You Are Chico State

YOU BELONG HERE

#IAmChicoState

Job Placement Rates for many programs: 100%

Lowest Monthly Off-Campus Housing Costs: $475/MO

Low Student:Faculty Ratio at Chico State: 23:1

Apply at www2.calstate.edu
Pursue Your Passion

345 UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE ACADEMIC PROGRAMS
PROUD TO BE A COLLEGE TOWN

Our picturesque campus is conveniently located right next to downtown Chico—rated a “Top-10 Best College Town” by Matador Network in 2017. Students enjoy Chico’s natural beauty and welcoming atmosphere, and most live within walking or biking distance of the University.

AFFORDABLE COLLEGE DEGREE

Chico State has earned the distinction of being a “Best Bang for Your Buck” college based on the high academic standards and one of the lowest costs of attendance of any college. We offer a full range of scholarships, grants, work-study, and loans from state and federal sources. 77% of our students receive financial aid.

LOW COST OF LIVING

90% of Chico State students live on campus or within on or two miles of campus, making it easy to be fully immersed in the college experience.

Most students choose to live in University Housing their first year of college to ease the transition from living at home. It’s a wonderful way to make life-long friends and it offers the convenience of being right on campus. Check out the benefits of being on campus at www.csuchico.edu/housing/

Wildcat Off-Campus Housing Connections represents property owners and property managers who are currently providing off-campus rental housing in the Chico community and historically work alongside the University to ensure student success with their off-campus housing experience. Chico State has the lowest off campus housing costs in the CSU. View off-campus housing options at www.csuchico.edu/offcampus/connection

Why Students Love It Here

Take a virtual tour at www.csuchico.edu/housing/tours.shtml

2,335 STUDENTS LIVE ON CAMPUS

249 SUNNY DAYS A YEAR

CAMAUS

BORDERS DOWNTOWN CHICO

Mount Shasta 2.5 hours

Lake Tahoe 3 hours

San Francisco 3 hours

Sacramento 1.5 hours

Los Angeles 8 hours

San Diego 10 hours

California

Our Location

BIKE-FRIENDLY CITY

HIKING TRAILS GALORE

A HAVEN FOR FOODIES

EMERGING TECH TOWN

TREE CITY USA

PROMINENT ARTS COMMUNITY
“A lot of corporate recruiters looking for salespeople will now only recruit at a university that has a recognized sales program like ours.” —Chico State College of Business lecturer Bill McGowan.

Ryan Brumfield
Major: Business Administration

“Choose Distinction
Choose Affordability
Choose Chico!”

Money magazine selected Chico State as one of its “100 Best Colleges for your Money” after ranking more than 700 colleges across the nation for educational quality, affordability, and alumni career earnings. The University not only placed in the top 15 percent but led all 23 campuses in the CSU system while also ranking eighth in Money’s “50 Colleges That Add the Most Value” and 40th in its “50 Best Public Colleges” national lists.

“The field keeps constantly changing, so you need to stay at the top. Collaborating with my professor on source code projects helped me do that.”

Konstantin Rebrov
Major: Computer Science

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Megan Rivera
Major: Agriculture Education

“The exercise physiology course captured my heart,” she said. “I knew I was in the right place, studying the right material, for the right reasons.”

Katie Rosauer
Major: Exercise Physiology

The Arts and Humanities Building, a state-of-the-art, multidisciplinary learning and teaching facility features 90,000 square feet of configurable, smart classrooms and high-tech labs. The LEED-certified building is as sustainable as it is visually stunning. Designed as an incubator for students’ creativity, it includes ceramics, glassblowing, and recording arts studios, multimedia-capable rehearsal spaces, three art galleries, and an acoustically advanced recital hall.

200+ Student-Led Clubs and Organizations

Chico State has 13 Division II men’s and women’s athletic teams, boasting academically strong student-athletes as well as national title winners.

Men’s Sports
- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cross Country
- Golf
- Soccer
- Track & Field

Women’s Sports
- Basketball
- Cross Country
- Golf
- Soccer
- Softball
- Track & Field
- Volleyball
How Do I Get In?

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS FOR 2021 (only)

FRESHMEN For fall 2021 admittance, SAT or ACT scores will not be used to determine eligibility. You must complete your A–G courses by the end of your senior year with a grade C or better. A “pass” or “credit” grade will be allowed for coursework completed during the spring 2020 or summer 2020 term. You must also earn a qualifying academic GPA.

1. CA residents: 2.5
2. Non-residents: 3.0

†Due to impaction, a higher GPA may be required for out-of-area students.

TRANSFER A “pass” or “credit” grade will be allowed for coursework completed during the spring 2020 or summer 2020 term. All other requirements are unchanged (please see below).

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS FOR 2022 (and beyond)
The basic considerations for regular admission are:

• Strength of your high school curriculum and academic performance
• Completion of the SAT or ACT exam

FRESHMEN

1. Apply at www2.calstate.edu
2. Fall: October 1–November 30
3. Take an ACT and/or SAT by December of your senior year.
4. Highest scores used to determine eligibility.

Complete these college preparatory requirements with C or better by the end of your senior year.

Mathematics

1. English
2. History
3. Biology
4. Social Science

How Do I Get In?

