

Amendments to Title 5: Discontinuation of Standardized Examinations for CSU Undergraduate Admission

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Considerations and Findings

- Pandemic-related hardships
- Equity and fairness
- Academic preparation
- Test scores resulted in negligible additional value

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Examples of Multiple Factors for Admission

- “a-g” GPA
- Subject-specific GPA
- First-generation student
- Extracurricular activities
- Leadership roles
- Attending school with high percentage free/reduced meals

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Proposed Changes to Title 5

- Section § 40601 – Eligibility Index
- Sections § 40751 and 40801 – Alternative Bases for Admission
- Section § 40752 – Entrance Examination Requirement
- Section § 40802 – Entrance Examinations

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