



**The California
State University**

Class of 2023



Attendance

9/29/22

Objectives

- General CSU Information
- Admission requirements
- Supplemental Factors
- Impaction
- Items needed to complete application
- Important Dates
- EOPS
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Cal State Universities

- 23 campuses
- Hands-on
- Most students commute
- Primarily semester-system
- Career-focused
- Educated the workforce

⚠ This is a testing environment for the application - no submission from this environment will be considered valid

My Application

Add Program

Submit Application

Check Status

Add Programs

Submit one **CSU Application** for up to 23 campuses

- Research campuses & majors (recommended)
- What to consider when choosing a major:
 - Majors are under “Colleges” (i.e., College of Letters & Science, College of Engineering, etc.)
 - Some colleges and majors are “impacted” thus are more competitive.
 - Select an “alternate major” (recommended)

Admissions Requirements

- CA residents and graduates of CA high schools will be eligible for admission by earning a 2.50 or greater “a-g” GPA.
- Any CA high school graduate or resident of CA earning a GPA between 2.00 and 2.49 may be evaluated for admission based upon supplemental factors.
- Campuses and programs designated as impacted may utilize higher “a-g” GPA thresholds for applicants, as well as identify supplemental criteria and their relative weights, in making admission decisions.

Supplemental Factors

- The California State University (CSU) no longer uses ACT or SAT exams in determining admission eligibility for all CSU campuses.
- Campuses will use a combination of students' "a-g" GPA and supplemental factors to determine admission eligibility. (ex. view any additional "a-g" courses taken above the required 30 semester minimum.)
- Look at extracurricular activities, volunteer work, work experience, etc. There is an activity list that the student can add this information.

[Supplemental Factors by Campus](#)

Impaction

WHAT IS IMPACTION?

Impaction

When the number of applications received by a CSU campus from qualified applicants is greater than the number of available spaces, a campus is considered “impacted” for undergraduate degree programs or for undergraduate students. In this case, an impacted campus is allowed to use additional criteria to screen applications.

- CSU campus is competitive.
- It is recommended that students select an alternative major when applying to a campus that is impacted.
- Meeting the minimum CSU requirements does not guarantee admission to the CSU campus.

Academic Program Impaction for 2022-23

All undergraduate programs, pre-programs, and undeclared/undecided programs are impacted for the following campuses:

- Cal Poly San Luis Obispo
- Fresno State
- CSU Fullerton
- Cal State LA
- CSU Long Beach
- San Diego State University
- San José State

Needed items before you start the application

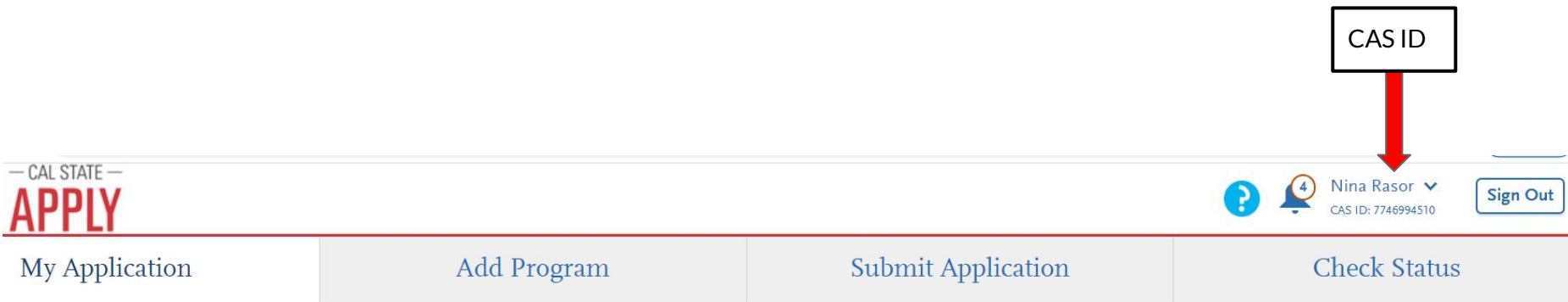
- **A copy of your transcripts** (both high school and college transcripts, if applicable): You'll use these to enter the courses you've completed to fulfill A- G requirements; including courses currently in progress, and those you plan to take. Your transcript is available in your Infinite Campus account.
- **Your Social Security number** (if applicable)
- **Your Citizenship Status**
- **Annual income: Your parent/guardian's annual income**
- **\$70 application fee per campus**
 - Fee waivers for up to 4 campuses for those who qualify
 - Credit card or PayPal
- **Educational Program, Work and Extracurricular Participation Information**

What CSU Don't need:

- **Don't send official transcripts**
 - Until July 1st; send only to campus you will attend
 - Unless requested by a special program or campus
- **Don't send SAT or ACT Scores (NOT accepted)**
- **Don't send AP Score Report**
 - Self-report AP scores on the application
 - Send later to the campus you will attend
- **Recommendation Letters NOT accepted**
 - Unless directly requested by a campus

Important Information

- Keep your user name, password and California State ID (from your application)
- Cal State Apply application opens **Oct 1**
- Deadline for most CSU campuses: **Nov 30** (Deadlines may vary by campus)
- After you submit, check your email often for information from CSU
 - Use your personal email address Not your school email address.
 - Please note if you are using a school chromebook you will not be able to access your personal email account on these devices.
- After submitting your application you are not able to make changes.



