

# University of California

## Fall 2020 Next Steps from Admission to Enrollment - Freshman

For newly admitted freshman students, each University of California campus has important deadlines and procedures for students to accept the offer of admission and prepare for enrollment. Specific campus information is included in the two tables below.

1. **Admission Decisions** – All campuses notify students of admission decisions on their admissions portal. The links for each campus' student portal are in the table below. For admitted students, all campuses also notify via U.S. Mail.
2. **SIR Deposit Deferral** – All campuses automatically grant an SIR deposit deferral for students who qualified for an application fee waiver.
3. **Financial Aid Offer** – All campuses notify students of their official or preliminary financial aid award in the student portal. The timing of the offers relative to the admission decision (e.g., with the admission decision or after) varies by campus.
4. **Housing** – All campuses guarantee on-campus housing for one year for students who meet the housing application deadlines and any other requirements. The application date is listed on this table.
5. **To Accept an Admission Offer**–Submission of the Statement of Intent to Register (SIR) by **May 1<sup>st</sup> at 11:59 pm (PST)**
6. **To Submit Final, Official Transcripts, Exam Results & Documents**
  - a. **Final official transcripts** are due by **July 1**;  
High School: with last term grades and date of graduation. College/University: all college courses completed during high school, and, if necessary, a second transcript of courses completed in the summer term immediately after high school graduation.
  - b. **AP/IB/A-Level Exam Results/other documents** are due by **July 15**

UC Campus	Admission Decision Notification Method	Financial Aid Offer	Housing Application Deadline
Berkeley	<a href="#">Student Application Portal</a>	Preliminary; with admission decision	May 2
Davis	<a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Preliminary; after admission decision	May 4
Irvine	<a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Preliminary; after admission decision	May 1
Los Angeles	<a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Preliminary; with admission decision	May 1
Merced	<a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Preliminary; after admission decision	June 1
Riverside	<a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Official; after admission decision	May 10
San Diego	<a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Preliminary; with admission decision	May 7
Santa Barbara	<a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Preliminary; after admission decision	May 8
Santa Cruz	<a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Preliminary; after admission decision	May 29

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UC Campus	Missing Official Documents Notification	Failure to Meet Conditions/Provisions: What To Do Next	Orientation Program for Freshmen
<b>Berkeley</b>	Email and <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Must complete Undergraduate Admissions Update Form, <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Golden Bear Orientation <a href="http://orientation.berkeley.edu/">http://orientation.berkeley.edu/</a>
<b>Davis</b>	Email and <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Must notify via <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a> , individual case-by-case review	UC Davis Orientation <a href="https://orientation.ucdavis.edu">https://orientation.ucdavis.edu</a>
<b>Irvine</b>	Viewable on <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Must notify on <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a> site, individual case-by-case review	UCI Orientation <a href="https://orientation.uci.edu/?type=freshmen#info">https://orientation.uci.edu/?type=freshmen#info</a>
<b>Los Angeles</b>	Email and <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Must notify at <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a> , individual case-by- case review	First Year New Student & Transition Programs <a href="http://newstudents.ucla.edu/orientation-programs/first-year-students/">http://newstudents.ucla.edu/orientation-programs/first-year-students/</a>
<b>Merced</b>	Email, U.S. Mail and viewable on <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Must notify via <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a> , individual case-by-case review	New Student Orientation <a href="https://orientation.ucmerced.edu/">https://orientation.ucmerced.edu/</a>
<b>Riverside</b>	Email, U.S. Mail and viewable on <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Must notify assigned Admissions Counselor via <a href="#">Application Update Form</a>	Highlander First-Year Student Orientation <a href="http://orientation.ucr.edu">http://orientation.ucr.edu</a> .
<b>San Diego</b>	Email and <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Must complete First-Year Academic Update Form on <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Orientation information available to applicants who accept the offer of admission on <a href="#">COMPASS</a> .
<b>Santa Barbara</b>	Email, <a href="#">Student Applicant portal</a> and U.S. Mail	Must notify Admissions (submit in writing or email <a href="mailto:admissions@sa.ucsb.edu">admissions@sa.ucsb.edu</a> ), review by Admissions Committee	Freshman Orientation <a href="http://orientation.sa.ucsb.edu/freshman-orientation">http://orientation.sa.ucsb.edu/freshman-orientation</a>
<b>Santa Cruz</b>	Email and <a href="#">Student Applicant Portal</a>	Must notify Admissions via <a href="https://admissions.ucsc.edu/update-fr">https://admissions.ucsc.edu/update-fr</a>	Campus Orientation Programs <a href="https://orientation.ucsc.edu/summer">https://orientation.ucsc.edu/summer</a>