

# TRANSFERRING SUCCESSFULLY TO SAN FRANCISCO STATE UNIVERSITY FROM YOUR COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## 1. WHY GET YOUR BACHELOR'S DEGREE AT SAN FRANCISCO STATE UNIVERSITY?



- † San Francisco State University is one of the nation's leading public urban universities!
- † You can develop your talents, while you earn your Bachelor's degree, in a city rich with culture and opportunity! Our location is a perfect vantage point from which to compete for the best internships and jobs.
- † SFSU offers a huge selection of academic options, more than 200 majors leading to a bachelor's or master's degree. You can choose from over 110 undergraduate majors to get started!
- † There are a variety of opportunities for special admissions and enrollment to accommodate students with different needs, goals, and backgrounds. Visit our website for more info.
- † A bachelor's degree opens many doors!

## 2. REQUIREMENTS FOR TRANSFERRING TO SAN FRANCISCO STATE UNIVERSITY

- † Upper Division Transfer ONLY: 60 semester (90 quarter) units are required for upper division transfer. Students with fewer units cannot transfer. Courses must be completed in Spring for Fall 2007 admission.
- † GE requirements include the Four Basic Subjects with a grade of C or better;
  1. Oral Communication (A1),
  2. Written Communication (A2),
  3. Critical Thinking (A3),
  4. Quantitative Reasoning (B4)
- † You must have an overall GPA of 2.0 or better (2.4 for non-California residents) based on all transferable coursework. Impacted majors require a higher GPA.



## 3. TOOLS AVAILABLE TO HELP PLAN YOUR TRANSFER TO A FOUR-YEAR UNIVERSITY



- † *ASSIST Website:* [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) is an amazing online tool that shows you which CA community college course units can be applied if you transfer to the CSU or UC. Use it to plan ahead & make every unit count!
- † *CSUMentor* [www.csumentor.edu](http://www.csumentor.edu). A great resource to learn about, compare and apply to all California State University campuses. Check it out!
- † *SFSU Website:* [www.sfsu.edu](http://www.sfsu.edu). You'll find everything you could possibly want to know about San Francisco State University! It's great!!
- † *SFSU Student Outreach Services* We offer pre-admissions advising for prospective students. Check our website at [www.sfsu.edu/outreach](http://www.sfsu.edu/outreach) or call Nancy Jodaitis at (415) 338-7167 or email: [nancyj@sfsu.edu](mailto:nancyj@sfsu.edu).

## 4. MAKE YOUR TRANSFER TIMELY! PLAN AHEAD TO GRADUATE!

- † Check with the transfer center at your school to review which classes will transfer and count towards your GE requirements or your major pre-requisites. You can also investigate this on your own at [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org).
- † Use the resources your community college and SFSU offer to make your transition go smoothly.
- † Once you have applied to SFSU, send official transcripts as soon as they ask!! Make sure to send final transcripts after you complete your final classes before transferring.
- † Make copies of all your paperwork, school records, transcripts, and keep them in a file. Bring these papers to all your advising appointments.



## UPCOMING DEADLINES FOR SFSU & FINANCIAL AID! ARE YOU READY TO TRANSFER? MAKE YOUR MOVE!



### If you plan to attend:      Priority Filing Period:

**Fall 2007:**                      **Oct. 1- Nov. 30, 2006**

**Spring 2008:**                **August 1-31, 2007**

We encourage you to fill out your application for enrollment during the Priority Filing Period. Impacted Majors and Cinema will accept applications ONLY from Oct 1<sup>st</sup>-Nov 30<sup>th</sup>. BECA will accept applications between Oct 1<sup>st</sup> - Nov 30<sup>th</sup> and August 1 -31<sup>st</sup>. For all other majors, if space remains after the priority filing period, we still accept applications. **The FINAL DEADLINE FOR FALL 2007 is March 15, 2007.** To apply, fill out an on-line application at [www.csumentor.edu](http://www.csumentor.edu) and pay a \$55 fee. If low-income CA resident, apply for a fee waiver on the web. Also check your eligibility to enroll in Educational Opportunity Program at [www.sfsu.edu/~eop](http://www.sfsu.edu/~eop) or call 415.338.2016.

### Financial Aid Deadlines for 2006-07

**1. Federal & State Financial Aid Priority Filing: January 1-March 2, 2007.** Fill out your financial aid application on the web at: [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). The school code for SFSU on the FAFSA form is: 001154. FAFSA has a rolling application, but don't wait, you might miss out!

**2. Private Scholarships:** Varied dates for each scholarship. Ask the foundation or check [www.sfsu.edu/~finaid/scholarships](http://www.sfsu.edu/~finaid/scholarships).

Impacted Majors: Apparel Design & Merchandising, Interior Design, Nursing & Social Work.  
Fall Admission ONLY ~ There are Additional Admission Requirements for these majors.

High Demand Majors: Broadcasting & Cinema  
Cinema ~ Fall admission ONLY