

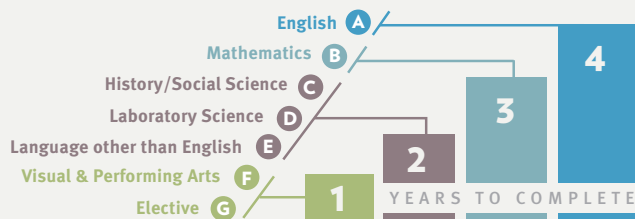
# CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, CHICO

## FRESHMEN STEPS TO ADMISSION

**1** Apply via [www.calstate.edu/apply](http://www.calstate.edu/apply)  
Fall: October 1–November 30

**2** Take an ACT and/or SAT by December of your senior year.  
Highest scores used to determine eligibility.

**3** Complete A–G requirements with C or better.



**4** Earn a qualifying eligibility index.\*

Index is calculated using 10th and 11th grade academic GPA and test scores.

### SAT index

March 2016 forward:  $(\text{GPA} \times 800) + (\text{SAT Math} + \text{EBRW})$

### ACT index

$(\text{GPA} \times 200) + (\text{ACT Composite} \times 10)$

### CSU minimum index

CA residents: SAT = 2950; ACT = 694

Non resident: SAT = 3570; ACT = 864

\*Due to impaction, a higher index is required of out-of-area students.

## TRANSFER STEPS TO ADMISSION

**1** Apply via [www.calstate.edu/apply](http://www.calstate.edu/apply)  
Fall: October 1–November 30  
Spring: August 1–31

**2** Complete 60 transferable semester (90 quarter) units.

Units must include

- ▶ 30 semester (45 quarter) units of general education with a 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

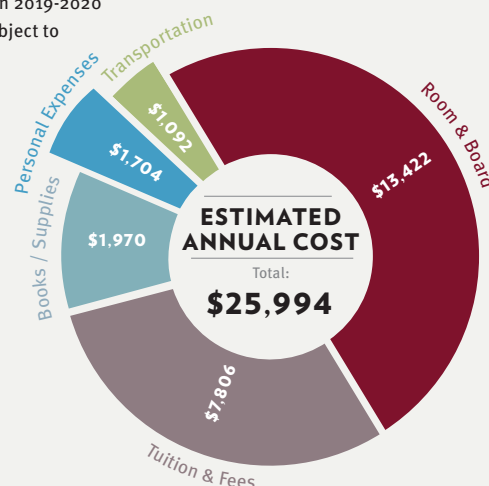
**3** Earn a qualifying GPA.

- ▶ Minimum 2.0 transferable GPA\*
- ▶ Good academic standing at last institution attended

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## COSTS AND FINANCES

Based on 2019-2020 year, subject to change.



**Apply for financial aid using FAFSA:**

October 1–March 2  
(School Code: 001146)  
[studentaid.ed.gov/sa/fafsa](http://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/fafsa)

**Apply for the Wildcat Scholarship:**

January 2–February 15  
<https://csuchico.academicworks.com>

**Apply for financial aid using DREAM application:**

October 1–March 2  
<https://dream.csac.ca.gov>

**Financial Aid & Scholarship Office**

+ 530-898-6451  
+ [finaid@csuchico.edu](mailto:finaid@csuchico.edu)  
+ [www.csuchico.edu/fa](http://www.csuchico.edu/fa)

### Housing Contact Information:

University housing: 530-898-6325  
Off-campus student services & housing: 530-898-6131

## CHICO STATE AT A GLANCE

TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENTS

**17,488**

**23:1**

STUDENT-TO-FACULTY RATIO

Average Undergraduate

**Class Size**

**30 STUDENTS**

**13** Division II Men's and Women's Athletic Teams

### 2019 FRESHMAN PROFILE

Applicants	25,907
Admitted	18,754
Acceptance Rate	72%
Average Admitted Index	3911
Average Admitted GPA	3.41
Average Admitted SAT	1095
Average Admitted ACT	22

### 2019 TRANSFER PROFILE

Applicants	7,769
Admitted	4,352
Acceptance Rate	56%
Average Admitted GPA	3.13

1 of 4 CSU residential campuses

Free local transportation

## UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS BY COLLEGE

### COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE

*Are you passionate about animals, growing plants or crops, and making food healthier?*

#### Agricultural Business—BS

#### Agriculture—BS

- Agricultural Science & Education
- Crops, Horticulture, & Land Resource Management

#### Animal Science—BS

### COLLEGE OF BEHAVIORAL & SOCIAL SCIENCES

*Are you curious about people, places, groups, societies, nations, and policies? Do you want to learn and understand how these topics develop, inform each other, and shape our lives?*

