Welcome to Chico State

At the heart of the tree-filled college town of Chico, California, Chico State is a nationally recognized public university and a 20-time *US News & World Report* Top Public School in the West. With a welcoming spirit and vibrant campus culture, we encourage students to discover their passions and advocate for what they care about through more than 340 academic offerings and cocurricular programs.

Invigorated by the North State’s natural beauty, our students enjoy all the benefits of an inclusive, diverse, and close-knit community—a campus large enough to support a rich experience but intimate enough that professors know your name and are committed to your success.

Our expert faculty work closely with undergraduate and graduate students to create innovative solutions to issues big and small, focusing on practical application with global impact.
In addition to a high quality, high-value education and an active and engaged student body, Chico State prides itself on its strong connection with our community and the state of California. When you become a Wildcat, you join a well-connected network of 183,323 alumni who share the unique experience of learning at a residential university adjacent to a charming downtown with unrivaled access to magnificent natural surroundings.
DEGREE OFFERINGS

Advanced Manufacturing & Applied Robotics BS
Agricultural Business BS
Agricultural Science BS
• Agricultural Communication & Leadership
• Agricultural Science & Education
Animal Science BS
• Food Animal Production
• Pre-Veterinary Science
Anthropology BA
Art BA
• Art Education
• Art History
• Art Studio
Art BFA
• Art Studio
• Interior Architecture
Asian Studies BA
Biochemistry BS
Biological Sciences BA
Biological Sciences BS
• Cellular & Molecular Biology
• Ecological, Evolutionary, & Organismal Biology
• Plant Biology
Business Administration BS
• Accounting
• Entrepreneurship & Small Business Management
• Finance
• Human Resource Management
• Marketing
• Project Management
Business Information Systems BS
• Business Analytics
• Management Information Systems
• Operations & Supply Chain Management
Chemistry BA/BS
Child Development BA
Civil Engineering BS
• Environmental & Water Resources Engineering
• General Civil Engineering
• Structural Engineering
Communication Design BFA
Communication Sciences & Disorders BS
Communication Studies BA
• Communication & Public Affairs
• Organizational Communication
Computer Animation & Game Development BS
• Animation Production
• Game Development
Computer Engineering BS
Computer Information Systems BS
Computer Science BS
Concrete Industry Management BS
Construction Management BS
Criminal Justice BA
Economics BA
Electrical & Electronic Engineering BS
English BA
• English Education
• English Studies
• Literature
Environmental Science BS
• Applied Ecology
• Atmosphere & Climate
• Energy & Earth Resources
• Hydrology
Exercise Physiology BS
French BA
Geography BA
• Human Geography & Planning
• Physical & Environmental Geography
Geology BS
Geosciences BS
• Physical Science Education
• Geosciences Science Education
German BA
Health Services Administration BS
History BA
• General History
• Social Science Pre-Credential
Humanities BA
International Relations BA
Intersectional Chicanx/Latinx Studies BA
Journalism BA
• News
• Public Relations
Kinesiology BA
• Movement Studies
• Coaching & Administration
• Fitness & Wellness
• Physical Education Teacher Education
• Adapted Physical Education Specialist Credential
Latin American Studies BA
Liberal Studies BA
• Bilingual/Cross-Cultural Pre-Credential
• General Pre-Credential
• Liberal Arts Pre-Credential
• Multiple Subjects
Mathematics BS
• Applied Mathematics
• Foundational Mathematics Education
• General Mathematics
• Mathematics Education
• Mathematics Education Credential
• Statistics
Mechanical Engineering BS
Mechatronic Engineering BS
Media Arts BA
- Criticism
- Production
Microbiology BS
- Clinical Laboratory Science
- General Microbiology
Multicultural & Gender Studies BA
- General
- Women’s Studies
Music BA
- General Music
- Music Education
- Music Industry
- Recording Arts
Musical Theatre BFA
Natural Sciences (Science Education) BS
Nursing BS
Nutrition & Food Science BS
- Food & Nutrition Communication
- General Dietetics
- Nutrition Management
Philosophy BA
Physics BS
- General Physics
- Professional Physics
Plant & Soil Science BS
- Crops & Horticulture
- Land & Soil Resource Management
Political Science BA
- Legal Studies
- U.S. Politics
Psychology BA
Public Administration BA
Public Health BS
Recreation, Hospitality, & Parks Management BS
- Event Management
- Parks & Recreation Management
- Resort & Lodging Management
Religious Studies BA
Social Science BA
- Multidisciplinary
- Specialization Studies
Sociology BA
Social Work BA
Spanish BA
- Spanish
- Spanish Pre-Credential
Theatre Arts BA

PRE-PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION
For some fields, your bachelor’s degree may just be the foundation of your education. Choose your major based on your interests, and work with Chico State faculty to prepare for a successful application to professional or graduate schools.
- Pre-Dentistry
- Pre-Forensic Science
- Pre-Law
- Pre-Medicine
- Pre-Optometry
- Pre-Pharmacy
- Pre-Physical Therapy
- Pre-Theology
- Pre-Veterinary

ONLINE DEGREE COMPLETION
Upper-division transfer students are eligible to complete certain bachelor’s degrees online.
- Humanities
- Liberal Studies
- Multicultural & Gender Studies
- Religious Studies
- Sociology
- Social Science
- Nursing for RNs

Discover your passion and turn it into a career at Chico State.
ACTIVITIES ABOUND

WILDCAT RECREATION CENTER
There’s something here for everyone who wants to move! In addition to a great exercise equipment selection, the Wildcat Recreation Center offers an outdoor pool and spa deck, a 3,000-square-foot climbing gym, a variety of 60 group classes per week, basketball courts, and an indoor track.

