June 30      | Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation) Session 2   |  |
| July 2023      | Thursday, July 6 – Friday, July 7        | Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation) Session 3   |  |
|                | Tuesday, July 11 – Wednesday, July 12    | Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation) Session 4   |  |
|                | Friday, July 14 – Saturday, July 15      | Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation) Session 5   |  |
|                | Saturday, July 15                        | Housing payment due date  |  |
|                |  | Final official transcript/document due date   |  |
|                | Tuesday, July 18 – Wednesday July 19     | Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation) Session 6   |  |
| August 2023    | Sunday, August 6                         | International House contract move-in date   |  |
|                | Monday, August 14                        | Payment due date  |  |
|                | Tuesday, August 15 – Wednesday August 16 | University Housing Services move-in date  |  |
|                | Thursday, August 17                      | New Student Convocation (5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.)   |  |
|                | Friday, August 18                        | Advance registration ends   |  |
|                |  | Last day to drop for 100% refund  |  |
|                | Saturday, August 19 - Sunday, August 20  | Registration closed   |  |
|                | Monday, August 21                        | First day of instruction  |  |
|                |  | Late registration begins  |  |
| September 2023 | Monday, September 4                      | Labor Day (Campus closed for holiday)   |  |
|                | Thursday, September 14                   | Payment due date  |  |
|                | Friday, September 15                     | Last day to add classes via MySJSU  |  |
|                |  | Last day to drop classes without a "W" grade via MySJSU                                 |  |
|                |  | Last to submit audit  |  |
|                |  | Credit/No-Credit option request (DocuSign)  |  |
|                | Tuesday, September 19                    | Late drop petition required   |  |

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# Submit Intent to Enroll

NEXT STEPS nextsteps.sjsu.edu

UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS Live chat at sjsu.edu/admissions San José State needs to know if you intend to enroll so that we can plan for your enrollment in Fall 2023. To submit your intent to enroll, go to the Next Steps Intent to Enroll website (nextsteps.sjsu.edu) and complete the multi-step process by 11:59 p.m. (Pacific Daylight Time) on **Monday, May 1**. Note that if you do not meet this deadline we will assume that you do not want to attend SJSU and your admission will be withdrawn.

The Next Steps Intent to Enroll process includes accepting SJSU's offer of admission, signing up for mandatory orientation, and paying the \$250 nonrefundable enrollment deposit.

YES – I intend to enroll at SJSU for the Fall 2023 semester. (Please note: You may not defer your enrollment to a later semester.)

**NO** – I will not attend SJSU for the Fall 2023 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)
- Your SJSUOne password

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

# Sign Up for Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation)

**Sparta Camp is the mandatory two-day, in-person, overnight orientation program** that will introduce you to the campus and its resources, connect you to your college and major department, and provide you with critical academic planning information. All admitted students are required to attend this overnight mandatory orientation for the entire duration of the program. The cost to attend orientation is \$180 and will be included in your \$250 enrollment deposit.

Before attending Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation), complete Spartan Link (spartanlink.sjsu.edu) Online Pre-Orientation.

# Overnight housing accommodations will be provided to students. A pillow and blanket, two sheets, pillowcase, and towel/washcloth will be provided.

During orientation, we will:

- Discuss and explain key university services
- · Facilitate connections with other staff, faculty and your fellow incoming students
- · Host a General Education advising workshop to help in planning your academic schedule

If you do not attend, or leave during any portion of the program, you will be blocked from registering for classes and will not be able to attend SJSU in Fall 2023. Students who arrive late will not be allowed to attend the program.

Parents and family members are invited to attend the Parent and Family Orientation, held concurrently with your Sparta Camp session. Registration for parents and families is located in the SJSU Parent and Family Portal (sjsu.campusesp.com).

For more information, contact New Student and Family Programs at frosh-orientation@sjsu.edu or visit sjsu.edu/newspartans and use our Live Chat feature.

