TORO ADMIT WEEK
FINANCIAL AID OVERVIEW

“I SUBMITTED MY FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION...”

“What’s next?”
TOPICS

- The Financial Aid Process in Six Steps
- Costs and Types of Aid
- Installment Plans for Tuition & Fees, University Housing, Special Circumstances, and Financial Aid TV (FATV)
Just for fun…how are you feeling?

- **Nervous**
  “I/we really don’t want to mess up.”

- **Exhausted**
  “This college and financial aid process is a lot of work.”

- **Frustrated**
  “I turned in my documents, and the office wants more! Oh-em-gee!”

- **Overwhelmed & Confused**
  “I/we just don’t know what they are asking me to do.”
Or, are you cool as a cucumber?

“We got this!”

“Our documents were submitted, and we are just waiting to hear back.”

(or)

“I received my offer notification and I have my financial plan for the year!”
The Financial Aid Process in Six Steps

1. Apply
2. Submit Docs
3. Aid Offered
4. Register for Classes
5. Tuition Paid
6. Refund of Excess Aid

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Let’s Review:

Steps 1 – 3

Costs and Types of Aid
The Financial Aid Process: Steps 1 – 3

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<th>Step 2: SUBMIT DOCS</th>
<th>Step 3: GET OFFERED AID</th>
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<td><strong>Each new academic year</strong>, submit your FAFSA or CA Dream Act application between <strong>October 1st – March 2nd</strong></td>
<td>Monitor your “To Do List” and <a href="#">CSUDH Toro Email</a></td>
<td>Documents are reviewed and offer notifications are sent</td>
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<td>If you happen to miss the March 2nd priority consideration deadline, you may still submit your application</td>
<td>Submit any required documents to the Financial Aid Office</td>
<td><strong>Grants/scholarships</strong> are automatically accepted for all students</td>
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<td>Priority Document Consideration Deadline is <strong>THURSDAY, MAY 13, 2022</strong></td>
<td><strong>Loans</strong> must be accepted or declined by the student</td>
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<td><strong>Currently, students do not have access to accept or decline loans</strong></td>
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Notification messages are sent via email to the Toro Email accounts for all students.

- To view your Financial Aid Offer, you must login to your myCSUDH account > select “Student Center” > under Finances, select “View Financial Aid”

There are (2) types of Financial Aid Offers:

- An Estimated offer (if additional documents are required to verify eligibility)
- An actual Offer (if no additional documents are required)

Information contained under your “View Financial Aid” link:

- Amounts for federal, state and college/university grants, scholarships, and loans
- Estimated Cost of Attendance (COA) Budget
### Direct Costs for 2022-2023

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<th>Undergraduate Tuition &amp; Fees</th>
<th>Books &amp; Supplies (Estimated Costs)</th>
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<td><strong>Full-time</strong></td>
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<td>• Tuition (CA residents): $5,742</td>
<td>• Full-time students up to $1,150 (annually)</td>
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<td>• Campus Fees: $1,313</td>
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<td>• Total for academic year: $7,055</td>
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<td><strong>Commuter/Living with Parent</strong></td>
<td>$2,470</td>
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<td><strong>On-Campus</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Off-Campus</strong></td>
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ONE online application is available for CSUDH current and admitted students with an activated Toro Email account.

The online application is accessible via the my.CSUDH.edu portal.

Applicants apply through the CSUDH scholarship management system.
CSUDH University Scholarships (cont.)

- Presidential Scholarship
- University Scholarships
- CSU System Scholarships
- Other Scholarships
## Grants

### Federal Grants
- **Federal Pell Grant**
  - Limited to up 6-years of full-time enrollment
  - Pell Grant funds received at a community college count towards the 6-year eligibility limit
- **Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)**
- **Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant**

### State Grants
- **FAFSA and CA DREAM applicants** may be considered for state grants
- **Cal Grant A and B**
- **Chafee Grant** (for foster youth)
- **Middle Class Scholarship (MCS)**
  - *Not a Scholarship; it’s based on income & FAFSA submission by March 2nd*
  - More information is available online at csac.ca.gov

### Institutional
- **State University Grant**
- **Educational Opportunity Grant (EOP)**
  - Detailed information is available on the CSUDH Financial Aid Office website [https://www.csudh.edu/financial-aid/](https://www.csudh.edu/financial-aid/)
### Federal Direct Loans
- **Borrowed money that must be repaid**

- **Subsidized Loan**: The federal government pays the interest while the student is in school

- **Unsubsidized Loan**: Interest begins to accrue immediately

- **Federal Direct Parent Loan (PLUS)**
  - Based on credit
  - Parents may borrow up to the student’s total cost of attendance, less any financial aid funds received
  - Parents must apply online at [www.studentaid.gov](http://www.studentaid.gov)

### Federal Work-Study
- **Federal funds**
- **Part-time employment for on or off-campus positions**
- **Based on financial need**
- **Available upon request**

### CA Dream Loan
- **For Undergraduate, Teaching Credential, and Graduate Dream students**
- **Borrowed money that must be repaid**
- **Subsidized Loan**
Now, let’s review Steps 4 – 6
The Financial Aid Process: Steps 4 – 6

