PALM DESERT CAMPUS UNDECLARED ADVISING SYLLABUS



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Mission Statement

Advising and Academic Services provides guidance to undergraduate students throughout their academic journey by assisting them in making informed decisions that support their academic, personal, and career goals.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Acquire the ability to locate and utilize university resources.
- Develop a thorough understanding of the PAWS report and its functions.
- Know how to navigate, read and understand the online course bulletin.
- Learn the purpose of your General Education coursework.

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Advisor Responsibilities

- Provide academic support to ensure successful progression to degree.
- Assist with the exploration of personal and academic strengths.
- Assist with the exploration of major options, and finding an appropriate field of study.
- Assist with identifying university resources and provide information and strategies for using them.
- Remain knowledgeable regarding campus deadlines and resources.
- Be available during office hours, by telephone or email for assistance.

Student Responsibilities

- Attend mandatory group and individual advising sessions during your first year.
- Take responsibility for course selection and registration.
- Make a conscious effort to utilize campus resources to assist with your major selection.
- Work to declare a major by the time 45 units have been earned or by completion of the first academic year.
- Research majors, careers, policies and procedures.
- Come prepared to each appointment with questions for discussion, and progress toward declaring a major since the last advising appointment.

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Advising Structure

All Students: All students will meet with a Student Success Peer Advisor and an Academic Advisor in Advising and Academic Services. Student will also be referred to a Faculty Advisor per their major of interest.



Advising Expectations: Meeting With an Advisor

You will receive an Advising Hold every semester if you are an undeclared student.

- 1-on-1 meetings with Advising and Academic Services (Student Success Peer Advisor and Academic Advisor)
- Group Advising workshops (Topics: University 101: College Navigation, Personal Assessment, College and Major Exploration)
- Advising Events



CSUSB's Career Center | (909) 537-5250

Have you ever wondered what careers match with majors? There are many paths to a career regardless of a major. The Career Center is a great resource to help guide all CSUSB students to connections between their major and career objectives.

Career Websites:

These web resources can give you a starting point in your research for finding a major.

CSUSB Career Center <u>bit.ly/CAREERMAJORS</u>
Bureau of Labor Statistics <u>bls.gov</u>
California CareerZone <u>cacareerzone.org</u>

Career Assessments:

Career assessments are standardized measures that help to determine your interests as they relate to majors and careers. The Career Center offers three assessments at NO COST to students. Assessments must be reviewed in an appointment with a career counselor. They are:

- Myers-Briggs Type Indicator
- Strong Interest Inventory







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Resources:

Coyote Network: Connect with an Alumni who can mentor you! Create an account today! mentoring.csusb.edu

Canvas: (access through MyCoyote) Explore resources and your major and career options.





Bulletin of Courses: CSUSB's owners manual, all you need to know about CSUSB. bulletin.csusb.edu

Student Success Studio (S3): The Student Success Studio (S3) at PDC is committed to assisting students in reaching their academic goals. Primarily a place for instructional support, such as tutoring, workshops and study sessions. https://www.csusb.edu/pdc/current-students/student-success-studio

Resources for all students: know what is available to you! csusb.edu/current-students