Sign up for the mandatory Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation) at nextsteps.sjsu.edu

Students requesting Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation) accommodations due to disability limitations(s) must register with the Accessible Education Center. Register online at tinyurl.com/AECreg

nextsteps.sjsu.edu

**NEXT STEPS** 

ONLINE PRE-ORIENTATION spartanlink.sjsu.edu

NEW STUDENT AND FAMILY PROGRAMS 408-924-5972 sjsu.edu/newspartans

# Step 3 Pay Enrollment Deposit

NEXT STEPS nextsteps.sjsu.edu In order to complete the Next Steps Intent to Enroll process and reserve your spot to attend SJSU, you must submit your nonrefundable enrollment deposit by the deadline. You will be prompted to pay your nonrefundable enrollment deposit online via a link provided in your Next Steps portal. The \$250 enrollment deposit includes your \$180 orientation payment and a deposit of \$70 towards your tuition and fees for Fall 2023.

**Please note:** The \$250 enrollment deposit is nonrefundable, even if you do not enroll in classes for the Fall 2023 semester. Pay your enrollment deposit at nextsteps.sjsu.edu



Mechanical Engineering

# Apply for Campus Housing (Optional)

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

Step 4

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

### **University Housing Services**

If you would like to stay on campus while attending 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 Fall 2023 semester. (Please note there is a separate application for the International House.)

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

To fill out a housing application, visit sjsu.edu/housing and fulfill the following requirements:

- A completed online University Housing application
- A \$50 nonrefundable application fee
- · Pay initial payment

Students requesting housing accommodations due to disability limitation(s) must register with the Accessible Education Center. Register online at tinyurl.com/AECreg

## **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, semester and year exchange, and English language programs.

I-House stays open year-round with per diem rates during summer and winter breaks. One semester contracts are offered. 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

### STEP 4: APPLY FOR CAMPUS HOUSING CONTINUED

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

#### **INTERNATIONAL HOUSE**

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

SPARTAN EATS CAMPUS DINING dineoncampus.com/SJSU

### **Housing Costs**

Housing rent is based on double occupancy, furnished units with a 10-month contract. Rent includes basic utilities, WiFi Internet access and furniture. Please note: Rent amounts are subject to change. To view the most up-to-date costs for our housing facilities, visit sjsu.edu/housing and sjsu.edu/ihouse

| Housing Options                             | Description  | Residents   | Rent for<br>School Year |
|---|--|---|-------------------------|
| Campus Village Suites –<br>Building C "CVC" | Seven-story building: Four-bedroom units   | Frosh, Sophomores, Juniors,<br>Seniors, Graduate Students | \$12,950                |
| Campus Village 2 "CV2"                      | Ten-story building: Traditional hall   | Frosh, Sophomores, Juniors,<br>Seniors, Graduate Students | \$13,724                |
| Joe West & Washburn Hall<br>"The Classics"  | Twelve-story building (Joe West) &<br>Three-story building (Washburn Hall):<br>Traditional halls | Frosh, Sophomores, Juniors,<br>Seniors, Graduate Students | \$10,235                |
| International House "I-House"               | Large residence near campus.<br>Home to 70 U.S. and international students                       | Frosh, Sophomores, Juniors,<br>Seniors, Graduate Students | \$11,350                |

### **Meal Plans**

**CV2, CVC, Joe West Hall, and Washburn Hall all require mandatory full meal plans.** There are a variety of meal plans offered, including plans offering a limited number of meals per semester. Students are sure to find one that fits their needs.