**Step 4:** REGISTER FOR CLASSES
- Register for classes
- Financial aid funds may be **prorated** if a student is enrolled in **less than 12 units**
  - 12 or more units = 100%
  - 9 – 11 units = 75%
  - 6 – 8 units = 50%
- Enrollment in less than 6 units, may be **ineligible** for some types of aid (e.g. loans or state grants)

**Step 5:** TUITION IS PAID
- Financial aid funds are credited to a student’s **CSUDH Student Account** 1-week before classes begin
- **Tuition** and/or **housing** fees are **paid first**
- Any **EXCESS** remaining money will be issued to the student as a financial aid **REFUND**

**Step 6:** REFUND PROCESS
- Refunds are processed by the **Student Financial Services Office** and refunds **are not** processed by the Financial Aid Office
- Two methods of payment:
  - **Direct Deposit** to a student’s bank account **(or)**
  - A **mailed check** if there is no direct deposit enrollment
Installment Plans for Tuition & Fees
University Housing
Special Circumstances
Financial Aid TV (FATV)
### Description
- Plans cover all mandatory registration fees
- There is a $33 non-refundable Administrative Service fee
- **Interest FREE for CA** resident students
- Students enroll online via their MyCSUDH student portal
- Payment options are based on the date of enrollment in the plan

### Requirements
- Student must be registered for classes to enroll
- **New students may not register until they attend New Student Orientation (NSO)**
- Each semester, Installment Payment Plan information may be accessed from the CLASS SCHEDULE
Installment Plans: Quick Navigation

Go to: www.csudh.edu

Scroll to the bottom > go to CURRENT STUDENTS, select View Class Schedules
Select the link for the Class Schedule

Fall 2022 Class Schedule

The class schedule offerings for each semester are available online via My Class Search. Log in is not required.

Spring 2022 Class Schedule

The class schedule offerings for each semester are available online via My Class Search. Log in is not required.

Visit the Fall 2022 Class Schedule

Visit the Spring 2022 Class Schedule
Select “FEES”

2. If the error message states: “User ID
3. If an error message states: “Unauthorized
4. If you still experience difficulty accessing campus.

Additional Information

For additional information pertaining to the class schedule and registration information.

Then select “Installment Payment Plans”
Go to www.csudh.edu scroll down to CURRENT STUDENTS

Select VIEW CLASS SCHEDULES

Select FEES Then select INSTALLMENT PAYMENT PLANS
Please visit the CSUDH University Housing website for details on all university housing opportunities, costs, and COVID-19 planning and accommodations.

https://www.csudh.edu/housing/
For more information about COVID-19 and CSUDH campus planning, preparedness, and prevention please go to [https://www.csudh.edu/together/](https://www.csudh.edu/together/).

All students living on campus are REQUIRED to complete the COVID-19 Vaccination Self-Certification form that is now available on their MyCSUDH.edu portal. This self-certification provides the campus with critical information needed to maintain a safe campus environment. Housing applicants who fail to complete the COVID-19 Vaccination Self-Certification form will NOT be assigned to a space in Housing.

CSUDH has also implemented a COVID-19 surveillance testing program, which requires students in University Housing to undergo MANDATORY weekly testing, regardless of vaccination status. All current Housing residents are also required to complete a daily COVID-19 symptom self-screening using the iToros mobile app.

The main University Housing administrative office is now located in the Commons Building of the new Residence Hall (building 72 on the CSUDH campus map).

Our IN-PERSON office hours for Spring 2022 are as follows:

- Monday & Wednesday: 8:00am-12:00pm
- Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 1:00pm-5:00pm
- Saturday, Sunday & Holidays: CLOSED

Our main (310) 243-2228 telephone line remains open from 8:00am-5:00pm Monday-Friday (holidays excluded). You may also contact us via email at housing@csudh.edu.
Next, select the PDF link for Rates & Dates

HOUSING COSTS

University Housing Rates and Dates Schedule

Click to download and view a PDF of all Housing Rates and Dates for 2022-2023.

Click to download and view a PDF of all Housing Rates and Dates for 2021-2022.

- All amounts listed are per student.

- Housing offers the following accommodation types to applicants:

(Please note that, effective Fall 2022, first-year students are REQUIRED to live in the Residence Hall and are not eligible to live in the apartments.)
Special Circumstances

Students should contact the Financial Aid Office if:

• There are any changes to the information they “initially” reported on their FAFSA or CA Dream Act application

• Have any other special or extenuating circumstances
Examples of Special Circumstances

- Death of a parent (or) parent divorce or separation
- Parent/student loss or reduction of employment
- Student estrangement from parents

- Housing Insecurity
- Other: Students with unique situations
Financial Aid TV (FATV) is an excellent resource of short, informative videos.

Topics Include:
• Student Financial Aid (eligibility, grants, loans, SAP, repayment, and more)
• Personal Finance (budgeting, saving, investing, credit cards, credit score, debt management, and more)
Questions?
Office Hours:
- Monday – Friday
  8:00am – 5:00pm

CSUDH Financial Aid Office

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Website: csudh.edu/financial-aid

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