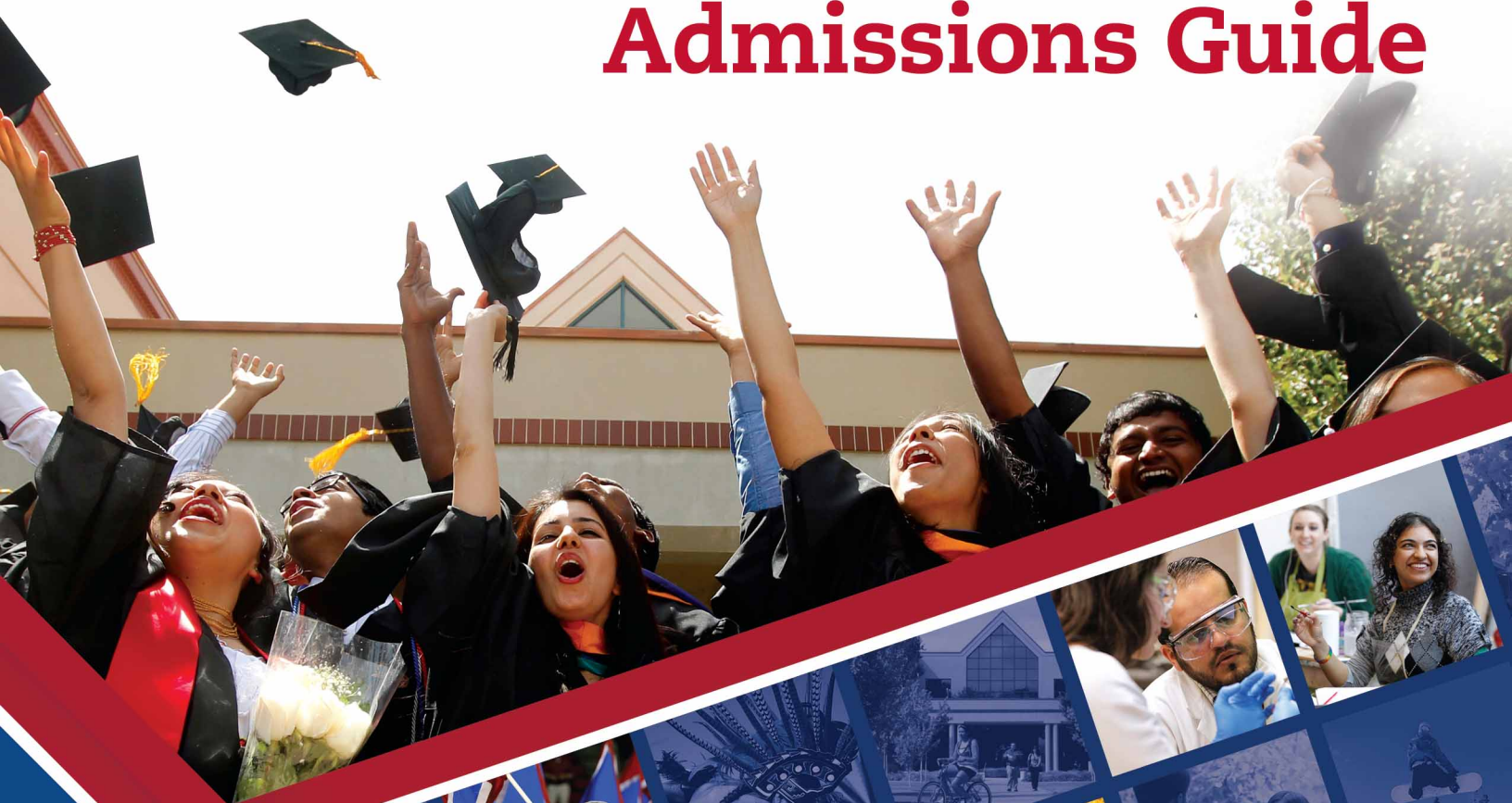


FRESNO STATE

Transfer Admissions Guide



www.gotofresnostate.com

Tours - Appointments - Webinars - Information - Events - Deadlines

Upper-Division Transfer Requirements - Fall 2015

NOTE: Please refer to www.csumentor.edu to receive the latest information on admission requirements and deadlines for transfer applicants.

