

SAN JOSÉ STATE UNIVERSITY

Steps to Enrollment

INTERNATIONAL | SPRING 2021

Transfers



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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 You risk having your admission withdrawn if you do not meet our deadlines and maintain your eligibility.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 your MySJSU student account (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 Spring 2021, which are outlined in this guide.

Checklist

Mandatory

- Submit your Intent to Enroll no later than 11:59 p.m. (Pacific Daylight Time) on **Tuesday, December 1**
- Sign up for Virtual Transfer Orientation (Mandatory)
- Pay your nonrefundable Enrollment Deposit
- Apply for Campus Housing (Optional)
- Register for Classes
- Pay Your Tuition and Fees
- Complete Spartan Link Online Pre-Orientation prior to attending mandatory Transfer Orientation
- If coming from another school in the U.S., submit the SJSU Transfer In Form
- Complete Immigration Document Process
- Purchase health insurance through SJSU prior to registering for classes
- Attend Virtual Transfer Orientation (Mandatory)
- Attend Virtual Global Spartan Welcome (GSW)
- Submit Required Proof of Immunization
- Complete online training programs on sexual violence and alcohol abuse prevention
- Take the Writing Skills Test (WST) Directed Self-Placement Exercise

Important

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

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

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. Failure to submit your transcript will result in your application being withdrawn, even if you have signed up for housing and attended orientation.

What if I am taking courses required for admission during the Fall 2020 term?

You may not use coursework from the Fall 2020 term to complete admission requirements

Can I defer admission to another term?

No, your admission is good for one term only. If you wish to be considered for a later term, you must submit a new application for the next available term for which you meet the minimum requirements.

What if I'm a California Community College transfer?

- Keep your own copy of the general education plan from your community college.
- Keep track of the courses you've completed to meet the GE requirements.
- Work with our academic advisors to complete remaining courses at SJSU.

Can I change my major?

Due to space limits in many SJSU departments, you may not change your major before the term starts. Note that change of major is never guaranteed, even after admission to SJSU.

2020-2021 Calendar

December 2020	Tuesday, December 1	Intent to Enroll deadline (last day to accept SJSU's offer of admission)
	Thursday, December 10	Payment Due Date (if registered between October 27, 2020 – December 5, 2020)
January 2021	Friday, January 1	On-campus housing opens for Spring 2021 semester Check in at 5 p.m
	Saturday, January 9	Payment Due Date (if registered between October 27, 2020 - December 5, 2020)
	Wednesday, January 13	Virtual Transfer Orientation Session Date
	Friday, January 15	Virtual Transfer Orientation Session Date
	Monday, January 18	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (Holiday) – campus closed
	Sunday, January 24	Advance Registration ends
	Monday, January 25 – Tuesday, January 26	Registration closed
	Wednesday, January 27	First day of instruction Late Registration Begins on MySJSU after 7am (Ends February 15)
	Wednesday, January 27 – Monday, February 15	Late Registration period
	February 2021	Monday, February 8
Tuesday, February 9		Payment Due Date (if registered between January 5, 2021 – February 4, 2021)
Monday, February 15		Last day to add courses via MySJSU Last day to submit Audit/Credit/No Credit grading option
March 2021	Monday, March 29 – Friday, April 2	Spring Recess - no classes
	Wednesday, March 31	Cesar Chavez Day (Holiday) – campus closed
April 2021	Thursday, April 22	Last Day to withdraw for Spring
May 2021	Monday, May 17	Last day of instruction for Spring
	Wednesday, May 19 - Friday, May 21 and Monday, May 24 – Tuesday, May 25	Final exams
	Saturday, May 29	Initial Spring 2021 grades viewable via MySJSU account
	Monday, May 31	Memorial Day (Holiday) – campus closed
June 2021	Wednesday, June 9	Academic Standing & Current Semester Grades Posted on MySJSU & Transcripts

Step 1

Submit Intent to Enroll

NEXT STEPS

<https://nextsteps.sjsu.edu>

San José State will need to know if you plan on attending in Spring 2021. Go to the Next Steps Intent to Enroll website (<https://nextsteps.sjsu.edu>) and tell us your plans. You must complete the multi-step Next Steps Intent to Enroll process by 11:59 p.m. (Pacific Standard Time) on **Tuesday, December 1** or your admission will be withdrawn.