We’re Proud To Be Rated A Top-10 Regional Public University WHERE YOU’LL RECEIVE A QUALITY DEGREE IN:

Advanced Manufacturing & Applied Robotics BS
Agribusiness BS
Agricultural Science & Education BS
Agricultural Business BS
Animal Science BS
Anthropology BA
Art BA
Art Education
Art History
Art Studio
Art BFA (Bachelor of Fine Arts)
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
Management
Marketing
Project Management
Business Information Systems BS
Business Analytics
Management Information Systems
Operations & Supply Chain Management
Chemistry BA
Chemistry BS
Child Development BA
Civil Engineering BS
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 Sciences 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
Science Education with a Concentration in Geosciences

German BA
Health Services Administration BS
History BA
General History
Pre-Credential Social Science

Humanities BA
International Relations BA

International Chickens/Latinx Studies BA
Journalism BA(*)
News
Public Relations

Kinesiology BA
Movement Studies
Coaching & Administration
Fitness & Wellness
Physical Education

Teacher Education

Latin American Studies BA
Liberal Studies BA
Bilingual/Cross-Cultural (Pre-Credential)
General (Pre-Credential)
General Online
Liberal Arts (Pre-Credential)
Multiple Subjects

Mathematics BS
Applied Mathematics
Foundational Mathematics Education
General Mathematics
Mathematics Education
Statistics
Mathematics Education (Credental)

Mechanical Engineering BS
Mechatronic Engineering BS

Media arts BA
Criticism
Production

Microbiology BS
Clinical Laboratory Science
General Microbiology

Music BA
General Music
Music Education
Music Industry
Recording Arts

Multicultural & Gender Studies BA
Multicultural & Gender Studies
Women’s Studies

Natural Sciences BS
Science Education

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
U.S. Politics
Legal Studies

Psychology BA
Public Administration BA

Public Health BS
Recreation, Hospitality, & Parks Management BS
Event Management
Parks & Recreation Management
Recreation Therapy
Resort & Lodging Management

Religious Studies BA
Spanish BA
General
Pre-Credential

Social Science BA
Multidisciplinary Studies
Multidisciplinary Studies Online
Specialization Studies
Specialization Studies Online

Social Work BA
Sociology BA
Sociology Online

Theatre Arts BA

PRE-PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMS

Pre-Dentistry
Pre-Forensic Science
Pre-Law
Pre-Medicine
Pre-Optometry
Pre-Pharmacy
Pre-Physical Therapy
Pre-Theology
Pre-Veterinary

Earn a qualifying GPA.

• Minimum 2.0 transferable GPA
• Good academic standing at last institution attended

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1. Apply at www2.calstate.edu
2. Fall: October 1–November 30
3. Complete 60 transferable semester (90 quarter) units.
   Units must include
   • 30 semester (45 quarter) units of general education with C or better
   • “Golden Four” courses with 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 in fall
   • Fall term prior to entering in spring

Earn a qualifying GPA.

• Minimum 2.0 transferable GPA
• Good academic standing at last institution attended

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Based on 2020-2021 year, subject to change.

Options available in the major
Patterns within the option
(*) Majors that require a formal minor
TAKE A CAMPUS TOUR
You’ll be met by one of our student ambassadors for a tour of our extraordinary campus. Have your questions answered by an admissions counselor and tour the grounds, buildings, residence halls, and Wildcat Recreation Center.

Schedule your visit now:
Online: [www.csuchico.edu/admissions/visit](http://www.csuchico.edu/admissions/visit)
Call: 1.800.542.4426
Email: info@csuchico.edu

VISIT CAMPUS
BY ATTENDING ONE OF OUR SPECIAL EVENTS
To confirm dates, go to [https://www.csuchico.edu/admissions/visit/special-events.shtml](https://www.csuchico.edu/admissions/visit/special-events.shtml)
Academic Support
YOU’LL NEVER HAVE TO GO IT ALONE.
Everyone at Chico State is invested in your success.

ADVISING SUPPORT
Chico State uses a dual advising system: a general academic advisor will help with all your general education (GE) planning, and a department advisor will help navigate your major requirements.

COLLEGE RETENTION SPECIALIST
We want our students to succeed in their college goals. We have specialists who keep an eye on your progress and are there to step in when you need it most.

COACHING AND MENTORING
We provide writing help, math tutoring, presentation practice, and workshops on test-taking. When you are ready to enter the working world, Career Center advisors will help you with your résumé, cover letter, interviewing skills, and job placement assistance.

The Writing Center offers FREE, one-on-one writing support for our students.

Stress relief dogs are on campus during finals week.

Students can download Office 365 for FREE on up to five computers and devices.

“STUDY-ABROAD PROGRAMS RANKED IN THE TOP THREE NATIONALLY.”
— U.S. News & World Report

WHAT SETS US APART
• The latest technologies in classrooms
• Research facilities provide state-of-the-art interactive learning for students majoring in STEM fields
• Internships with local, regional, and national companies
• 800-acre farm and livestock teaching facilities

30 AVERAGE CLASS SIZE

17,000 APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF STUDENTS
TO THE
LEARNERS, THINKERS, AND DOERS
WE SEE SOMETHING SPECIAL IN YOU

You Are Chico State

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