Please note: Meal plan amounts are subject to change. More information on current meal plan options can be found at dineoncampus.com/SJSU

| Housing Options                             | Meal Plan Options  | Semester           | School Year        | Meal Plan and Rent<br>for School Year                                      |
|---|--|--------------------|--------------------|--|
| Campus Village Suites –<br>Building C "CVC" |  | \$2,756<br>\$3,245 | \$5,512<br>\$6,490 | \$18,462 (5-day Gold)<br>\$19,440 (7-day Platinum)                         |
| Campus Village 2 –<br>"CV2"                 | 5-day Gold (Monday – Friday)<br>7-day Platinum (Monday – Sunday)         |                    |                    | \$19,236 (5-day Gold)<br>\$20,214 (7-day Platinum)                         |
| Joe West & Washburn Halls<br>"The Classics" |  |                    |                    | \$15,747 (5-day Gold)<br>\$16,725 (7-day Platinum)                         |
| International House "I-House"               | Meals prepared onsite at I-House + swipes/Dining dollars in the Commons. | \$3,128            | \$6,256            | \$17,606 (full meal plan<br>required; one semester<br>contracts available) |

\*A swipe is how you pay when you eat at the dining hall known as The Commons. Your meal plan includes a certain number of all-you-care-to-enjoy meals stored on your student ID Card. One swipe will be used each time you enter The Commons.

### REFLECTION ON COLLEGE WRITING INFORMATION sjsu.edu/english/frosh

DEGREE PROGRAM INFORMATION catalog.sjsu.edu

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE, ENGINEERING AND BUSINESS EXAM INFORMATION sjsu.edu/math/calculus

### 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 catalog.sjsu.edu

# **Determine** First Year Writing and Math Course Placement

To facilitate appropriate first-year course placement, the CSU evaluates your academic preparation in two areas: written communication and math/quantitative reasoning.

The evaluation takes into account several factors, including overall grade point average, mathematics grade point average, completed terms of secondary coursework, grades in certain senior-year classes, the Reflection on College Writing, and scores on standardized tests such as the SAT, ACT, CAASPP/EAP, CLEP, Advanced Placement, Advanced Level, Advanced Subsidiary, and International Baccalaureate examinations.

Though SJSU will not consider SAT/ACT scores in our evaluation of your record for admission, please submit any available official SAT/ACT scores as they could help determine your first-year course placement.

# **First Year Writing Course Placement**

Freshmen entering SJSU will complete an online Reflection on College Writing exercise to explore writing at SJSU and to choose the course they need. The online exercise is offered through Canvas (SJSU's online course tool). Be alert for emails and MySJSU messages about the Reflection on College Writing. To ensure that you will be able to register for your first-year writing course during Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation), complete all modules in your Reflection on College Writing at least two weeks prior to your orientation session. Messages and emails will be posted if there are sections that are not fully complete; be sure to monitor MySJSU and your @sjsu.edu email account. For more information about the Reflection on College Writing, please visit sjsu.edu/english/frosh

### **First Year Math Course Placement**

Your math placement is dependent upon your major and your enrollment category. You can confirm your major by reviewing your admission letter. To determine your math course placement and whether you may need to participate in preliminary coursework this summer, please complete both of the following:

- Determine if your major requires Calculus by viewing the Majors Requiring Calculus (STEM) list at sjsu.edu/supportedinstruction/first-year-course-placement/math-quantitative-reasoning
- If your major requires Calculus, please review the Precalculus Proficiency Assessment section below -AND-
- Identify your math enrollment category by following the instructions at sjsu.edu/supportedinstruction/first-year-course-placement/math-quantitative-reasoning

### **Precalculus Proficiency Assessment**

If your major requires calculus, you will be required to take the Precalculus Proficiency Assessment (PPA) unless:

• You have earned a three or better on the AP Calculus Exam. Request to have the appropriate testing agency send your official score report to SJSU as soon as it is available.)

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• You have earned a "C-" or better in a transferable Pre-Calculus level course at a community college. (Send us your official transcript reflecting this work as soon as possible.)

To register for the PPA, please visit sjsu.edu/testing/tests/sjsu-exams/precalculus-assessment. Students requesting testing accommodations due to disability limitation(s) must register with the Accessible Education Center at least one month prior to testing. Register online at sjsu.edu/aec/students/register-with-aec

For details, exemptions, and other criteria visit sjsu.edu/math/calculus

If you took the Calculus AP exam in high school and have not yet sent us your scores, please contact the Testing Office at testing-office@sjsu.edu to determine your next steps.

