

TRANSFER ADMISSION GUARANTEE

The SDSU Transfer Admission Guarantee provides an opportunity for guaranteed admission to the university for undergraduate students transferring from SDSU service-area community colleges. Admission to SDSU will be guaranteed for students who:

- Complete at least 50% of their transferable credits from institutions in SDSU's service area, including, Cuyamaca, Grossmont, Imperial Valley, San Diego City, San Diego Mesa, San Diego Miramar and Southwestern.
- Fall applicants must complete 50% of their transferrable credits by the end of the fall prior to admission (e.g. fall 2007 for fall 2008 applicants). Spring applicants must complete 50% of their transferable credits by the end of the summer prior to enrollment.
- Apply for admission to SDSU via www.CSUMentor.edu during the published filing period
 Fall filing period – October 1 through November 30
 Spring filing period – August 1 through August 31
- Complete the requirements listed below, by the deadlines indicated

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE SDSU TRANSFER ADMISSION GUARANTEE

	REQUIREMENT	FALL ADMISSION	SPRING ADMISSION
“GOLDEN FOUR”	Complete General Education requirements in oral communication, critical thinking, written communication, and math/quantitative reasoning completed with “C” or higher grades.	Must be complete by the end of the spring term prior to fall admission	Must be complete by the end of the summer term prior to spring admission
GPA	Meet the grade point average (GPA) requirement for the major listed in the SDSU General Catalog. Information can be found at: www.sdsu.edu/impactedmajors	Must meet the required major GPA at the time of application for admission to SDSU. This GPA requirement must be maintained throughout the admission process.	Must meet the required major GPA at the time of application for admission to SDSU. This GPA requirement must be maintained throughout the admission process.
UNITS	Complete a minimum of 60 transferable semester units.	Must be complete by the end of the spring term prior to fall admission	Must be complete by the end of the fall term prior to spring admission
GENERAL EDUCATION	Complete a certified General Education package of 39 units (CSU GE or IGETC) or any applicable lower division GE pattern listed in the SDSU catalog.	Must be complete by the end of the spring term prior to fall admission	Must be complete by the end of the fall term prior to spring admission
MAJOR PREPARATION	Complete <u>at least two</u> courses of major preparation listed in the SDSU General Catalog. Information can be found at: www.assist.org or www.sdsu.edu/tap	Must be complete by the end of the spring term prior to fall admission	Must be complete by the end of the fall term prior to spring admission

The Transfer Admission Guarantee assures admission to the university. Students must follow the rules of admission of their intended major department to be admitted into the major.

Students who are not eligible for the Transfer Admission Guarantee will be ranked based on the extent to which they have completed the requirements listed above. SDSU will admit via this ranking until all available enrollment slots have been filled.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

The following Web sites provide information about transfer courses that can be used to meet SDSU requirements:

ASSIST – www.assist.org
Transfer Admission Planner – www.sdsu.edu/tap

SDSU GPA Requirements for the Major: Fall 2008

Admission to the upper division major requires a **cumulative GPA** at the indicated level.

Require an overall 2.4 GPA:

Child Development
Economics, all emphases
English
English: Single Subject Credential
Foods and Nutrition
History
Psychology
Public Administration
Public Administration: City Planning
Social Work
Theater Arts, all emphases

Require an overall 2.5 GPA:

Art, all emphases except Graphic design and Multimedia
Health Science: Emphasis in Public Health
Kinesiology, all emphases
Liberal Studies
Political Science
Social Science: Single Subject Teaching Credential
Sociology
Spanish

Require an overall 2.6 GPA:

Biology with BA in Liberal Arts and Sciences
Biology with BS in Applied Arts and Sciences, all emphases
Biology: Single Subject Teaching Credential
Criminal Justice Administration
Microbiology with BA in Liberal Arts and Sciences
Microbiology with BS in Applied Arts and Sciences, all emphases

Require an overall 2.75 GPA:

Art: Emphasis in Multimedia
Communication: BA General
Communication (Liberal Arts & Sciences)
Communication: BA General
Communication (Applied Arts & Sciences)

Require an overall 2.9 GPA:

Business Administration: All majors
International Business

Require a 3.0 GPA:

Art: Emphasis in Graphic Design
Communication: Emphasis in Advertising
Communication: Media Studies
Communication: Emphasis in Public Relations
Hospitality and Tourism Management
Journalism
Television Film and New Media Production

Other

Nursing requires a 2.5 GPA in seven prerequisite courses

All other majors require an overall 2.0 GPA.

Please note that in the future, additional majors may become impacted and/or GPA requirements may increase. In addition to the overall (or cumulative) GPA requirement, impacted majors have other requirements for admission to the program. See the General Catalog for details (www.sdsu.edu/catalog).

Students who plan to major in the following subjects are NOT eligible for the Transfer Admission Guarantee: Dance; Music; Nursing; Television, Film and New Media; Theatre Arts; and Bachelor of Vocational Education.

Student _____ Date _____

Transfer Center Director _____ Date _____