



# CSU Fall Application After You Apply – Next Steps

**Already submitted your CSU application?  
Here are some important next steps:**

## ONGOING

1. **Check your email often.** The CSUs have different processes and deadlines, and all communication will be done through email. Be sure to also check your SPAM and Junk folders!
2. **Log into your CSU student portals** (i.e. MyCSULB). Each CSU campus will email you instructions. Here you will find important information on deadlines and actions you must take. For example, some campuses may request an official transcript while others may want grades reported on a website. Read carefully and adhere to deadlines.\*

## JANUARY

1. **Update your CalStateApply application.** Enter your fall grades, and you can update your spring classes if changes occurred.
2. Complete **supplemental applications**, if applicable. These vary by campus and major, so be sure to check program websites, your email, and follow deadlines.\*
3. If you are completing an Associate's degree, **submit a petition to graduate** by the end of January. This is extremely important for students completing an ADT (AA-T or AS-T), as OCC cannot verify that you are completing this degree unless you submit the petition.

## MARCH-APRIL

1. To apply for **state and federal aid** (grants & loans), complete or update the FAFSA application with the CSU you are transferring to. For AB 540 students, complete or update the California Dream Act application instead. The priority deadline is March 2<sup>nd</sup>.
2. Keep an eye out for **admissions decisions** via email and the individual campus portals.

## MAY-JUNE

1. Send your **final official transcripts** to the campus you will be attending. To request GE certification, be sure to **mark the CSU GE Breadth or IGETC certification** box. Certification can delay your transcript, so be aware of CSU deadlines. Also, submit transcripts from every college you've attended and AP/IB scores if applicable. \*
2. Once you've been admitted, submit your **Statement of Intent to Register (SIR)** or **Statement of Intent to Enroll (SIE)**, and pay the deposit by the deadline. \*

**\* Missing deadlines can result in your application not being considered for admission, or if you miss a deadline after you've been admitted, your acceptance can be rescinded. PAY ATTENTION TO DEADLINES.**

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