Fresno State is impacted at the transfer level and will implement supplementary criteria for admission. Based on space availability, transfer applicants from the Local Area will be accommodated first. Transfer applicants from other college or universities will be considered if they have a recommended G.P.A. of 2.75 or higher. Information regarding impaction can be found at www.FresnoState.edu/are

All requirements below must be completed by the end of the spring 2015 semester to be considered for admission for the fall semester.

- Completion of 60 or more transferable units (90 quarter units).
- Completion of a minimum of 30 semester units (45 quarter units) of General Education (G.E.) with a 2.0 G.P.A. or better.
- Completion of the four Foundation classes (area A1, A2, A3 & B4) with a grade of C or better.
- A cumulative transfer G.P.A. of 2.0 or better is required from Local Area applicants; 2.75 or better is recommended for applicants outside the service area.
- Must be in "good standing" at the last college or university attended. Good standing means you are eligible to re-enroll at your last college or university.

Important Notice from the Admissions Office

Transfer applications **will not** be reviewed until transcripts are received from **all** institutions attended. If enrolled in fall classes, please be sure fall final grades are posted before you send transcripts from that institution. If you are in the process of completing the above admission requirements you will be **Conditionally Admitted**. You will be invited to participate in Dog Days (new student orientation); however, you will not be able to register for classes and be officially admitted until transcripts with final spring grades are received. Applicants can check their application status by accessing their Student Center at: my.fresnostate.edu

***Please send all transcripts to:**
California State University, Fresno Admissions Office
 5150 N. Maple Avenue M/S JA 57
 Fresno, CA, 93740-8026



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Important Information

CSU General Education (G.E.) Foundation/Breadth Requirements & Major Preparatory/Prerequisite Courses

Some majors offer introductory or prerequisite courses that can be taken at the community college. You can obtain lower division articulation agreements for general education (G.E.) and specific majors from your transfer counselor, transfer center, Fresno State's University Outreach or online at www.assist.org.

**Liberal Studies and Engineering majors follow a different G.E. pattern, please see a counselor for more information, visit www.assist.org or schedule an appointment at www.gotofresnostate.com.*

Fresno State Lower Division G.E. Pattern

G.E. Area	Course	Grade	Unit
Foundation	These four courses must be completed with a C grade or better, area A1, A2, A3 & B4. Minimum of 12 units must be completed in the foundation area.		
	A1 Oral Communication		
	A2 Written Communication		
	A3 Critical Thinking		
	B4 Quantitative Reasoning		
Area B	Two courses – one in B1 and one in B2 – see above for B4.		
	B1 Physical Science		
	B2 Life Science		
	B3 Laboratory Component	B1 or B2 must have lab.	
Area C	Three courses – one in C1 and one in C2 and third from C1 or C2.		
	C1 Arts		
	C2 Humanities		
	C1 or C2 (Additional course)		
Area D	Take one course in each of the following D area disciplines.		
	D1 American History		
	D2 American Government		
	D3 Social Science		
Area E	3 units in area E.		
	E Lifelong Understanding & Self Development		
Lower Division Major and Elective Coursework			
	Course	Grade	Units

What's New! California Community Colleges (CCC) Students



Associate Degree
 for TransferSM

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Fresno State Fall 2015 Critical Dates

Application Filing Period: October 1-November 30

Apply at www.csumentor.edu

SEPTEMBER, 2014

Check with the Transfer Center for upcoming workshops, Transfer Days, or college representative at your community college.

OCTOBER 1

First day to submit CSU Mentor Application www.csumentor.edu

First day to submit Fresno State scholarship application www.FresnoState.edu/scholarships

Apply for campus housing www.universitycourtyard.org

NOVEMBER 30

Last day to submit CSU Mentor Application www.csumentor.edu

For assistance in completing your CSU Mentor application call 1.800.GO.TO.XAP (1.800.468.6927) or contact University Outreach Services at 559.278.2048

JANUARY 1, 2015

First day to submit FAFSA (Financial Aid Application) www.fafsa.gov

NOTE: Request a CSU or IGETC G.E. certification from your California community college.

FEBRUARY 28

Priority deadline for Fresno State Scholarship application www.FresnoState.edu/scholarships

MARCH 1

Deadline to submit ALL official documents and transcripts to include Fall 2014 grades and Spring 2015 courses in-progress

MARCH 2

FAFSA Priority Deadline www.fafsa.gov

MARCH 7

Attend Preview Day www.gotofresnostate.com

MARCH 15

Registration for Dog Days begins (Admitted students) my.fresnostate.edu

JUNE 30

Deadline to submit a final, official transcript from your current college(s) with spring grades posted.

