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The Office of Parent & Family Programs welcomes you to UC San Diego! The office is composed of two full-time employees, one graduate assistant, one student assistant and nine student leaders to help you navigate the campus landscape. Our motto is “when parents are informed, students benefit.”

The Arts is the theme for this year’s UC San Diego Parent & Family Guide illustrating diverse arts located throughout the campus. In this effort, we share a side of the UC San Diego campus that is colorful, innovative and unique through various forms of art. When you visit the campus, we hope you will be able to recognize them, making your campus visit special.

The Office of Parent & Family Programs is a place for you, parents and families, to answer your questions and assist you in understanding your and your student’s college experience.

Go Tritons!

Sincerely,

Karina M. Viaud, Ed.D.
Senior Officer, Parent & Family Programs

James Engler, M.A.
Program Coordinator, Parent & Family Programs

Parents’ Helpline (858) 534-7273 | parents@ucsd.edu | parents.ucsd.edu

Family visits during our annual Family Weekend.
UNDERSTANDING THE TRANSITION TO COLLEGE

College represents freedom and enthusiasm for new experiences. College is a place of discoveries with people from different walks of life, opportunities for scholarly investigation and curiosity for learning away from home. College is a chance to grow, learn and change. Change means trying new things, making mistakes, making decisions and gaining new insights.

Know that your student will go through a transition where questions, challenges and feelings of anxiety and doubt will surface. This period of transition will be hard, although necessary. The University is ready to help your student during this transition — a transition that will lessen as they excel year after year. You are also a great source of support and we expect you to continue to provide recommendations and lend a listening ear to your student.

Believe it or not, you will also go through a transition when your student — whether the first born, the only or the last child — is off to college. Recognize what those changes will be for you. Is it hard to let go? Is your child too far from home? Is the little sibling missing their big brother or sister? Does the home feel empty? Whatever your challenges may be, explore them, talk to family members, visit the campus, and negotiate when to talk, email or text your college student.

A great way to begin to understand your transition and your student’s college journey is by getting involved. Join us at Family Weekend, Siblings Day, or by becoming an Ambassador to other parents.
CELEBRATING 10 YEARS OF FAMILY WEEKEND!

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parents.ucsd.edu

6TH ANNUAL SIBLINGS DAY
JANUARY 27, 2018
Registration opens in November
parents.ucsd.edu

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An opportunity for parents and families to get involved at UC San Diego.

The Triton Parent & Family Ambassador Program is an opportunity for parents and families of current students to serve as ambassadors for UC San Diego by reaching out to local and regional prospective and current families and their students. As an ambassador, help to enhance the overall UC San Diego student experience by sharing your knowledge and offering support. The Office of Parent & Family Programs encourages you to join the Triton Parent & Family Ambassador Program today! Sign up at parents.ucsd.edu/get-involved.

We partner with Parent & Family Giving and encourage you to also consider this avenue to get involved with UC San Diego.

For more information, contact Jennifer Stanley, Assistant Director for Parent & Family Giving at (858) 822-3867 or visit, parentfamilygiving.ucsd.edu.

PARENT & FAMILY GIVING

Invest in the Triton Student Experience

Parent & Family Giving enhances the student experience by connecting parents and families to the UC San Diego community through meaningful opportunities in volunteerism, intellectual engagement and philanthropy.

The Parents Fund is a valuable resource that supports UC San Diego’s top priority: your sons and daughters — our students. Your contributions to the Parents Fund promotes the University’s educational mission of innovative programs and services that endorse student learning, encourage personal development and well-being, and facilitate strong bonds among students.

Contributions to the Parents Fund benefit students in long-lasting, tangible ways:

- The First-Year Experience Course, which is designed to transition and prepare students for success during their college experience.
- Programming tailored to the student body with an emphasis on arts and culture, social innovation and research scholarships.
- Leadership and internship programs that build career-ready skills.

Your generosity creates opportunities that empower students to reach their full potential. We encourage you to make a gift to the Parents Fund which will impact your student and many others to embrace the rich, rewarding and life-changing experiences as an undergraduate student at UC San Diego.

For more information, contact Jennifer Stanley, Assistant Director for Parent & Family Giving at (858) 822-3867 or visit, parentfamilygiving.ucsd.edu.
Find your place. Don’t just go to UC San Diego — live UC San Diego.

A big part of the college experience is where your student lives when they’re in school. When they choose UC San Diego, they’re not only choosing a university, but a place to expand horizons — academically, culturally and socially. On-campus housing is located within each of the six colleges (for freshmen) and at The Village (for transfer students), creating a lifeline of thriving smaller neighborhoods within the larger UC San Diego community.

