The UC application’s Nov. 30 deadline is fast approaching, especially since it falls on Thanksgiving weekend this year. We know this can be a highly stressful time for you and wanted to provide a few last-minute reminders:

Students have until 11:59 p.m. PST on Nov. 30 to submit your applications. Remember to be thorough and careful before submitting your application. After the application is submitted, an applicant can ONLY make changes to contact information, update self-reported test scores and complete application fee payments.

The UC Application Center should be the go-to resource for anyone with any application questions this week and next.

Hours:
Nov. 1-24, Monday–Friday: 8 a.m.–10 p.m. PST; closed Saturday and Sunday
Nov. 25–27: 8 a.m.–11 p.m.
Thanksgiving Day: closed
Extended hours, Nov. 29-30: 8 a.m.–midnight PST

Email: ucinfo@applyUCsupport.net
Phone: (800) 207-1710, toll free in the U.S.; (661) 336-5723 outside the U.S.
Address: UC Application Center, P.O. Box 1432, Bakersfield, CA 93302

SENDING TEST SCORES TO UC CAMPUSES

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
When Do You Send AP Scores?

Advanced Placement/International Baccalaureate:
AP/IB scores must be reported on the admission application. Official scores must be submitted by the testing agency, after acceptance of an offer of admission, to the one campus at which the student plans to enroll.

Although the College Board reports all AP tests results to the UC campus, students should be aware that AP test scores lower than 3 will not adversely affect their chances for admission, nor will IB Higher Level individual subject grades below 5.

TRANSCRIPTS: TO SEND OR NOT TO SEND

One last reminder, UC does not require official academic transcripts at the time of application or letters of recommendation. Please do not submit them.

You will be asked to send a final transcript after graduation to validate your self-reported classes and grades.

Remember...all acceptances are conditional until receipt of final transcript

LAST CHANCE APPLICATION ASSISTANCE:

Anyone needing help on their College Applications is welcome to come to the Career Center on Thursday 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 all day Wednesday before Thanksgiving...but remember, it is a minimum day!
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!!
Dear EOP Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the Educational Opportunity Program (EOP) at California State University, Long Beach. This is the ONLY opportunity you can apply to EOP. Let’s start working on completing the EOP application by logging onto csumentor.edu and click on the “Apply Online” tab. The EOP application is at the bottom.

The EOP Program is available at all of the 22 CSU campuses, no EOP Program at CSU Maritime. I encourage you to complete the EOP application as soon as possible. This includes your two recommendation forms, so following up with your recommenders is key!!! Each EOP office has their own deadline. Do not be left out.

ELIGIBILITY INDEX

Remember that the CSU system bases your admission on the eligibility index. Please send us all of your SAT 1 and ACT scores up to December 2013 so that we can determine your best index by mix matching your test scores. The formula to determine eligibility is:

\[(\text{CSU Weighted GPA} \times 800) + (\text{SAT Critical Reading Score} + \text{SAT Math Score})\]

There are currently 7 non-competitive CSU campuses.

- Bakersfield
- Channel Islands
- Dominguez Hills
- East Bay
- Maritime
- Monterey Bay
- Stanislaus

Using the formula above, your eligibility index should be equal to or greater than 2900 for the non-competitive CSU Campuses. CSU Long Beach will be looking to admit students with a minimum index of a 3200 or greater. Since CSULB is campus impacted, certain majors are index specific for admission into those majors.

STEM ELIGIBILITY INDEX – CSULB ONLY

If you are declaring any Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics as your major, you must determine your eligibility index using the STEM formula which is:

\[(\text{CSU Weighted GPA} \times 600) + \text{SAT Critical Reading Score} + (\text{SAT Math Score} \times 2)\]

CSU Long Beach will be admitting students with a minimum STEM index of a 3300, unless the major has a higher index specific number than the 3300 minimum, like Nursing.

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.