To reserve your space for fall 2017, you must complete all 3 steps no later than Monday, May 1, 2017 at 11:59 p.m. Your admissions offer is only good for the fall 2017 term. You may not defer your enrollment to a later semester.

1. **STEP 1: ACCEPT OUR OFFER OF ADMISSIONS**
   - Log into your myCI (myci.csuci.edu) and click on “CI Records.” Your login information was e-mailed upon submitting your admissions application. (We used the e-mail address that was noted on your CSU admissions application. Please check your spam/junk mail folder if necessary.)
   - Scroll down to the bottom of the page (under “Admissions”) and “Accept” or “Decline” Admissions. “Accept” means that you are electing to enroll at CI for fall 2017 and are responsible for completing the next two steps of the Intent to Enroll process by Monday, May 1, 2017 at 11:59 p.m. IMPORTANT: Once you accept our offer of admissions, you will be held responsible for paying a $175 mandatory and non-refundable orientation fee. After accepting our offer of admissions, a yellow triangle ▲ will appear and remain until your final transcript has been reviewed. Check your “To Do” list often (located on the right side of your CI Records page) for other enrollment requirements.

2. **STEP 2: PAY THE NON-REFUNDABLE ORIENTATION FEE: $175 (Wait 48 hours after completing Step 1)**
   Once you have accepted our offer of admissions and waited 48 hours for the system to refresh, log back into myCI:
   - Under My Links, click on “CI Records.”
   - In the Finance section of your student center under “Account Summary,” you will see the $175 orientation fee.
   - Click on “Make a Payment,” then click on “Login to CashNet” to pay the required orientation fee by Monday, May 1, 2017 at 11:59 p.m.
   - Once in CashNet, click on link for “Make a Payment” on the top menu bar.
   - Click on “General Balance” and enter $175 for the orientation fee in the “Amount” box.
   - Click on “Add to shopping cart” and then on “Checkout.” Follow prompts for entering method of payment.
   - For detailed instructions, visit www.csuci.edu/sbs/online-orientation-payment-process.pdf.

   Students who filed a 2017-18 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or the California Dream Act application on or before the Thursday, March 2, 2017 deadline AND have an Estimated Family Contribution (EFC) of 4,000 or less will be considered for a deferment of the new student orientation fee. We are unable to grant a deferment until the results of your financial aid application (FAFSA or CA Dream Act) are shared with us. If a deferment is not granted, you will need to pay your orientation fee no later than Monday, May 1, 2017 at 11:59 p.m.

   Deferment means that payment of the orientation fee will be charged to your fall semester’s account. If you are determined to be eligible for financial aid and you choose not to enroll or your admission is canceled or rescinded, you are still held responsible for paying the orientation fee. Financial aid will not cover expenses owed to CSU Channel Islands if you fail to enroll as planned or when your admission is canceled or rescinded.

3. **STEP 3: CHOOSE A MANDATORY ORIENTATION SESSION**
   Log onto myCI. Under “my links,” click on “Orientation” in order to register for one of the following dates:

   - Thursday & Friday, June 15 & 16
   - Friday & Saturday, June 23 & 24
   - Friday, July 28 (alternate session - advance permission required)*

   Orientation is a mandatory, two full-day overnight program that will introduce you to important resources and services and provide you with critical academic advising information. Visit Island View Orientation program website for additional details: go.csuci.edu/IVO.

   You are required to attend the entire program. Only students who have fully participated in orientation are allowed to register for classes. If you do not attend, arrive late or leave during any portion of the program, your admission will be withdrawn and you will need to reapply for the next available term. Parents/guardians are highly encouraged to attend.

   *Email New Student Orientation (orientation@csuci.edu) for permission to attend the alternate session no later than May 1, 2017. If your request is denied, then you must register for one of the four regularly scheduled sessions. The fee to attend the alternate session is the same as for the regular sessions ($175).
# Important Dates & Deadlines

