



California State University SAN MARCOS

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OVER-60 PROGRAM OPTIONS

We are pleased that California State University is able to offer enrollment opportunities to California residents 60 years of age and older with minimal payment of registration fees and no application fee to apply for admission. Please contact the Student Financial Services Office for fee information at sfs@csusm.edu, or at 760-750-4490.

ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible, you must be at least 60 years of age and have met the California residency requirements. Both undergraduate and post baccalaureate students may participate.

Although you are not required to pay the application fees or other registration fees, the university does require that participants register for classes on a space available basis. This means you will be enrolling beginning the first day of the semester. If this is a disadvantage to you, you may wish to apply to attend the university following standard application and enrollment procedures.

REGISTRATION FOR CLASSES

All regular classes (day and evening) will be available for possible enrollment at a reduced fee. Pursuit of a specific degree, while possible, is not required. Classes may be taken on a graded, a credit/no credit, or an audit basis.

Please refer to the university catalog for course enrollment restrictions.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

Additional information regarding Cal State San Marcos is contained in the University Catalog and Schedule of Classes. The catalog is online, <http://www.csusm.edu/catalog/>. The Schedule of Classes is online, <http://www.csusm.edu/schedule/>. Any other inquiries about Cal State San Marcos or the Over-60 Program may be directed to Ariel Stevenson, Registration Coordinator, at 760-750-4814 or you may email questions to registrar@csusm.edu.

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HOW TO APPLY

Option 1: Non-Degree Seeking –If you are interested in taking course but are planning to pursue a degree objective, you should complete the “Over-60 Application for Non-Degree Enrollment”. Completed applications are accepted by the Office of the Registrar in person at Cougar Central located in Craven Hall 3900, by mail, by fax, or as a scanned email attachment to registrar@csusm.edu. You will need to apply each semester. **Enrollment is on a space-available basis with instructor permission, beginning on the first day of the semester.**

Option 2: Degree-Seeking – Under this plan, you will be applying for admission as a degree candidate, therefore, you should complete an online application for Cal State San Marcos at your earliest convenience within the application filing period. The application is located at <https://secure.csumentor.edu/>.

As part of the application process, you will need to submit official transcripts from each of the colleges or universities you have previously attended. If your education was completed some time ago, you should allow sufficient time for your previous schools to locate your records and fulfill your request to have an official transcript sent to this office. If your former school is no longer in existence, the records may have been transferred to the local public school or the area Board of Education for maintenance. Hand carried transcripts will be accepted as long as they remain in the original officially sealed envelope. You do not need to repeat the application process after the first semester as long as you maintain continuous enrollment at Cal State San Marcos.

Once admitted, you will receive notice and invitation to orientation, however, registration for classes will take place beginning the first day of the semester. If this is a disadvantage to you, you may wish to apply to attend the university following standard application and enrollment procedures.

Keep in mind that students who register prior to the first day of the semester will not be eligible to take advantage of the Over 60 Fee Waiver.

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