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## CSUSB applications open for spring and fall 2027

PALM DESERT, Calif. – Prospective students ready to start their college journey in 2027 at Cal State San Bernardino, including its Palm Desert Campus, have two opportunities to join the Coyote community.

Students who want to **begin classes in January** still have time to apply for the Spring 2027 semester. First-time freshmen and transfer students can submit their applications through [Cal State Apply](#) by **midnight Thursday, Oct. 15**.

Students planning to **begin classes in August** can now submit their applications for Fall 2027. Applications became available Aug. 1, and prospective students who have already started theirs can now complete and submit them through [Cal State Apply](#).

Fall 2027 applicants should submit their applications by the deadline for their intended major:

- **Nov. 30** – Pre-nursing
- **Jan. 31** – All other majors

Additional information about admission requirements and deadlines is available on CSUSB's [first-year student](#) and [transfer student](#) webpages.

### **More than 70 programs to explore**

Whether students start in January or August, CSUSB offers more than 70 undergraduate degree programs designed to help them explore their interests, develop their talents and prepare for their futures. Programs are offered through five academic colleges and at the Palm Desert Campus.

### **College of Arts and Letters**

Through the arts, humanities and communication, the College of Arts and Letters helps students find their voices and strengthen their creativity, critical thinking and innovation. Students learn from award-winning faculty and gain hands-on experience in facilities such as Coyote Radio, glass studios and CSUSB's new Performing Arts Center. For more information, watch "[CSUSB College of Arts and Letters helps students refine their voice.](#)"

### **Jack H. Brown College of Business and Public Administration**

The Jack H. Brown College of Business and Public Administration combines practical experience, ethical leadership and global perspectives to prepare students for careers in business, government and the nonprofit sector. Its [MBA program](#), [Cybersecurity Center](#) and the [Randall W. Lewis School of Entrepreneurship and Innovation](#) have earned national and international recognition. For more information, watch "[Jack H. Brown College among the best business schools in the nation.](#)"

### **James R. Watson and Judy Rodriguez Watson College of Education**

The James R. Watson and Judy Rodriguez Watson College of Education prepares future educators and leaders to make a difference in schools and communities. Its programs include teaching credentials, master's degrees, a doctorate in educational leadership and specialized certificates, all supported by accredited programs and experienced faculty. For more information, watch "[College of Education produces outstanding, innovative educators.](#)"

### **College of Natural Sciences**

Home to 10 departments and the [Murillo Family Observatory](#), the College of Natural Sciences prepares students for careers in science, health, education and other rapidly evolving fields. Through advanced technology, research opportunities and faculty mentorship, students gain experience that prepares them for the workforce, graduate study and professional programs. For more information, watch "[College of Natural Sciences – Meeting the needs of the community, the nation and beyond.](#)"

### **College of Social and Behavioral Sciences**

The College of Social and Behavioral Sciences brings together 14 academic departments and programs focused on people, communities and some of society's most pressing issues. Its programs support undergraduate and graduate education, research, public service and professional development, while CSUSB's [Master of Social Work program](#) has earned national recognition. For more information, watch "[College of Social and Behavioral Sciences: Leading by learning.](#)"

### **College of Extended and Global Education**

The College of Extended and Global Education expands access to learning through degree programs, professional development courses, certificates and international education opportunities. By partnering with university, community, educational, business and international organizations, the college connects learners locally and around the world with programs designed to meet their educational and professional goals. For more information, visit [CEGE's programs webpage](#).

CSUSB offers **financial aid** options to help students pay for college, including grants, scholarships and work-study opportunities.

Students and families seeking aid for the 2027-28 academic year can complete the [Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](#) or, if eligible, the [California Dream Act Application \(CADAA\)](#). These applications can provide access to federal, state and institutional aid that can help make a college education more affordable.

Whether January or August is the right time to begin, prospective students can take the next step toward realizing their talent at Cal State San Bernardino by applying through [Cal State Apply](#).

**About the CSUSB Palm Desert Campus:** The [CSUSB Palm Desert Campus](#) is dedicated to providing a transformative educational experience in the Coachella Valley. With a focus on academic excellence and community engagement, the campus offers undergraduate and graduate degree programs designed to meet the diverse needs of its students and the region.

For more information about the CSUSB Palm Desert Campus, contact Mike Singer in the Office of Marketing and Communications at [msinger@csusb.edu](mailto:msinger@csusb.edu) or (760) 341-2883, ext. 78107, or visit the PDC website at [www.csusb.edu/pdc](http://www.csusb.edu/pdc).