Roll out of bed. Walk to class. Lunch with friends. Quick nap. Afternoon lecture. Sunset surfing at the beach. Movie night in the lounge. This is everyday life when your student calls UC San Diego home.

Housing includes a flexible Dining Plan, cable TV, housekeeping, security, a built-in social life, paid utilities (electricity, water, trash and recycling), 24/7 high-speed Internet access, and laundry facilities. Eighty-five percent of freshman students are placed in a triple room.

Dining

The UC San Diego Housing Contract includes a unique, declining-balance Dining Plan. Unlike most universities, which require “all you care to eat swipes,” the Dining Plan is flexible, allowing residents to purchase individual items according to their appetite and schedule.

We are ranked #19 for “Best Colleges for Food in America.” Located throughout campus, Dining Services offers six residential restaurants, five specialty locations, six markets and two food trucks. Markets are open until 1 a.m. to fit your student’s lifestyle, with one 24/7 dining location. The Dining Plan allows full access to a Registered Dietitian who assists with specialty diets, allergies and dietary restrictions and works closely with our residents to make sure they’re healthy and well fed.

Laundry Account

All residents have a Laundry Account to deposit money into for use of our laundry facilities. Information will be available in the summer from the Triton Card Account Services office.

Mail

Students receive mail and packages via their Campus P.O. Box. Students will receive their mailing address when their room assignment is available in August. Also, new in 2017 is Amazon@UCSanDiego, a fully staffed pickup and drop-off location situated at the campus Bookstore. Now students can take care of all Amazon orders in one central location.

What to Bring to Move-In

For a list of what to bring (as well as other pertinent info), visit hdh.ucsd.edu/housing/incoming/pages. Once your student receives their room assignment information in August, we encourage them to contact their new roommates and discuss what each person will bring.

Roommates

Students should communicate with their Resident Advisor or House Advisor when experiencing challenges with roommates and suitemates. If further involvement is needed, students should talk to their Residential Life office and ask to meet with an Assistant Director. The Residence Life staff is a great source of information about life at UC San Diego and helps address general resident challenges. They organize programs to enhance educational experiences while providing exposure to diverse ideas and viewpoints of fellow students.

Breaks and Residence Halls Closure

Most residence halls are closed during Winter break. Students must plan accordingly and arrange alternate housing, if needed. Facility closure dates and times are listed at hdh.ucsd.edu/housing/currentresidents/pages. Students don’t have to move out their personal belongings; however, occupying the premises and residing in their space during break periods are prohibited. During Spring break, the residence and apartment halls are open.

Billing Statement

The Housing charge is billed to the campus billing statement, the same location UC Tuition and Education fees are billed. All statements are emailed to your student’s UC San Diego email account. If your student wishes to authorize a parent to receive a copy of the monthly statement, visit act.ucsd.edu/studentEBill2/StudentBilling. More information regarding the student’s housing charges will be emailed in late August. Learn more about the University Billing Statement on p. 26.

Housing Contracts

All Housing Contract questions can be answered by calling (858) 534-4010 or emailing housinginfo@ucsd.edu. Visit us in person at HDH Administrative Services, HDH Bldg., 2nd Floor at Revelle College.

Housing Administrative Services

(858) 534-4010

Triton Card Account Services

(858) 534-7587 or (800) 758-7227

hdh.ucsd.edu/diningservices
Commuter Students

Who are commuter students? Commuter students live at home with parents or families or live off-campus. From Commuter Appreciation Week to a roommate finder website and lockers, at UC San Diego, there are several resources that support commuter students.

Off-Campus Housing

Members of the UC San Diego community can use our exclusive Off-Campus Housing directory: offcampushousing.ucsd.edu.

Parking & Transportation

Parking on campus can be a challenge. Students are encouraged to carpool, bike or use public transportation. Students with a Triton U-Pass sticker get unlimited rides on San Diego’s MTS and North County Transit District (NCTD) bus and trolley routes. The Triton U-Pass sticker is free and is available at the Campus Parking Office.

Commuter Lounges

The Price Center and individual colleges have commuter lounges — spaces where students can relax between classes and study. The Price Center Commuter Lounge is centrally located with a kitchen area, vending machines, microwaves and sinks with hot water dispensers. Students can use available study rooms, computers and printers and rent lockers at the Price Center or the Student Center.