The process includes accepting SJSU's offer of admission, signing up for any necessary placement exams, signing up for mandatory orientation, and paying the enrollment deposit.

YES – I intend to enroll at SJSU for the Spring 2021 semester.

(Please note: You may not defer your enrollment to a later semester.)

NO – I will not attend SJSU for the Spring 2021 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.



Nikola
Biological Science/
Systems Physiology

Step 2

Sign Up for Transfer Orientation (Spartan Experience for Transfers)

NEXT STEPS

<https://nextsteps.sjsu.edu>

SPARTAN LINK

<https://spartanlink.sjsu.edu>

NEW STUDENT AND FAMILY PROGRAMS

408-924-5972
sjsu.edu/newspartans

Spartan Experience for Transfers is a mandatory one-day 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. The cost to attend orientation is \$80 and will be included in your enrollment deposit.

Before attending Transfer Orientation, complete Spartan Link (<https://spartanlink.sjsu.edu>) Online Pre-Orientation.

During orientation, you will:

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

Trained Orientation Leaders will:

- Answer some of your initial questions
- Guide you through educational experiences about campus programs and services
- Assist you in making the transition to college

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 Spring 2021. Students who arrive late will not be allowed to attend the program.

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

Sign up for the mandatory Transfer Orientation at <https://nextsteps.sjsu.edu>



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Step 3

Pay Enrollment Deposit

NEXT STEPS
<https://nextsteps.sjsu.edu>

In order to complete the Next Steps Intent to Enroll process, you will be prompted to pay your enrollment deposit online via a link provided in your Next Steps portal. You must submit a nonrefundable enrollment deposit to complete your Intent to Enroll by the deadline. The nonrefundable \$80 Enrollment Deposit covers the cost of orientation and reserves your spot to attend SJSU. **Please note: The \$80 Enrollment Deposit is non-refundable, even if you do not enroll in classes for the Spring 2021 semester.**

Pay your enrollment deposit at <https://nextsteps.sjsu.edu>



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Business Administration/
International Business

Sarah
Nursing

Step 4

Apply for Campus Housing

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

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

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 Spring 2021 semester. **(Please note there is a separate application for the International House.)**

University Housing Services

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 non-refundable application fee
- Pay Initial Payment

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 offers a one-semester contract and is expected to re-open for Fall 2021. I-House stays open year-round with per diem rates during summer and winter breaks. 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

* 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.

UNIVERSITY HOUSING SERVICES

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SPARTAN EATS CAMPUS DINING

dineoncampus.com/SJSU

Housing Costs

Housing rent is based on double occupancy, furnished units with a 10-month contract. One semester contract available at International House. Rent includes basic utilities, wi-fi internet access, internet-based TV and furniture. Please note rent amounts are subject to change.

To view the most up-to-date costs for our housing facilities, visit housing.sjsu.edu and sjsu.edu/ihouse

Housing Options	Description	Residents	Rent for School Year
Campus Village Apartments – Building A “CVA”	Eight-story building: Efficiencies, one and two bedroom units and bed spaces	Juniors, Seniors, Graduate Students, Faculty and Staff	\$11,856
Campus Village Apartments – Building B “CVB”	Fifteen-story building: Studios, three, four and five-bedroom units	Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors, Graduate Students	\$11,469
International House “I-House” Re-opening Fall 2021	Large residence near campus. Home to 70 U.S. and international students	Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors, Graduate Students	\$11,020

Meal Plans (optional)