## Fall 2017 Enrollment Deadlines

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<td>January 1, 2017</td>
<td>Filing begins for the CI Scholarship Application.</td>
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<td>January 6, 2017</td>
<td>Deadline to submit your $55 Admissions Application Fee (unless your fee has been waived). Your application will not be evaluated and your admission will be canceled if you fail to meet this deadline.</td>
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<td>February 1, 2017</td>
<td>Deadline to submit SAT/ACT test scores (if required). Please refer to your myCI for what documents are needed for submission.</td>
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<td>Priority filing deadline for the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or the California Dream Act Application and the CI Scholarship Application.</td>
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<td>Deadline to register for the last ELM/EPT placement exams offered at CI.</td>
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<td>Deadline to submit Proof of Immunizations (see Immunization Requirement section).</td>
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<td>June 9, 2017</td>
<td>Students who have completed and submitted their residency documents by June 9 will be processed by August 1. Those who submit their documents after the deadline may not have them processed in time for the fall 2017 term. This may result in students being charged non-resident tuition for fall 2017.</td>
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<td>June 15, 2017</td>
<td>Register for classes (details will be covered during orientation).</td>
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<td>Deadline to pay for Early Start classes. (if required). Late payment will not be accepted.</td>
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<td>July 14, 2017</td>
<td>Deadline to have your final transcripts &amp; AP scores (if any) sent directly to the Admissions Office. Please have transcripts/test scores sent to: CSU Channel Islands/Attn:Admissions 1 University Drive Camarillo, CA 93012</td>
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The following is a guide to frequently asked questions about the CSU placement exams (ELM/EPT) and Early Start. Scroll down to find a quick-reference chart on whether a student must take the ELM/EPT, enroll in an approved year-long math or English course, or participate in Early Start.

1. Who is required to take Placement Exams?
   - Entering freshmen, regardless of their GPA, are required to take placement exams to determine which math and English course they will need to enroll in during their first year at CI. These tests are called the Entry Level Math (ELM) exam and the English Placement Test (EPT).
   - There are a number of ways to be exempt from taking these exams, so keep on reading!

2. How can I be exempt from taking Placement Exams?
   - Students who will graduate (or have already done so) from a California public high school took the EAP (Early Assessment Program), also known as CAASPP or Smarter Balanced Assessment, in their junior year. The results, which were sent in August preceding the student’s senior year, are used to determine whether the student must take either the ELM or EPT, or both.
   - CI will automatically receive EAP results from students who authorized the release of their scores to the CSU. Those who didn’t authorize a release must submit their results directly to CI. Non-reporting will likely affect a student's chance of being exempt from placement exams or delay determination of his or her college-readiness status.
   - Please refer to the chart for additional ways of determining which, if any, placement test(s) a student may be required to take.

3. What are the deadlines associated with the Placement Exams?
   - Students planning to take the exam at CSU Channel Islands must register no later than Friday, April 21, 2017. Registration fills up quickly, so don’t delay!
   - Students required to take the ELM and/or EPT must do so no later than Saturday, May 6, 2017.
   - Visit the testing website for additional information: go.csuci.edu/ElmEpt

4. Where may I take the Placement Exams?
   - Students may take these exams at any of the 23 CSU campuses.
   - Students planning to take the exams outside of California must contact Educational Testing Services and make arrangements no later than Friday, March 31, 2017.
   - Learn more at www.ets.org/csu/about

5. What are the consequences for failing to take the Placement Exams by the deadline?
   - Students required to take either or both the ELM/EPT and fail to do so by the May 6, 2017 deadline will be ineligible to attend new student orientation in June and enroll in classes in the fall term.

6. Who is required to participate in Early Start?
   - The CSU requires that first-year students with remedial requirements (based on scores received from the ELM and EPT) participate in Early Start. Early Start is a program that allows students to begin working towards college readiness in the summer prior to their freshman year.
   - The last column of the following chart explains whether or not Early Start is required. Failure to participate in Early Start if required to do so will result in the student being ineligible to attend CI in the fall.
   - Learn more about the Early Start at www.csusuccess.org/earlystart

7. What are the consequences for failing to participate in the Early Start Program if required to do so?
   - Students required to participate in Early Start must do so in order to enroll in fall classes. Fall classes will be canceled if a student fails to attend and complete Early Star classes.
   - Students who are unable to participate in Early Start because of extenuating circumstances beyond their control must submit a written appeal, which must be received by Admissions no later than June 15, 2017. Please refer to the Appeals webpage: go.csuci.edu/FreshmanAppeal.
**Acronyms used in the chart below:**
- ACT: American College Testing
- AP: Advance Placement
- CAASPP: CA Assessment of Student Performance/Progress
- CR: Critical Reading
- EAP: Early Assessment Program
- EBRW: Evidence Based Reading & Writing
- EPT: English Placement Test
- ERWC: Expository Reading & Writing Course
- SAT: Scholastic Aptitude Test