WILDCAT GAMING LOBBY
The Wildcat Gaming Lobby offers a wide variety of gaming options from PC gaming on MSI Codex R towers to console gaming, and from board games to arcade games. Game casually or competitively with a community of gamers in the Wildcat Gaming Club.

NCAA DIVISION II ATHLETICS
- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cross Country
- Golf
- Soccer
- Softball
- Track & Field
- Women’s Volleyball

RECREATIONAL AND CLUB SPORTS
- Ballroom Dance
- Baseball
- Basketball, Women’s
- Bass Fishing
- Cheer
- Cycling
- Envy Hip Hop
- Expressions Dance
- Golf
- Lacrosse
- Momentum Dance
- Round Net
- Rowing
- Rugby
- Soccer
- Triathlon
- Ultimate
- Volleyball
- Wakeboard
- Water Polo
- Water Ski
- Wildcat Gaming
Your mental and physical wellness are key to your success in college, and at Chico State you are backed by services like the Hungry Wildcat Food Pantry and the Wildcat Health Center, as well as support for neurodiverse students and meditation spaces.

Wildcats benefit from the dual support of academic advisors and advisors embedded in your major’s department. After choosing the right classes to graduate, pass them confidently with free tutoring and utilizing office hours with your professors.

Chico State is a community for everyone. You will find a place here, whether you join one of 200-plus clubs, develop your confidence in the Cross-Cultural Leadership Center, or become a peer mentor in one of our many network programs.
COST OF ATTENDANCE

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APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID

School Code: 001146

FAFSA: December 2023–April 2, 2024
www.studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa

CADAA: December 2023–April 2, 2024
www.dream.csac.ca.gov

Wildcat Scholarships: January 2–February 15
www.csuchico.edu/fa/scholarships/wildcat.shtml
- Apply even if you haven’t been admitted
- One application covers 700 awards
- Major, performance, and need based

Bridging the Gaps
- 2,000+ Student Jobs on Campus
- Basic Needs & Housing Assistance
- Hungry Wildcat Food Pantry

TOP-RATED FOR AFFORDABILITY

- Chico State is #5 in the nation for lowest student debt
- 77% of Chico State students receive financial aid
The hallmark of a true college-town experience is a strong relationship between the University and its city. As a Wildcat, you’ll be a member of the Chico community, contributing your knowledge, skills, and self to its vibrancy while enjoying all it has to offer.

EAT
The small town charm of Chico explodes in flavors as you tour exceptional restaurants throughout the city serving dishes and flavors from all over the world. Find a favorite coffee shop for a study sesh, grab a bite downtown between classes, or pick up produce at the three weekly farmers markets.

EXPLORE
Indoors and outdoors, sunrise hikes to sunset toasts—Chico has four seasons of fun for everyone. Whether you’re a mountain biker, museum goer, craft brew lover, boutique shopper, live music fan, or hiker, there are plenty of places to have fun!

STAY
When family or friends come to visit, they will find a wealth of places to rest and recharge within driving distance to campus, from a family-friendly motel with a swimming pool to a historic downtown hotel or a national brand hotel.
UNIVERSITY VILLAGE

Chico rent is 36% lower than the California average.
University Village (UV) is the only university-owned apartment-style community, and the home for transfer students. Enjoy all the support that comes from live-in resident advisors and on-call professional staff, but in apartment-style quarters just under a mile from campus. You can walk, bike or ride the exclusive Chico State shuttle to get to your classes and back, passing more than a dozen restaurants and a grocery store on the way.

**UNIVERSITY VILLAGE FEATURES**

- 24-hour on-call professional staff
- Apartment-style living
- Free cloud printing
- On-site laundry facilities
- Permitted, gated parking for residents
- Wildcat Campus Shuttle
- Two swimming pools and a hot tub
Lower-Division Transfer
Less than 60 college-level units

1. Have completed with a grade C- or better, courses that satisfy:
   A2. English composition
   B4. College-level mathematics

2. Earn a qualifying GPA.
   • Minimum 2.0 transferrable GPA.
   • Good academic standing at last institution attended.

3. Must meet one of these eligibility standards:
   • Satisfies the current freshman admission requirements.
   • Was eligible as a freshman at the time of high school graduation and has been in continuous attendance in an accredited college since high school graduation.
   • Has a qualifying high school GPA, has made up missing high school a–g subjects with a grade of C- or better, and has been in continuous attendance in an accredited college since high school graduation.

Upper-Division Transfer
60 or more college-level units

1. Complete 60 transferrable semester (90 quarter) units. Units must include:
   • 30 Semester (45 quarter) units of general education with a C or better
   • “Golden Four” courses with a C- or better:
     A1. Oral communication
     A2. English composition
     A3. Critical thinking
     B4. College-level mathematics

Transfer units must be completed by the end of:
• Spring term prior to entering fall
• Fall term prior to entering spring

2. Earn a qualifying GPA.
   • Minimum 2.0 transferrable GPA.
   • Good academic standing at last institution attended.

Application dates are subject to extension. Check Cal State Apply after the deadlines for current status.

Apply today!
www.calstate.edu/apply

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