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 that 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 for School Year
Campus Village Apartments – Building A “CVA”	↑	↑	↑	\$11,856 (no meal plan)
	60 Swipes* per Semester	\$1,325	\$2,650	\$14,506 (60 swipes)
	125 Swipes* per Semester	\$1,720	\$3,440	\$15,296 (125 swipes)
Campus Village Apartments – Building B “CVB”	↓	↓	↓	\$16,026 (165 swipes)
	165 Swipes* per Semester	\$2,085	\$4,170	\$11,469 (no meal plan)
				\$14,119 (60 swipes)
				\$14,909 (125 swipes)
				\$15,639 (165 swipes)
International House “I-House”	2-3 meals/day prepared on-site at I-House + 50 swipes in the Commons on campus	\$2,952	\$5,904	\$16,924 room and board annually (full meal plan; one semester contract available)

Step 5

Purchase Health Insurance

ENROLL ONLINE FOR HEALTH INSURANCE

sjsu.edu/iss/resources/health-insurance

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT AND SCHOLAR SERVICES

408-924-5920

international-office@sjsu.edu

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/iss/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.



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Business Administration/
Accounting

Step 6

Register for Classes

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES
sjsu.edu/classes

SJSU CATALOG
catalog.sjsu.edu

WRITING SKILLS TEST (WST) INFORMATION
testing.sjsu.edu/wst

You will register for classes in your MySJSU student account once you have an enrollment appointment. SJSU anticipates posting enrollment appointments in mid-December.

Registration Appointments

To receive a registration appointment, you must submit official transcripts by the date posted on your MySJSU "To Do List". Be sure to send official transcripts by the deadline posted. Send official transcripts to verify your eligibility to enroll as early as possible to minimize delays in the assignment of your registration appointment.

Transfer Orientation (Mandatory Orientation)

To maintain your eligibility to enroll, you must attend your scheduled virtual Transfer Orientation (mandatory orientation) session.

Registering for Courses

Sign in to one.sjsu.edu > click "MySJSU" > navigate to "Student Center" > click "Enroll" under "Academics" section > choose the semester you want to enroll > click "Continue".

You can now select the class to add. The SJSU Schedule of Classes has the specific class number codes and section numbers you'll need to register.

Registration Holds

If you have a registration hold, logon MySJSU, go to self-service, look for the "hold" box on the right column, click "details" to find out how to resolve your hold. If you do not have a hold, you may begin to register at your appointment time. (You do not need to come in person or call us to register.)

Late Registration

After the initial registration period (Advance Registration) ends, you may still register, but not until the first day of instruction. Late registrants are assessed a \$25 late fee. Late registration is dependent on the space available. Getting the classes you want may be very difficult.

STEP 6: REGISTER FOR CLASSES CONTINUED

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

sjsu.edu/classes

SJSU CATALOG

catalog.sjsu.edu

ACADEMIC ADVISING AND RETENTION SERVICES (AARS)

sjsu.edu/aars

408-924-2129

What will I need to register for classes?

- A file of your SJSU admission information, including admission letters, grade reports, copies of transcripts from other schools, placement test scores, and everything related to your enrollment.
- Attend all segments of the mandatory orientation.
- The SJSU Catalog for descriptions of classes, major and minor requirements, available at catalog.sjsu.edu

Once I've registered, can I change my schedule?

If work or family obligations require you to change your schedule, you may make changes to your class schedule before the last day to drop classes.

Important note: before dropping any class(es) from your schedule to enroll in a different class, be sure you can successfully add the other course(s). Classes at SJSU fill up quickly. If a course you want is full, search for open sections via MySJSU. Or, place yourself on the class waitlist. It is not guaranteed that you will be able to enroll into waitlisted courses.

Can I still get academic advising in Academic Advising and Retention Services if my transcripts have not been fully evaluated?

Yes. The advisors will advise you on general university expectations and graduation requirements, including general education course requirements. However, once you get your transcript fully evaluated by Admissions, you must meet with an Academic Advisor again to re-examine your general education checklist and progress toward degree completion because changes to your academic plan may have to be made. This is essential if you plan to graduate in a timely manner.

What if I don't register for the spring 2021 semester?

Your admission is only good for the spring 2021 semester. If you do not register for classes for spring 2021, you will lose your admission and will have to reapply for the next available term.