If you feel that your assigned mathematics enrollment category is not accurate, you may submit an appeal. For your appeal to have merit, it must bring to light new or missing information that was not considered in the original determination. Transfer coursework submitted after the transcript deadline or test scores sent after the official test score deadline are the basis for an appeal. For more information, please refer to sjsu.edu/supportedinstruction/appeals

# Submit Proof of Vaccination and Immunizations

HEALTH ADVISORY INFORMATION sjsu.edu/healthadvisories

IMMUNIZATION INFORMATION sjsu.edu/medical/services/ immunizations

COVID-19 VACCINE SELF-CERTIFICATION FORM sjsu.edu/medical/covid19/covidvaccine.php

### **COVID-19 Vaccination Requirement**

The deadline for incoming Fall 2023 students to complete their two-step COVID-19 self-certification requirement is **May 15, 2023**.

Per California State University (CSU) policy, students, faculty and staff must be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 if they are accessing campus facilities at any university location across the 23 campuses. Individuals are considered fully vaccinated after receiving all doses of a CDC-recommended COVID-19 vaccine, including booster shots. The CSU's COVID-19 vaccination policy will allow medical and religious exemptions. For updated information on COVID-19 vaccine requirement policy, please visit the Health Advisories website at sjsu.edu/healthadvisories

# **Submit Proof of Vaccination**

You must complete both of the following steps to meet the May 15, 2023 deadline for compliance.

#### Step 1: Complete the COVID-19 Vaccine Self-Certification form in MySJSU.

You will be asked to certify your current vaccination status or indicate if you qualify for a religious or medical exemption. Students requesting a religious exemption can upload their supporting documentation as an attachment on the COVID-19 Vaccine Self- Certification form. Please visit sjsu.edu/medical/covid19/covid-vaccine.php to download a copy of the religious exemption form.

#### Step 2: Submit proof of COVID-19 vaccination in the Student Health Center Patient Portal.

You will need to submit proof of your COVID-19 vaccination record and/or request for a medical exemption by signing in to the Student Health Center Patient Portal at sjsuportal.pointnclick.com

Proof can include a scanned/photocopy of your vaccine card or a record containing all of the following: full name, date of birth, manufacturer/brand of vaccine, vaccine lot number, administration date and site. Please ensure all information is visible and legible in English to prevent delays in verification.

The status will read "awaiting review" in the Medical Clearances section once submitted.

### **Additional Required Immunizations**

In addition, as a new student, you will also need to provide proof of the following immunizations prior to the first day of classes:

- Measles, Mumps and Rubella Vaccine
- Varicella (Chicken Pox Vaccine)
- Tetanus/Pertussis/Diphtheria Booster (Tdap)
- Meningococcal conjugate
- Hepatitis B Vaccine

For more information on current requirements and how to submit proof, visit sjsu.edu/medical/services/immunizations.php

# **Complete** Immigration Document Process

### INTERNATIONAL STUDENT AND SCHOLAR SERVICES (ISSS) sjsu.edu/isss 408-924-5920

international-office@sjsu.edu

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VISA INTERVIEW INFORMATION sjsu.edu/isss/new-students/prearrival/visa-interview

### F-1 Visas

### Coming from a U.S. Institution

To complete this process, you must do the following: Show your admission letter and the SJSU "SEVIS Transfer In Form" to your current school's international office.

You can find the form at sjsu.edu/isss/resources/student-forms

This form is not mandatory but optional; it is used to let your current institution know that you wish to transfer to SJSU. Once your current institution sends your electronic I-20 document through SEVIS, then you will receive a Transfer-Pending Form I-20 from SJSU.