### Student Status for College Level English & Math

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| **Students are “Ready” for college level Math if they fall into any of the below categories:**  
  - CAASPP EAP: Standard Exceeded or  
  - ACT 23+ (math section) or  
  - Old SAT 550+/New SAT 570+ (math section or subject test) or  
  - AP Calculus Exam AB or BC: 3+ or  
  - AP Stats Exam: 3+  
  - College course in Math (C- or better)*  | No | No | No, the student may enroll directly in college-level Math. |
| **Students are “Ready” for college level English if they fall into any of the below categories:**  
  - CAASPP EAP: Standard Exceeded or  
  - ACT 23+ (English section) or  
  - Old SAT 500+/New SAT 550+ (CR/EBRW) or  
  - AP Lang/Comp Exam: 3+ or  
  - AP Comp/Lit Exam: 3+  
  - Community College course in English Comp (C- or better)*  | No | No | No, the student may enroll directly in college-level English. |
| **Students are “Conditionally Ready” for college level Math if they fall into any of the below categories:**  
  - CAASPP EAP: Standard Met or  
  - ACT 20-22 (math section) or  
  - Old SAT 490-540/New SAT 520-560 (math section)  | No, | Yes, students must complete one of these year-long Math courses with at least a C each term: Math Analysis or Trig, or Pre-Cal or Calc or AP Calc AB/BC or AP Physics or AP Stats | No, if the student passes an approved year-long Math course with a grade of C- or better.  
  Yes, if the student does not take and pass an approved year-long Math course. |
| **Students are “Conditionally Ready” for college level English if they fall into any of the below categories:**  
  - CAASPP EAP: Standard Met or  
  - ACT 19-21 (English section) or  
  - Old SAT 460-490 (Critical Reading) or  
  - New 510-540 (EBRW)  | No, | Yes, students must complete one of these year-long English courses with at least a C each term: ERWC or AP Language/ Literature Composition or IB English or Weighted Honors English  | No, if the student passes an approved year-long English course with a grade of C- or better.  
  Yes, if the student does not take and pass an approved year-long English course. |
| **Students are “Not Yet Ready” or “Not Ready” for college level Math if they fall into any of the below categories:**  
  - CAASPP EAP: Nearly Met or Not Met or  
  - ACT 19 or below or  
  - Old SAT 480 or below/New SAT 510 or below  | Yes | No | Yes, if the student scores below 50 on the ELM.  
  No, if the student scores 50 or above on the ELM. |
| **Students are “Not Yet Ready” or “Not Ready” for college level English if they fall into any of the below categories:**  
  - CAASPP EAP: Nearly Met or Not Met or  
  - ACT 18 or below or  
  - Old SAT 450 or below/New SAT 500 or below  | Yes | No | Yes, if the student scores below 147 on the EPT.  
  No, if the student scores 147 or above on the EPT. |

**Note about Fulfilling Early Start and Satisfying Remediation**

Students who are required to participate in Early Start may complete the requirement AND satisfy remediation through taking a course at a California community college. Please note that not all English and math community college courses will satisfy Early Start. Students considering this option are advised to contact the Admissions Office for verification of the class.

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CI is committed to providing an excellent holistic living and learning experience for our students. Approximately 1,600 students live in campus housing. While on-campus housing is limited, we work hard to provide housing to every student who wants and needs it.

Fall 2017 Housing Deadlines and Application Information
Beginning in April 2017, submit your housing application at myCI along with a $50 non-refundable fee.

1. Log into myCI.
2. Under myLinks, select the Student Housing link, then Application.
3. Select the term you are applying for under Term Selector: Academic Year (academic period admitted) then Save & Continue.
4. Submit your application payment, housing application, and $1,500 deposit or housing fee deferral documentation by Friday, May 5, 2017 at 11:59 p.m. to secure on-campus housing.
5. Freshmen who submit their application and deposit or housing fee deferral documentation by Friday, May 5, 2017 at 11:59 p.m. are guaranteed housing. Applications received after May 5 will be placed on a waiting list and offered accommodations on a space-available basis.
6. Payment for room and board is due on Tuesday, August 22, 2017. An installment payment plan is available for eligible students.

Housing & Residential Education Office
Santa Cruz Village, Building E, Room E150
student.housing@csuci.edu
www.csuci.edu/housing/
(805) 437-2733

CSU ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Our offer of provisional admission was based on information you provided on your CSU Mentor application. In order to maintain your admitted status and enroll, you must complete the following by the end of spring 2017:

1. Will graduate from high school or complete a GED.
2. Have or will complete the 15 year-long pattern of a-g college preparatory courses with a grade of C- or better.

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<td>c. Mathematics (min. of Algebra I, Geometry and Algebra 2)</td>
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<td>d. Laboratory Science (one year physical and one year biological)</td>
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<td>e. Language other than English (two years of the same language)</td>
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<td>f. Visual and Performing Arts one year or two-one semester courses in the same discipline required, chosen from the following disciplines: Dance, Music, Theatre, Drama, &amp; Visual Arts (e.g., painting, web/graphics, design, film/video, inter/multimedia arts)</td>
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<td>g. College Prep Elective (chosen from the “a-g” courses beyond those used to satisfy the requirements of the “a-g” subjects, or courses that have been approved solely in the elective area)</td>
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3. Meet the CSU Eligibility Index, which is the combination of your high school GPA (calculated from your 10th, 11th, and 12th grade a-g courses) and your test score on either the SAT (critical reading/EBRW + math) or ACT composite score.