Registration Timeline

October 2020	Tuesday, October 27	Advanced Registration Started
January 2021	Sunday, January 24	Advanced Registration Ends
	Wednesday, January 27	Late Registration Begins
February 2021	Monday, February 15	Late Registration Ends

Step 7

Pay Tuition and Fees

**PAYMENT PLAN
INFORMATION AND
PAYMENT DUE DATES**
sjsu.edu/bursar

**THIRD PARTY SPONSORED
PAYMENT INFORMATION**
[sjsu.edu/bursar/services/
sponsors/3rd_party](https://sjsu.edu/bursar/services/sponsors/3rd_party)

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

Payment Due Dates

Thursday, December 10

Saturday, January 9

Tuesday, February 9

Costs of Attendance

Amounts are based on full-time attendance (12 units per semester) for a nine-month academic year. More detailed information about fees can be found at sjsu.edu/bursar

Tuition and Fees*	\$17,356
Living Expenses	\$22,879
Health Insurance	\$2,180
TOTAL	\$42,415

*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/services/sponsors/3rd_party

STEP 7: PAY TUITION AND FEES CONTINUED

SCHOLARSHIP AND FINANCING INFORMATION

sjsu.edu/faso/Scholarships/International_Students

PAYMENT PLAN OPTIONS

sjsu.edu/bursar/payment_refunds/installments

INTERNATIONAL WIRE TRANSFER INFORMATION

sjsu.edu/bursar/payment_refunds/methods/international_wire_transfer

REFUND AND DIRECT DEPOSIT INFORMATION

sjsu.edu/bursar

INFORMATION ON CHARGING BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

sjsu.edu/bursar/services

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 [SJSU Financial Aid & Scholarship Office](https://sjsu.edu/bursar)

Installment Payment Plans

There are two installment plans, one for tuition and fees and one for on-campus housing. There are enrollment fees to participate for each. Please note: Students are not able to sign-up for the payment plans until charges actually appear on their account, either tuition and fees, or housing charges. For payment plan options, visit sjsu.edu/bursar/payment_refunds/installments

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/international_wire_transfer

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

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/services

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.

Step 8

Complete Immigration Document Process

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT AND SCHOLAR SERVICES (ISSS)

sjsu.edu/iss
408-924-5920

international-office@sjsu.edu

VISA INTERVIEW INFORMATION

sjsu.edu/iss/new-students/pre-arrival/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 under SJSU “Transfer In Form” heading at sjsu.edu/iss/docs/SJSU%20Transfer%20IN%20Form%20F-1%20students%20-%20May%202019.pdf

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/isa/new/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 sjsu.edu/iss/new-students/pre-arrival/visa-interview

Upon arrival to 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/iss

Step 9

Attend Transfer Orientation (Spartan Experience for Transfers)

**NEW STUDENT AND
FAMILY PROGRAMS**
sjsu.edu/newspartans

TRANSFER ORIENTATION
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What technical requirements are needed to participate?

We will be using Zoom. You will need an internet connection and a device that has working audio. Please download Zoom software (<https://zoom.us/download>) prior to the event. Our IT staff will also be available via live chat.

Transfer Orientation Sessions:

Wednesday, January 13, 2021

Friday, January 15, 2021

Disability Accommodations

This event is wheelchair accessible. 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 Spartan Experience for Transfers (mandatory orientation), contact New Student and Family Programs at transfer-orientation@sjsu.edu or 408-924-5972 or visit sjsu.edu/newspartans



Sravanthi
Business Administration/
Corporate Accounting Finance

Step 10

Attend Global Spartan Welcome (GSW)

**GLOBAL SPARTAN
WELCOME**
sjsu.edu/isss/events/global-welcome

F-1 students are required to attend Global Spartan Welcome (GSW), a program specifically for international students. Because you are classified as a new F-1 international student at SJSU, you are required to attend GSW, mandatory session to educate you on your F-1 status and how to adjust to life at SJSU and in a new culture. 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.

