UC APPLICATION HELP AND INFORMATION TO HELP YOU TO MEET THE NOVEMBER 30TH DEADLINE!!!!!

UC Application Center hours Students who need help on their application can call the UC Application Center at (800) 207-1710 (within the U.S.) or (661) 336-5723 (outside the U.S.) The Application Center can also be reached at ucinfo@applyuscupport.net. The Application Center is open:

**Hours:** Monday - Friday: 10am-6pm PST Saturday & Sunday: Closed

**Seasonal Hours:** Nov. 1-23: Monday-Friday 8am-10pm PST
Nov. 24-26: 8am-11pm PST
Nov. 27 (Thanksgiving Day): Closed
Nov. 28-30: 8am-Midnight PST

Sending Test Scores

Test scores: Applicants who plan to take or retake the SAT or ACT after the application deadline can list planned test dates on the application and submit their official scores by the end of December. To expedite the delivery of these test scores, UC does not recommend applicants use the ACT Priority Reporting or College Board's Score Choice function or Rush Score delivery. All official test scores can be submitted to one campus, as test scores are disseminated to all campuses to which the student has applied.

SAT Subject Test: Although not required by UC, some programs recommend completion of specific Subject Tests. The guidelines outlined above apply to Subject Tests. For recommendations, visit: [http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/freshman/requirements/examination-requirement/SAT-subject-tests/index.html](http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/freshman/requirements/examination-requirement/SAT-subject-tests/index.html)

CSU’ MUST RECEIVE SCORES NO LATER THAN JANUARY 24TH!! CHECK WITH OTHER SCHOOLS FOR DEADLINES.

Application Assistance

Anyone needing help on their College Applications is welcome to come to Room 403 on Thursdays from 3-5pm. Senior counselors will be on hand to answer questions and review your applications before you submit

In addition, the Career Center will be open for students who need help on Friday November 21st...but remember this will be a minimum day AND the last chance for assistance before our Thanksgiving Break and the November 30th deadline!!
Top Five Reminders for UC Freshman Applicants:

1. **Send official ACT, SAT and TOEFL scores to just one UC campus:** UC will share them with all campuses to which you applied.

2. **December Examination Dates are acceptable** even though the application is due by November 30th. Indicate your Dec. 2014 planned test date(s) on the admission application; be sure to request that the official scores be sent to one UC campus.

3. **Do not send transcripts/academic records:** UC will request them if they are needed during the review process. Remember...all acceptances are conditional until receipt of final transcript.

4. **Do not send letters of recommendation:** UC does not require them or read them unless requested.

5. After submitting your application, you can log in to your application to review and, if necessary, **change your telephone number, e-mail, mailing address or report new SAT, ACT, TOEFL, or International Exam Scores.** Minor changes to your activities, awards, volunteer work, employment or personal statement are unlikely to have an impact on your admission decision. However, if you have significant updates in any of these areas, you may notify the UC Application Center at ucinfo@applyucsupport.net.

**PROPERLY USING THE UC “ADDITIONAL COMMENTS” SECTION**

The purpose of the additional comments box is not to write an additional personal statement but rather to explain anything that may be unclear in other parts of the application. For example, students can use the additional comments sections to explain course taking or grades earned patterns, a circumstance that prevented the student from doing something they wanted to do such as take more rigorous courses, or a prolonged illness. Students can also use this area to tell UC about a learning difference or other issues related to their academic ability.

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While admissions staff will read whatever the student writes, it is not helpful to readers if the student does not add information of value. The specific instructions are:

**Additional Comments (optional) – max. 550 characters** Tell us anything else you want us to know about your academic record that you have not had the opportunity to describe elsewhere in this section.

**Following Personal Statement:**

**Additional Comments (optional)** If you wish, you may use this space to tell us anything else you want us to know about you that you have not had the opportunity to describe elsewhere in the application.

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**Official Transcripts may be requested at www.parchment.com**
CSU APPLICATION NEWS: Use CSUMentor to Apply to all CSU campuses by November 30th

EOP: Educational Opportunity Program

About EOP

The Educational Opportunity Program is designed to improve student academic support of low-income and educationally disadvantaged students. An EOP student has the potential to perform satisfactorily in the CSU but has not been able to realize this potential because of economic or educational background. The program provides admission, academic, and financial assistance to EOP-eligible undergraduate students.

EOP provides information to help you select a campus and assists you in completing the admission process. Once admitted as an EOP student, you can enroll in an EOP summer program to strengthen your math, reading, or other skills. Orientation sessions are provided to help you learn about campus services and programs. During your enrollment in college, you can receive counseling, tutoring, and advising services. If you are eligible, an EOP grant may be awarded.

Who May Apply?

Only low-income, disadvantaged students who need admission assistance and support services to succeed in college are admitted to EOP. They must demonstrate academic potential, motivation to succeed, and meet the income criteria.

CHECK WITH EACH CAMPUS TO FIND OUT WHEN THE APPLICATION FOR EOP IS DUE. EACH CSU CAMPUS HAS THEIR OWN DEADLINE SOME MAY BE AS EARLY AS NOVEMBER 30TH!!

Students will use this site to apply to all CSU campuses. Simply log in, click on UNDERGRADUATE APPLICATIONS, choose your campus, and away you go!

TIP #1
All senior classes are “IN PROGRESS” for fall semester and PLANNED” for spring

TIP #2
Don’t forget to list your Econ class under College Prep Electives

TIP #3
Make sure your coursework matches what’s on your transcript

TIP #4
CSU’S MUST RECEIVE TEST SCORES BY JANUARY 24TH!

TIP #5
Be accurate but if you need to make changes to your CSULB application? Email Enrollment Services at es-admit@csulb.edu and explain all necessary changes. Be sure to include your CSULB Campus ID in all communications to our campus.

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Taking your placement test early guarantees students an early registration appointment and greater access to classes.

Space is limited!!

DETAILS ON THE WINDOW FOR REGISTRATION TO FOLLOW!

**STEPS TO SUCCESSFUL REGISTRATION:**
Submit your LBCC application online at [www.lbcc.edu](http://www.lbcc.edu)

Starting the Monday **AFTER** you submit, you will call 562.938.4485 for you ID #
(Expect to be on hold for a while!)

Register for the Early Bird at:
[https://matric.lbcc.edu/EB_signup.cfm](https://matric.lbcc.edu/EB_signup.cfm)**
(This link can be found on the Career Center homepage on Schoolloop as well)

Print confirmation and parking permit

Show up!