JUNE - JULY

Attend a Dog Days Orientation

SEPTEMBER 2

Transfer Entitlement Cal Grant deadline for those who decided to attend a California Community College (CCC) and missed the March 2 deadline www.csac.ca.gov



Dates and information are subject to change. For the most current information and updates for Fresno State go to www.gotofresnostate.com

After you apply, your next step is to create a Fresno State student account.

Go to my.fresnostate.edu

You will need your Fresno State new student ID number sent to you by the Admissions Office. You will create a new account with a username and password specific to you. Once you have created this account, it will be the same username and password for your campus email, My Fresno State, Blackboard, free campus Wi-Fi and other services available to Fresno State students.

To access your **Student Center**: *My Menu* ▶ *Student Self Service* ▶ *Student Center*

Once on the **Student Center** page, you can view your:

- To Do List:** Documents requested by a specific office or program that you still need to complete.
- Application status**
- Register for Dog Days:** New Student Orientation (*after you have been conditionally admitted*)
- Financial Aid**



CAMPUS EMAIL

You can access your google apps/mail from the my.fresnostate.edu page after you login under "My Menu." or visit <http://googleapps.fresnostate.edu> Please be sure to check your campus email often, most Fresno State offices will only correspond through your student email account.

Financial Aid, Scholarships and Costs

Financial Aid

Financial assistance is available to students and families of all income levels. You do not need a notice of admission to apply for financial aid, however admission is required before an actual award is processed.

STEPS TO APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID

Step 1) Apply for a PIN (*personal identification number*) through www.pin.ed.gov. In order for you and your parent (*if required*) to sign and file your FAFSA electronically, each of you must have a PIN.

Step 2) Submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) online at www.fafsa.gov. Priority filing period is January 1-March 2, 2015. California residents who wish to apply for a Cal Grant award must file a FAFSA and submit a certified G.P.A. verification form postmarked no later than March 2. Check with your current school regarding their method of submitting G.P.A.'s.

Step 3) After you apply, you may check your status on line at my.fresnostate.edu. If you have additional questions, you may visit the Financial Aid Office in the Joyal Administration Building, Room 296 or call 559.278.2182.

Important:

- Establish an email account with Fresno State after you apply for admission. This address will be used by the Financial Aid Office to email correspondence to you.
- Be sure to keep copies of your financial aid application and all documents submitted. Also respond to all document requests in a timely manner.
- For an early estimate of your eligibility for federal student financial assistance visit: www.fafsa4caster.ed.gov.

Fresno State Scholarships – Recognizing your talents and achievements

Approximately 3.8 million dollars in campus-based scholarships are awarded each year. Scholarship awards can range from \$100 to \$12,000. Some scholarships are renewable for up to four years or until graduation. For more information on scholarships, please visit www.fresnostate.edu/scholarships.

Estimated Cost of Attendance for the 2014-15 (Academic Year)

EXPENSES	With Parents	Dorms	Other
Fees/Tuition	\$6,298	\$6,298	\$6,298
Books/Supplies	\$1,762	\$1,762	\$1,762
Room/Board	\$4,598	\$10,604	\$11,268
Transportation	\$1,180	\$900	\$1,324
Personal	\$1,364	\$1,364	\$1,364
TOTAL	\$15,202	\$20,928	\$22,016

****The above cost is an estimate and subject to change**

Nonresident tuition - Out-of-state tuition for nonresident and foreign students is \$372 per unit in addition to tuition and other fees.

AB 540 - Undocumented students who have attended a California high school for at least 3 years or have graduated from a California high school may be eligible to pay in-state registration fee. Students can visit www.ab540.com for financial assistance opportunities.

The California Dream Act

AB 130 - allows students who meet AB 540 criteria (California Education Code 68130.5(a)) to apply for and receive non-state funded scholarships for public colleges and universities.

AB 131 - allows students who meet AB 540 criteria to apply for and receive state-funded financial aid such as institutional grants, community college fee waivers, Cal Grant and Chafee Grant. California Dream Act applicants will have to submit a paper "NON-SSN Cal Grant GPA Verification Form" by March 2 to be considered for Cal Grants. The form can be downloaded from www.csac.ca.gov/dream_act.asp.

For more information about the types of financial aid Dream Act students can access, visit www.csac.ca.gov/dream_act.asp.