The screenshot shows the Cal State Apply website interface. At the top right, a box labeled "CAS ID" has a red arrow pointing down to the user profile dropdown menu. The navigation bar includes the Cal State Apply logo on the left and a "Sign Out" button on the right. The user profile dropdown menu displays the name "Nina Rasor" and the CAS ID "7746994510". Below the navigation bar, there are four buttons: "My Application", "Add Program", "Submit Application", and "Check Status".

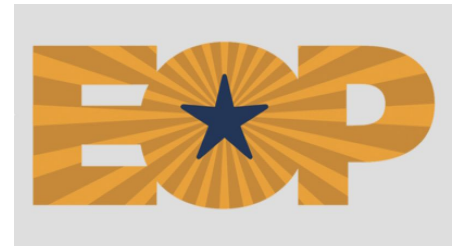
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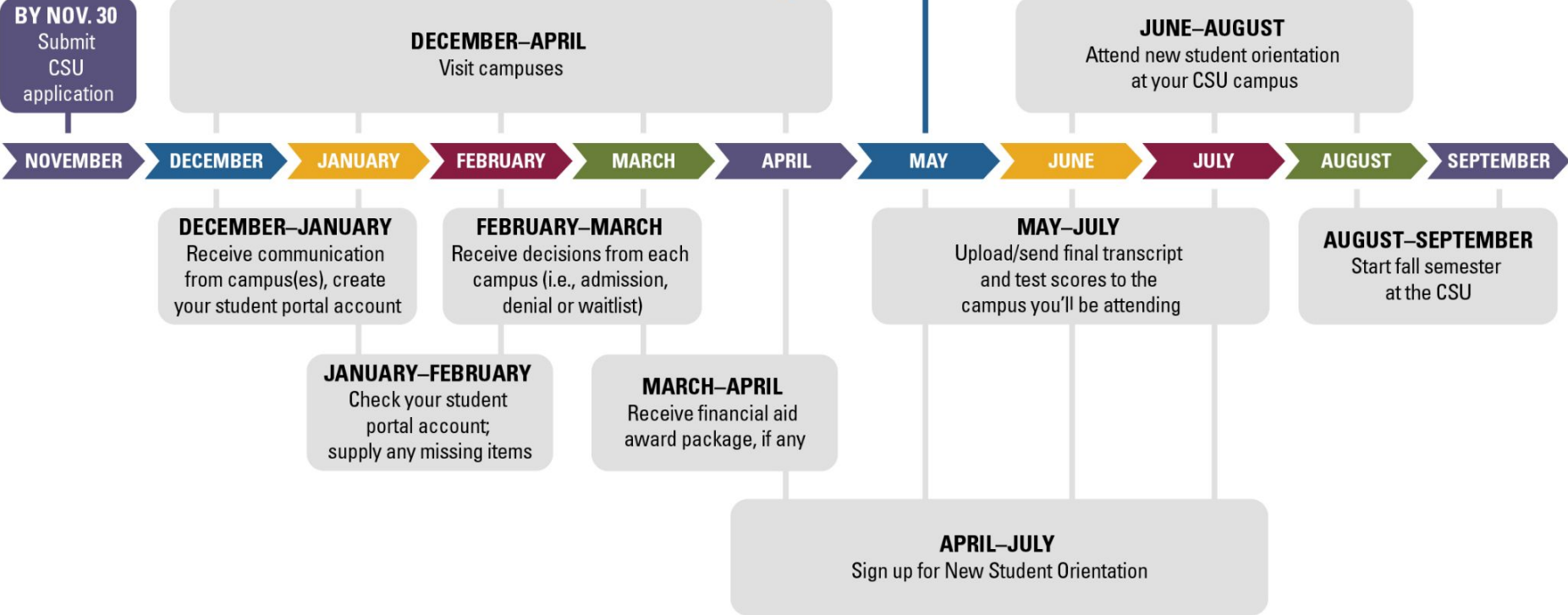
The Educational Opportunity Program (EOP)



EOPS is designed to improve access and retention of historically low-income and educationally disadvantaged students. The program provides admission and academic assistance to EOP-eligible undergraduate students.

- Some campus deadlines may vary, please check EOP deadlines at: [EOP Deadlines by Term.](#)
- To apply, submit the EOP application electronically as part of your Cal State Apply application.
- The EOP application is automatically part of the Supporting Information tile of your Cal State Apply application.
- Make sure to select “Yes” when asked if you are interested in applying to EOP, and complete the EOP application.
- To apply to EOP, you must have two recommendations.

AFTER YOU SUBMIT YOUR CSU APPLICATION



Closing Tips

DEADLINE to Submit - **Nov 30th**

After you Apply

- Printout a copy for your records
- Check emails for messages from campuses.
- Any academic changes to your submitted application, should be reported to each campus you applied to.
 - Examples: dropping or adding a class, level changes, fall grade is lower than C, etc.
- All admission decisions are conditional.

THANK YOU!!!