

NON-RESIDENTS OF CALIFORNIA

FALL 2023



**City of San Jose –
Top 10 Happiest Cities
to Live in America**
WalletHub



**The Best Cities for
U.S. Job Seekers in
2022 (San Jose was
the top city)**
Indeed



**San Jose #5
Best Place to Live in
the U.S. 2022-2023**
U.S. News & World Report



**San Jose metropolitan
area took the top
spot in Most Dynamic
Metropolitans**
The Business Journals



**Top 25 Best
Places for Young
Professionals
(San Jose #8)**
U.S. News & World Report



How is admission eligibility determined for non-residents of California?

Your admission to SJSU is typically calculated using a combination of SAT/ACT scores and your GPA. Because the requirement to submit official SAT/ACT scores is suspended for the Fall 2023 admission cycle, applicants will be eligible for admission consideration according to the following:

Residency	Minimum GPA Requirement (a-g coursework)
Nonresident of California	3.0 or greater
California Resident or graduate of a California high school	2.5 or greater

Applicants below these GPA minimum requirements will not be considered for admission at SJSU.

What are the costs for non-residents of California?

Estimated Cost of Attendance 2022-23 for the academic year for non-residents of California:

Tuition and Fees	\$17,403
Living Expenses	\$24,527
Total	\$41,930

Amounts are based on full-time attendance (12 units per semester at SJSU) for a 9-month academic year. More detailed information about fees can be found at sjsu.edu/bursar

How is residency determined for tuition purposes?

The determination of residency for tuition purposes affects whether a student pays in-state or out-of-state tuition fees. Out-of-state tuition fees are higher than in-state tuition fees. Just because a student is or has been a resident of the State of California does not mean that they qualify to receive the in-state tuition rate. Certain requirements, established under California law, must be met. Visit the California State University site at www2.calstate.edu/apply/california-residency-for-tuition-purposes/Pages/default.aspx for additional information regarding residency. Veterans: Please visit the Veterans Resource Center at sjsu.edu/veterans/about/contact-us to see if you qualify for in-state tuition.

The SJSU residence determination dates are:

Fall semester:	September 20
Spring semester:	January 25
Summer term:	June 1

Are there exceptions for non-resident classification?

Exceptions to non-resident classification may be considered for:

- Members of the military and their dependents
- Certain credentialed employees of school districts
- Certain high school students who have attended three full years of high school in California and attained the equivalent to high school graduation

Exceptions cannot be determined without the submission of an admission application and necessary supporting documentation, including the Residency Questionnaire.

Where can I learn more about California Residency?

Visit sjsu.edu/registrar/students/Residency to learn more.

Fees Are Subject to Change

The CSU makes every effort to keep student costs to a minimum. Fees listed in published schedules or student accounts may need to be increased when public funding is inadequate. Therefore, CSU must reserve the right, even after fees are initially charged or initial fee payments are made, to increase or modify any listed fees. All listed fees, other than mandatory systemwide fees, are subject to change without notice, until the date when instruction for a particular semester or quarter has begun. All CSU listed fees should be regarded as estimates that are subject to change upon approval by the Board of Trustees, the Chancellor, or the Presidents, as appropriate. Changes in mandatory systemwide fees will be made in accordance with the requirements of the Working Families Student Fee Transparency and Accountability Act (Sections 66028 - 66028.6 of the Education Code).

Students should never pay Faculty members directly for any services or goods.

All fees are mandatory with the exception of the Student Involvement and Representation Fee (SIRF) and are assigned a due date based on the date you register.

How does SJSU costs compare to other universities?

Estimated Cost of Attendance 2022-23 for the academic year for non-residents of California:

SJSU Tuition and Fees*: \$17,403
University of California Tuition and Fees (Average): \$45,530

Please note: This information is provided as a guideline and is subject to evaluation of full circumstances by a residency specialist. Learn more at sjsu.edu/registrar/students/Residency

About San José



3rd Largest city in California



10th Largest city in the country



300 Days of sunshine per year

Live Chat

Monday–Friday

9:00am–Noon and
2:00pm–4:00pm

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