AT A GLANCE

- 10 minutes from Downtown
- 25:1 Student to faculty ratio
- 130+ Student organizations
- Enrollment: 28,000
- Undergrads: 24,002
- Female: 58%, Male: 42%

Popular Majors
- Criminal Justice
- Sociology
- Business Admin.
- Child Development
- Psychology

Unique Areas of Study
- Rehabilitation Services
- Fire Protection Administration (Transfers only)
- Women, Gender and Sexuality Studies
IN THE NEWS

- Cal State LA is ranked #1 in the Nation for Upward Mobility
- Statewide award winner for zero-emission vehicle sharing program
- Awarded $1 million grant to support diversity in filmmaking
- Ranked top 10 by Washington Monthly for service, research and social mobility
- Cal State LA BioSpace is leading the University’s mission to promote a thriving bioscience ecosystem in the heart of Los Angeles.
## ADMISSION SUMMARY

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Priority admissions consideration is given to local area freshman and transfer applicants.

• Freshmen - Local if graduating from a high school in our local area.
  o Non-Local EI (Cut Off) –4040 (Fall ‘18)

• Transfers - Local if:
  o The last school attended is a local community college AND the majority of units were completed at this school.
  o Or, they will/have earned an Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) in a major deemed ‘similar’ to the Cal State LA major at one of our community colleges.
  o Non-Local GPA (Cut Off) –Varied by major (Fall ‘18)

• Veterans – Cal State LA gives ‘Local Preference’ to all military veterans regardless of their school of origin. This Veterans category includes active-duty, reservists, and National Guard.

http://www.calstatela.edu/admissions
All programs at Cal State LA will have MSC requirements beginning Fall 2020.

Freshman

- Minimum Cal State LA eligibility requirements
  - Complete A-G courses with a grade of “C” of better prior to high school graduation.
  - Must meet the minimum CSU Eligibility Index.
  - Must have achieved a minimum 2.70 GPA in the A-G requirements
  - Must graduate from high school, by the spring term prior to fall enrollment.
- Local freshman applicants will be offered admission if they meet the minimum Cal State LA freshman admission requirements stated above.
- Freshman applicants who are non-local will be ranked by GPA in the 'A-G' courses and offered admission based on space availability in the major or college.
- Depending on the program, freshmen will either be admitted as a pre-major or directly into the program.
- Nursing for freshmen requires supplemental criteria, for more information visit the website.

Transfer

- All Cal State LA majors have Major-Specific Criteria (MSC) which focus on student preparation that predicts success in the major and promotes timely degree completion.
  - CSU eligible applicants who are considered local will be offered admission if they meet the required minimum MSC criteria.
  - CSU eligible non-local applicants who meet the required minimum MSC will be admitted on a space-available basis based on their cumulative GPA and any recommended courses specified in the criteria.
  - Students are encouraged to take recommended courses to be competitive.
CAMPUS RESOURCES

**Dreamers Resource Center**
Serves undocumented students with information and resources to promote college admissions, persistence, graduation, graduate school, and professional careers.

**First Year Experience**
Provides seminars and workshops to share knowledge of campus resources, events, and how to succeed in college.

**Veterans Resource Center**
The Veterans Resource Center (VRC) is committed to enhancing the higher education access and success for our nation’s military.

**Cal State LA Food Pantry**
Provides current students with free food regardless of verified need as a means of supporting their wellbeing.

**Mind Matters Initiative**
Provides resources like guided meditation and stress coping workshops to support students’ inner well-being.

**Guardian Scholars**
Provides priority registration, housing assistance, counseling and life skills development for current or former foster youth.
GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS

General Scholarship
$100 - $5000/year
One application to over 400 scholarships

The Honors College: Offers seminar-style classes, additional research opportunities, priority registration and dedicated scholarships.

President’s Scholars
- $2,500 - $6,800/year
- Incoming first time Freshman
- 3.75 CSU
- High School GPA
- 1270 SAT (EBRW and Math only)
  or 27 ACT Composite

Edison Scholars
Supports honors College students in STEM majors

Osher Scholars
Considers transferring Honors College Students with financial need

Honors College Scholars: Additional scholarships offered to incoming freshmen who have demonstrated great potential, motivation, and a commitment to education.
NEXT STEPS FOR APPLICANTS

• If you have questions about the application, ask your counselor or a CSU campus representative, to help check it for accuracy before you hit submit.
• Apply for financial aid – complete your FAFSA or California Dream Act application by March 2, 2020.
• Apply online at calstate.edu/apply by November 30, 2019.
• After you apply, check your email on a regular basis and respond promptly.
• Regardless of GPA, freshman must take the SAT or ACT no later than the December test date. Submit scores to the campus by January 15, 2020.
• Transfer applicants will complete application update: January 2020.
• Decisions begin going out February and all decisions will go out by April 1, 2020.
• Conditionally admitted transfer students must submit official transcripts thru fall 2019, within 30 day of admission offer.
• If offered admission:
  • Apply for Housing (if desired)  February 2020
  • Submit Enrollment Confirmation Deposit  May 1, 2020
  • Submit Final Transcripts (from all institutions attended)  July 15, 2020
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