#### 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
- Other supporting documents, as indicated on the website of the U.S. Embassy or Consulate you will be visiting

For more information on preparing for a visa interview, visit sjsu.edu/isss/new-students/pre-arrival/visa-interview

#### **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 (must be valid for at least six months after the date of entry)
- F-1 visa stamp, valid at the time of entry
- Form I-20, must be valid
- Proof of financial support and resources reflected on Form I-20
- Tuition and/or Housing receipt(s), if you have 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 sisu.edu/isss/new-students/pre-arrival/visa-interview

Upon arrival at SJSU, you must complete your Immigration Document Check–In at the Office of International Student and Scholar Services (ISSS). For more information, visit sjsu.edu/isss

# Submit Final Official Transcripts (with Graduation Date)

### INTERNATIONAL STUDENT AND SCHOLAR SERVICES (ISSS) sjsu.edu/isss

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

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VISA INTERVIEW INFORMATION sjsu.edu/isss/new-students/prearrival/visa-interview We will review your final official transcripts 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 Saturday, July 15.

You will also be required to submit official college transcripts for any courses completed at a community college.

If you have AP, IB or CLEP exam results, please have official score reports sent to SJSU by the testing agency as soon as they are available.



# Attend Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation)

NEW STUDENT AND FAMILY PROGRAMS sjsu.edu/newspartans 408–924–5972 frosh-orientation@sjsu.edu

> PARENT AND FAMILY ORIENTATION REGISTRATION sjsu.campusesp.com

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Sparta Camp is the mandatory two-day in-person, overnight orientation program that will introduce you to the campus and its resources, connect you to your college and major department, and provide you with critical academic planning information. All admitted students are required to attend this mandatory orientation for the entire duration of the program.

## Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation) Sessions:

Session 1: Monday, June 26 - Tuesday, June 27, 2023 Session 2: Thursday, June 29 - Friday, June 30, 2023 Session 3: Thursday, July 6 - Friday, July 7, 2023 Session 4: Tuesday, July 11 - Wednesday, July 12, 2023 Session 5: Friday, July 14 - Saturday, July 15, 2023 Session 6: Tuesday, July 18 - Wednesday, July 19, 2023 \*Overnight housing accommodations will be provided to students. A pillow and blanket, two

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Parents and family members are invited to attend the Parent and Family Orientation, held concurrently with your Sparta Camp session. Registration for parents and families is located in the SJSU Parent and Family Portal (sjsu.campusesp.com)

# **Disability Accommodations**

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 mandatory orientation dates.

For more information about Sparta Camp (Frosh Orientation), contact New Student and Family Programs at frosh-orientation@sjsu.edu or 408-924-5972 or visit sjsu.edu/newspartans



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# Step 10 Pay Tuition and Fees

SCHOLARSHIP AND FINANCING INFORMATION sjsu.edu/faso/types-of-aid/ scholarships/international-students

PAYMENT PLAN OPTION INFORMATION sjsu.edu/bursar/payment-refunds/ installment-payment-plan Fees are due after registering for your classes. To see your payment due date, check MySJSU 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

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

### **Payment Due Dates**

August 14, 2023 September 14, 2023

### **Costs of Attendance**

Amounts are based on full-time attendance (12 units per semester) for a nine-month academic year. More detailed information about tuition and fees can be found at sjsu.edu/bursar. Costs of Attendance tables can be found on sjsu.edu/faso/process/cost-of-attendance

| Tuition Fees      | \$17,403 |
|-------------------|----------|
| Living Expenses   | \$24,527 |
| Medical Insurance | \$2,250  |

Total (required for Declaration of Finance)

\$44,180

\* Tuition Fees include \$396.00 per unit for non-residents of California

# 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 initial fee payments are made, to increase or modify any listed fees, 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).

### **Third Party Sponsors**

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, 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 sjsu.edu/bursar/how-we-can-help/other-campus-services.php

# **Financial Aid**

Please note that international students are not eligible for federal or state financial aid.

# **Scholarships**

Scholarships are available to international students through SJSU's Financial Aid & Scholarship Office. International students are only eligible for scholarships that are merit-based. Need-based scholarships are part of financial aid, which is unavailable to international students. To get more information on scholarships, visit the SJSU Financial Aid & Scholarship Office.