For additional information, refer to www.csumentor.edu/planning/high_school/gpa_calculator.asp.

HOUSING & RESIDENTIAL EDUCATION

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CALIFORNIA STATE RESIDENCY

Residency determines admissions criteria and fee structure for all applicants. Your residency is determined by the information submitted in your application for admission and is referenced in your offer letter. University requirements for establishing residency are independent from those of other types of residency such as for tax purposes or other state or institutional residency. We will contact you if additional information is required to determine your residency.

For additional information please visit: go.csuci.edu/CAresidency.

Are you a nonresident who graduated or will graduate from a California high school?

Assembly Bill 540 (AB540) is a California law that allows certain nonresidents who meet specified requirements to pay in-state fees (tuition) for California's public colleges and universities. Any student, other than a non-immigrant, who meets all of the following requirements, shall be exempt from paying nonresident tuition at the California Community Colleges, the California State University and the University of California.

- The student must have attended a high school (public or private) in California for three (3) or more years OR have attended elementary and/or secondary schools in California for 3 or more years, AND by attaining academic credits from California high schools equivalent to 3 or more years of full-time course work.
- The student must have graduated from a California high school or attained the equivalent prior to the start of the term (for example, passing the GED or California High School Proficiency exam).
- The student must file the Nonresident Tuition Exemption Form if requested to do so.

Nonresident students meeting the criteria will be exempt from the payment of nonresident tuition, but they will not be classified as California residents. They will continue to be nonresidents. For information on tuition for CA Residents and Nonresidents visit: www.csuci.edu/sbs/current-fee-schedule.htm

FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

If you have not already applied for Financial Aid, file a FAFSA or California Dream Act application by Wednesday, March 2, 2016. If requested, you must submit all required and completed documents by the Financial Aid Priority Filing Deadline of Tuesday, May 31, 2017. To receive a tuition fee deferral and ensure timely processing of your financial aid award, you must meet the March 2, 2017 and, if applicable, the May 31, 2017 deadline. Remember, you pay for any difference between your financial aid award and your actual fees.

Tuition Fee Deferrals

Tuition fee deferrals are temporary and are issued to students who meet the priority filing and document deadlines. Tuition fee deferrals will protect enrollment and delay the payment of registration fees until the financial aid process is completed. All tuition fee deferrals will expire on Monday, September 4, 2017. At that time, fees must be paid by the set deadlines regardless of your financial aid status. **Financial Aid students with tuition fee deferral should understand that the tuition fee deferral is for enrollment fees only and does not apply to orientation and housing charges.**
IMPORTANT CONTACTS

Admissions
go.csuci.edu/admissions
admissions@csuci.edu
(805) 437-8520

Campus Tours
go.csuci.edu/visit
(805) 437-8520

Disability Resource Programs (DRP)
go.csuci.edu/drp
accommodations@csuci.edu
(805) 437-3331

Financial Aid
go.csuci.edu/financialaid
financial.aid@csuci.edu
(805) 437-8530

Housing & Residential Education (HRE)
go.csuci.edu/housing
student.housing@csuci.edu
(805) 437-2733

New Student Orientation & Transition Programs
www.csuci.edu/nsotp/orientation@csuci.edu
(805) 437-3160

Records & Registration
go.csuci.edu/Records
records.registration@csuci.edu
(805) 437-8500

Student Business Services (SBS)
www.csuci.edu/sbs/
sbs@csuci.edu
(805) 437-8810

Student Health Services
go.csuci.edu/studenthealth
student.health@csuci.edu
(805) 437-8828

Veterans Affairs Programs
go.csuci.edu/veterans
veterans.services@csuci.edu
(805) 437-3524

DISABILITY RESOURCE PROGRAMS

CI Disability Resource Program (DRP) provides students with resources and disability-related accommodations to assist with their educational goals and student success. Students are strongly encouraged to register with DRP early in order to permit the necessary time to process their requests in a reasonable and timely manner. (See above for DPR’s contact information.)

SIX FRESHMAN TIPS

MEET your professors. Visit them during their office hours.

JOIN a 1st year freshmen community. Study, conduct research and make friends!

WORK on campus! Jump start your career.

EXPLORE CI Boating Center and take classes in kayaking, sailing and many more.

CONNECT and get involved through 90+ student orgs and sports clubs.

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