#### Anthropology—BA

#### Child Development—BA

#### Criminal Justice—BA

#### Economics—BA

#### Geography—BA

- Human Geography & Planning
- Physical & Environmental Geography

#### Health Services Administration—BS

#### International Relations—BA

#### Intersectional Chicana/Latina Studies—BA

#### Multicultural and Gender Studies—BA

- Multicultural & Gender Studies
- Women's Studies

#### Political Science—BA

- U.S. Politics
- Legal Studies

#### Psychology—BA

#### Public Administration—BA

#### Public Health—BS

#### Social Science—BA

- Multidisciplinary Studies
- Multidisciplinary Studies Online
- Specialization Studies
- Specialization Studies Online

#### Social Work—BA

#### Sociology—BA

- Sociology
- Sociology Online

### COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

*Do you wonder how organizations operate? Are you interested in problem solving, decision making, or streamlining a process? Do you like being in charge or marketing products?*

#### Business Administration—BS

- Accounting
- Entrepreneurship & Small Business Management
- Finance

- Human Resource Management
- Management
- Marketing
- Project Management

#### Business Information Systems—BA

- Management Information Systems
- Operations & Supply Chain Management

### COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION & EDUCATION

*Do you enjoy helping others? Are you a leader? Do you hope to gain effective communication skills, maintain a healthy mind and body, or participate in the community? Do you like teaching, planning, communicating, designing or writing?*

#### Communication Design—BFA

#### Communication Sciences and Disorders—BA

#### Communication Studies—BA (\*)

- Communication & Public Affairs
- Organizational Communication

#### Exercise Physiology—BS

#### Journalism—BA (\*)

- News
- Public Relations

#### Kinesiology—BA

- Movement Studies
- Physical Education Teacher Education

#### Liberal Studies—BA

- Bilingual/Cross-Cultural
- General
- General Online
- Liberal Arts
- Multiple Subjects

#### Media Arts—BA

- Criticism
- Production

#### Recreation, Hospitality, and Parks Management—BS

- Community & Commercial Recreation & Tourism
- Event Management
- Parks & Natural Resources Management
- Recreation Therapy
- Resort & Lodging Management

### COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, COMPUTER SCIENCE, & CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT

*Are you curious about how things work? Do you characterize yourself as innovative and interested in making things better, faster, stronger, simpler, smarter, quicker, quieter, more sustainable, and more efficient?*

#### Civil Engineering—BS

#### Computer Animation and Game Development—BA

- Animation Production
- Game Development

#### Computer Engineering—BS

#### Computer Information Systems—BS (\*)

#### Computer Science—BS

#### Concrete Industry Management—BS (\*)

#### Construction Management—BS

#### Electrical & Electronic Engineering—BS (\*127)

#### Mechanical Engineering—BS

#### Mechatronic Engineering—BS

#### Sustainable Manufacturing—BS

### COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES & FINE ARTS

*Do you like to study human expression of ideas through the arts, language, literature, and philosophy?*

#### Art—BA

- Art Education
- Art History
- Art Studio

#### Art—BFA (Bachelor of Fine Arts)

- Art Studio
- Interior Architecture

#### Asian Studies—BA

#### English—BA

- English Education
- English Studies
- Literature

#### French—BA

#### German—BA

#### History—BA

- General History
- Pre-Credential Social Science

#### Humanities—BA

#### Latin American Studies—BA

#### Music—BA

- General Music
- Music Education
- Music Industry
- Recording Arts

#### Musical Theatre—BA

#### Philosophy—BA

#### Religious Studies—BA

- Religious Studies
- Religious Studies Online

#### Spanish—BA

#### Theatre Arts—BA

### COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCES

*Do you have an interest in the structures and patterns of life, environments, and the physical world?*

#### Biochemistry—BS

#### Biological Sciences—BA

#### Biological Sciences—BS

- Cellular & Molecular Biology
- Ecological, Evolutionary, &

#### Organismal Biology

- Plant Biology

#### Chemistry—BA

#### Chemistry—BS

#### Environmental Sciences—BS

- Applied Ecology
- Atmosphere & Climate
- Energy & Earth Resources
- Hydrology

#### Geology—BS

#### Geosciences—BS

- Physical Science Education
- Science Education

#### Mathematics—BS

- Applied Mathematics
- General Mathematics
- Foundational Mathematics Education
- Mathematics Education
- Statistics
- Mathematics Education (Credential)

#### Microbiology—BS

- Clinical Laboratory Science
- General Microbiology

#### Natural Sciences (Science Education)—BS

#### Nursing—BS

#### Nutrition and Food Science—BS

- Food & Nutrition Communication
- General Dietetics
- Nutrition Management

#### Physics—BS

- General Physics
- Professional Physics

### PRE-PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMS

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

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