### STEP 10: PAY TUITION AND FEES CONTINUED

PAYMENT PLAN OPTION INFORMATION sjsu.edu/bursar/payment-refunds/ installment-payment-plan

### SPARTAN BOOKSTORE CHARGES

sjsu.edu/bursar/our-services/ spartan-bookstore-voucher

INTERNATIONAL WIRE TRANSFER INFORMATION sjsu.edu/bursar/payment-refunds/ methods-payment/international

REFUND AND DIRECT DEPOSIT INFORMATION sjsu.edu/bursar/payment-refunds/ refunds

### **Installment Payment Plans**

The university offers payment plans to assist students and their families in making their payments over a period of time. Two payment plans are offered for the Fall and Spring semesters:

- Tuition and fees payment plan
- · Housing payment plan

Students may sign up for both plans if needed and each payment plan has a \$35 fee. The initial payment includes campus mandatory fees, optional Student Involvement and Representation (SIRF) fee, First Day Solutions charges and miscellaneous class fees. These fees must be paid by your payment due date and are not included in the installments.

Eligible charges that can be divided into the installment payments include tuition fees, non-California resident fees, and graduate professional business program fees. A student must have a minimum of \$1,000 in eligible charges to qualify for the payment plan.

Visit sjsu.edu/bursar/payment-refunds/installment-payment-plan for more information.

### **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 the fee schedule.

Learn more at sjsu.edu/bursar/payment-refunds/methods-payment/international

### **Field Trip Fees**

A few courses have additional field trip fees ranging from \$11 to \$52.

### **Special or Optional Fees**

Parking permits are available for students. A daily one-semester parking permit is estimated at \$192.

### Refunds

Students are highly encouraged to enroll in Direct Deposit. With Direct Deposit, you receive your refund several days quicker than a paper check and more securely. To enroll, log in to MySJSU, scroll to Finances and select Enroll in Direct Deposit. To learn more visit sjsu.edu/bursar/payment-refunds/refunds

### **Bookstore Charges**

Registered students can charge books and supplies purchased at the Spartan Bookstore to their MySJSU student account up to \$900 per semester. For more details visit sjsu.edu/bursar/our-services/spartan-bookstore-voucher

### **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.

# Purchase Health Insurance

LEARN HOW TO PURCHASE HEALTH INSURANCE sjsu.edu/isss/resources/health-insurance SJSU requires all students to have medical insurance, and all international students are required to purchase the SJSU health insurance coverage prior to registering for classes. You can register for the mandatory SJSU health insurance online. This is required even if you already have insurance coverage in your home country, from family, or other sources. Learn how to enroll at sjsu.edu/isss/resources/health-insurance

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 international-office@sjsu.edu or 408–924–5920.



# Step 12 Attend Global Spartan Welcome

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT GLOBAL SPARTAN WELCOME sjsu.edu/isss/events/global-welcome Students who will be attending SJSU on an F-1 Visa are required to attend Global Spartan Welcome (GSW), a program specifically for international students. During the Global Spartan Welcome, you will receive information on how to maintain your F-1 status and other useful information to help you adjust to your new life at SJSU. More details can be found on the Global Spartan Welcome page on the ISSS website and will be sent to you through your MySJSU and sjsu.edu email account.

Please check your email regularly for communication from ISSS regarding the required documents and information to complete your immigration check-in and maintain your F-1 status. The immigration document check-in process is a federal requirement.



