Impaction and Redirection

Impaction, Redirection, and New Policies
Agenda

- Definitions
- Local Admission Area
- Impaction Resources
- New CSU Policies
  - Redirection
  - Local Applicant Impacted Program Priority
Definitions

- **Impaction** – When a program or level (first-time freshmen, upper-division transfer) or campus receives more applications from eligible applicants during the initial application filing period than can be accommodated given the available resources.

- **Local** – Students who graduate from a high school or community college district historically served by a CSU campus in that region.

- **Redirection** - A process that ensures that applicants eligible for admission who cannot be accommodated at their first-choice campus(es) are redirected to another CSU campus without having to complete another application for admission.
Local Admission Area

- Defined by each CSU campus
- Can be different than Service Area
- Changes are subject to the annual impaction process
- Any changes must go through public hearings
- Applicants in a campus Local Admission Area receive priority
- Local Admission and Service Area Chart can be found at: https://www2.calstate.edu/attend/impaction-at-the-csu
## CSU LOCAL ADMISSION AND SERVICE AREAS

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Impaction Information and Resources
Impaction at the CSU Site

Impaction at the CSU

As you get ready to apply to the CSU, you may find that a campus or undergraduate major you’re considering is "impacted," meaning there are more applications from qualified applicants than there are available spaces. If you’re interested in an impacted major or campus, be sure to apply for admission during the initial filing period, October 1 to November 30.

Impacted Majors & Campuses Search

If you’re a first-time freshman or upper-division transfer student to the CSU, you can use this database to find out whether a degree program or campus you’re interested in is affected by impaction.

Search for a CSU Campus or Major Impaction »

Impacted Programs Matrix

Use this chart to see at a glance which undergraduate programs are and are not impacted at campuses across the 23-campus CSU system.

See the 2019-20 Matrix (PDF) »

CSU Local Admission & Service Areas

When a campus is impacted, priority for admission is given to students applying from schools and areas nearest the campus.

See the Local Admission & Service Areas Chart (PDF) »

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Impaction Search

When the number of applications received by a CSU campus from qualified applicants is greater than the number of available spaces, a campus is considered “impacted” for undergraduate degree programs or for undergraduate students who apply from outside the local admission area.

In this case, an impacted campus is allowed to use additional criteria to screen applications.

Campuses without the impaction designation at the program or campus level are open to all CSU eligible applicants.

Academic Program Impaction for 2019-20

All undergraduate programs, pre-programs, and undeclared/undecided programs are impacted for the following campuses:

- Cal Poly San Luis Obispo
- Fresno State
- CSU Fullerton
- CSU Long Beach
- San Diego State University
- San Jose State

To find out whether a program you’re interested in is impacted, use the impaction database below to search by campus name and applicant level (freshman or transfer student).

“Campus impaction” or “level impaction” means that a campus has reached its enrollment capacity for instructional resources and physical support and cannot accommodate all eligible undergraduate applications it receives.

In this case, the campus has established a local admission area for first-time freshmen and/or upper-division transfer students. This means that, in general, applications received from students from outside the designated local area will be held to higher admission requirements than those received from students inside the local area. To learn more about campus impaction, select the campus and applicant level below.

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• Upper-division transfers |

Los Angeles is impacted for Upper-division transfers. Read more about impaction at this campus.

Impacted Program(s)

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- Business Administration (all options)
- Chemistry
- Child Development
- Communication
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2019-20 Impaction Updates

- Channel Islands
  - Impacted Mechatronics program (Program just launched, accepting FTF only at this time)

- Humboldt
  - Removed First-Time Freshman & Environmental Resource Engineering Impaction

- San Francisco
  - Removed Apparel Design, Child Development, Dietetics, Environmental Studies Impaction

- San Marcos
  - Impacted Biological Sciences program
New CSU Policies
Background

• Required by the 2017-18 California State Budget Act

• Policy Directives
  • Redirect student applications – By May 2018, trustees shall approve policy to redirect applications to non-impacted CSU campuses if the student is CSU eligible but is denied admission to an impacted campus
  • Local students: first admission priority – By May 2018, trustees shall approve policy that requires first priority in admission to impacted programs to CSU-eligible local students. Policy shall include both local first-time freshmen and transfer students; must comply with SB1440
  • Effective fall 2019
Redirection

• Applies to all CSU-eligible undergraduate applicants who have not been admitted to any CSU campus

• Applies to:
  • First-time Freshman
  • Associate Degree for Transfers
  • Upper Division Transfers

• Considered CA residents for Tuition purposes
Redirection, Cont.

- Eligible applicants will be notified of option to be redirected
  - Fall – After April 1st
  - Spring/Winter – After November 1st
  - Sent to Cal State Apply to provide response and select non-impacted campus first and second choice
- Applicants have 21 days to respond via Cal State Apply
  - Then an additional 14 days
- If no response will be redirected to a non-impacted campus with capacity
  - Provides a safety net to all CSU eligible applicants
Impacted Program First Priority

- First priority to local applicants for all impacted programs at all campuses
- Information will be published on campus websites
- Finite advantage over non-local applicants
- Not an admission guarantee
Impacted Program First Priority

- Determined by each campus
- Campuses that are not impacted will use local service area
- Local priority criteria will be posted on campus impaction websites
- Local applicants will still be subject to the supplemental impaction criteria imposed on all applicants
- First-time freshman not admitted would be eligible for redirection and would be notified of CCC options, ADTs, and encouraged to transfer in the future
Counselor Portal

• Sign-up at [www.Counselors.Calstate.edu](http://www.Counselors.Calstate.edu)

• Information on:
  • CSU News and Information
  • Cal State Apply Reminders and Updates
  • Cal State Apply Support Resources
  • Upcoming Deadlines
Questions