More details can be found on the [Global Spartan Welcome](#) page on the ISSS website and will be sent to you through your MySJSU account. 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.



Maggie
Sociology

Jeanne
Social Science

Step 11

Submit Proof of Immunization

IMMUNIZATIONS INFORMATION

sjsu.edu/studenthealth/services/immunizations

As a new student, you will need to provide proof of immunizations prior to the first day of classes.

Required Immunizations

- 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/studenthealth/services/immunizations



Christian
Psychology

Step 12

Complete Writing Skills Test Directed Self-Placement Exercise

WRITING SKILLS TEST INFORMATION

sjsu.edu/wac/wst/students

DEPARTMENT EXAM LISTING

catalog.sjsu.edu

CALCULUS PLACEMENT EXAM INFORMATION

sjsu.edu/math/calculus

Traditionally, all SJSU students must take and pass an in-person Writing Skills Test before they are eligible to enroll in many upper-division courses. While we are sheltered and the traditional WST exam is suspended, students must complete the temporary replacement for the WST: the WST-Directed Self-Placement (WST-DSP). The online WST-DSP is an exercise (not a test) that helps students place themselves in the appropriate writing course at SJSU. Before registering for the WST, students must earn a "C-" or better grade in English 1A (or its equivalent) and are strongly recommended to have completed a GE area A3 course.

What you need to do:

- Make sure you have met the above criteria in order to complete the WST-DSP.
- Go to sjsu.edu/wac/wst/students and read the information there
- Click on the link "WST Directed Self-Placement Exercise" and complete the exercise. This will only take 10-15 minutes
- Make sure you complete the WST-DSP before you enroll in your courses at SJSU

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

Many new undergraduates in the College of Science, Engineering and Business may need to take the Calculus Placement Exam prior to registration. For details, exemptions, and other criteria, visit sjsu.edu/math/calculus

Important Resources

SJSU CATALOG
catalog.sjsu.edu

STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT
sjsu.edu/studentconduct/policies

ACCESSIBLE EDUCATION CENTER INFORMATION
sjsu.edu/aec

SJSU TITLE IX OFFICE
408-924-7290
titleix@sjsu.edu

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.

Non-Discrimination Policy

San José State University does not discriminate on the basis of age, ancestry, citizenship status, color, disability, ethnicity, gender, gender expression, gender identity, marital status, medical condition, military/veteran status, national origin, race, religion or lack thereof, sex, sexual orientation, genetic information or veteran's status. This policy applies to all SJSU students, faculty, staff and third parties.

Questions regarding this policy should be directed to the director of the Office for Equal Opportunity, 408-924-2250.

SJSU prohibits sex/gender-based discrimination, harassment and retaliation, sexual misconduct, dating and domestic violence, and sex/gender-based stalking against students, faculty, staff, and third parties. In addition, SJSU prohibits discrimination or harassment based on pregnancy, childbirth, or any related medical condition. Please direct questions regarding these policies to the University's Title IX Office, 408-924-7290 or titleix@sjsu.edu

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)

admissions@sjsu.edu
international.admissions@sjsu.edu
408-283-7500

Advising

academic.advising@sjsu.edu
408-924-2129

Athletics

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

Bookstore

408-924-1800

Career Center

careerhelp@sjsu.edu
408-924-6031

Class Schedules

Housing (University Housing Services)

uhs-frontdesk@sjsu.edu
408-795-5600

Housing (International House, I-House)

ihouse@sjsu.edu
408-924-6570

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)

408-808-2300

Maps/Directions to SJSU

sjsu.edu/about_sjsu/visiting
sjsu.edu/map/directions

New Student and Family Programs

(for Spartan Experience for Transfers questions)
transfer-orientation@sjsu.edu
408-924-5972

On Cover

Michael, Business Administration/Business Analytics

Parking

Purchase parking permits online only

Registration (Registrar's Office)

registrar@sjsu.edu
408-283-7500, option 3

Spartan Eats Dining Services

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

Writing Center

writingcenter@sjsu.edu
408-924-2308

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