# **Important Resources**



SJSU'S OFFICIAL MASCOT IS THE SPARTAN

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES AND RIGHTS INFORMATION catalog.sjsu.edu

STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT INFORMATION sjsu.edu/studentconduct/policies

STUDENT WITH DISABILITIES INFORMATION sjsu.edu/aec

> TITLE IX INFORMATION sjsu.edu/titleix

### **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 section of the SJSU Catalog (catalog.sjsu.edu) 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 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

## **Students with Disabilities**

The Accessible Education Center (AEC) provides academically related accommodations and services for students with disabilities. To qualify, students must complete an AEC application and meet with an AEC Counselor. A wide spectrum of accommodations/services/auxiliary aides are available to students based on individual needs. Accommodations include, but are not limited to: consideration for priority registration, note takers, sign language interpreters/captioners, test accommodations, academic counseling, disability management and assistive technology training.

Students can register with the AEC anytime during the semester; however, it is recommended students provide the AEC with disability verification as soon as possible to assist them. Visit AEC's website (sjsu.edu/aec) for more information.

### **Statement of Nondiscrimination**

The California State University (CSU) is committed to maintaining an inclusive community that values diversity and fosters tolerance and mutual respect. CSU does not discriminate, and does not tolerate discrimination, on the basis of sex or gender, which includes gender identity (including transgender), gender expression, sexual orientation or sex stereotype in its education programs or activities. Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, and certain other federal and state laws, prohibit discrimination on the basis of sex or gender or sexual orientation in employment, as well as in all education programs and activities operated by the University (both on and off campus). The protection against discrimination on the basis of gender or sexual orientation includes sexual harassment, sexual misconduct, and dating and domestic violence and stalking.

The Office of Equal Opportunity is responsible for oversight of compliance with non-discrimination, harassment, and retaliation based on Age, Disability (physical and mental), Genetic Information, Marital Status, Medical Condition, Nationality, Race or Ethnicity (including color or ancestry, Religion (or Religious Creed), and/or Veteran Status or Military Status, and other characteristics that make our community unique.

For more information related to Title IX including who to contact and links to policies, visit sjsu.edu/titleix

# Contacts

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

FACULTY, STAFF AND DEPARTMENTAL DIRECTORY sjsu.edu/directory

#### **Accessible Education Center**

aec-info@sjsu.edu 408-924-6000

### Admissions (Undergraduate Admissions Office)

Via live chat at sjsu.edu/admissions International Admissions: international-admission@sjsu.edu 408-283-7500

### Athletics

408-924-1200 Twitter: @SJSUAthletics Instagram: SJSUSpartans Facebook: SJSUSpartans

Bookstore 408-924-1800

Career Center careerhelp@sjsu.edu 408-924-6031

#### **Class Schedules**

College Student Success Center academic.advising@sjsu.edu 408-924-2129

Financial Aid and Scholarship Office fao@sjsu.edu 408-283-7500

Housing (International House, I-House) ihouse@sjsu.edu 408-924-6570

Housing (University Housing Services) uhs-frontdesk@sjsu.edu 408-795-5600

International Recruitment and Partnerships global-students@sjsu.edu 408-924-2670

International Student and Scholar Services international-office@sjsu.edu 408-924-5920

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

All information, dates, test scores, and fees subject to change without notice. This brochure is available in alternative formats (braille, digital, etc.) upon request.

Instagram: @sjsulibrary Twitter: @sjsulibrary 408-808-2300

#### **Maps/Directions to SJSU**

sjsu.edu/about\_sjsu/visiting sjsu.edu/map/directions

New Student and Family Programs (for Sparta Camp questions) frosh-orientation@sjsu.edu 408-924-5972

Parking Purchase parking permits only online parking@sjsu.edu

Registration (Registrar's Office) registrar@sjsu.edu 408-283-7500, option 3

#### **Spartan Eats Dining Services**

### Student Wellness Center

Health Center: 408-924-6122 Counseling and Psychological Services: 408-924-5910

Testing Office

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

#### Tours of SJSU

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

#### **Transportation Solutions**

transportation@sjsu.edu 408-924-7433

#### Tuition (Bursar's Office)

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

#### **Tutoring and Mentoring Services (Peer Connections)**

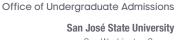
peerconnections@sjsu.edu 408-924-2587

### **CONNECT WITH SJSU**

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