University Centers

(858) 534-2664
Kia Neri
Commuter Events & Programs Manager

Off-Campus Housing

(858) 534-3670
offcampushousing@ucsd.edu
offcampushousing.ucsd.edu

Parking & Transportation

(858) 534-4223
transportation.ucsd.edu

STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES

Staying healthy in college can contribute to a student’s academic success, overall well-being and general college experience. UC San Diego students have access to the Student Health Services (SHS), located in the heart of campus. Highly trained, board-certified clinicians of SHS provide full primary care services, supported by in-house laboratory, x-ray, pharmacy and specialty clinics — all services are exclusively for current students. SHS provides programs and services focused on preventing illness, promoting healthy behaviors and understanding healthcare and insurance systems. SHS is part of the Student Health and Well-Being Cluster which includes Health Promotion Services and Counseling and Psychological Services. SHS actively partners with campus departments to provide collaborative care for your student. studenthealth.ucsd.edu
IMMUNIZATIONS & INSURANCE INFORMATION

Tuberculosis (TB) screening is required BEFORE coming to UC San Diego. All incoming students are expected to complete the TB screening requirement and will not be able to register for classes until the TB clearance is complete. Look for the Tuberculosis screening requirement on your student’s checklist (MyApplication via TritonLink). TB is a potentially serious disease. This effort protects all students from infection and illness.

wellness.ucsd.edu/studenthealth/health-requirements/Pages/default.aspx.

Immunization Requirement

All incoming students are required to enter their immunization records into their UC San Diego Student Health Medical Record before registering for classes. Look for the immunization requirement on your student’s Checklist (MyApplication via TritonLink).

We strongly recommend all students be up to date on basic childhood vaccines before starting college. There have been outbreaks of measles, mumps, pertussis and meningitis on California college campuses. We recommend vaccination against tetanus/diphtheria/pertussis (Tdap), measles, mumps, rubella, varicella and meningococcal conjugate A, C, Y & W 135 as well as hepatitis A, hepatitis B and human papilloma virus (HPV). Students should see their primary care provider before starting college and have a full review of their immunization record. For more information regarding childhood vaccinations and vaccines recommended for the college-aged student, visit wellness.ucsd.edu/studenthealth/services/immunizations/Pages/default.aspx.

Meningococcal Meningitis – The Centers for Disease Control (CDC) updated recommendations for meningococcal infection. If your student was vaccinated before age 16 and is 21 years old or younger, the CDC recommends the student receive a booster. We also recommend this vaccine for grad students new to campus residential housing. While meningococcal meningitis is rare, it is serious and can be fatal. We strongly recommend your student be immunized.

Pertussis – There has been an increasing number of cases of pertussis (also called whooping cough) in California, including San Diego. We strongly recommend your student receive the Tdap vaccine before coming to campus this fall.

Flu – SHS offers multiple flu vaccination clinics each fall. Flu shots are free to students with UC SHIP and will be provided at low cost to students with other insurance.

wellness.ucsd.edu/studenthealth/resources/health-topics/flu/Pages/default.aspx

When buying supplies for your student, include a thermometer. They will need it when they get sick.

(858) 534-3300 | studenthealth@ucsd.edu

wellness.ucsd.edu/studenthealth/Pages/default.aspx

Insurance

UC SHIP — One of the Best Health Insurance Options You Will Find. UC SHIP is a comprehensive health plan that provides a full range of medical coverage, including in/out patient services, specialty care, emergency care, hospitalization and mental health care, pharmacy coverage and more. Health Insurance is a mandatory nonacademic condition for enrollment at UC San Diego; your student WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY ENROLLED in UC SHIP unless the student is waived out. Waiving out of UC SHIP requires action by the student and must be done each new academic quarter.

wellness.ucsd.edu/studenthealth/insurance/Pages/default.aspx

If you waive UC SHIP, consider opting in for RAFT (Reduced Access Fee for Tritons). RAFT gives students who waive UC SHIP the peace of mind they can still be seen at SHS for many of their primary care needs without the worry of high costs. RAFT provides scheduled visits, in-house laboratory services and x-ray services at no additional cost when rendered at UC San Diego SHS. The fee for RAFT is $55.00 per quarter and is automatically billed to the student’s account each quarter.

wellness.ucsd.edu/studenthealth/insurance/RAFT/Pages/default.aspx

All registered students have access to SHS whether they have UC SHIP or not. Students who waive UC SHIP but do not purchase RAFT will be required to pay the full cost of all services at SHS.

If you plan to waive UC SHIP, please make sure your health coverage has been transferred to San Diego so your student can be seen for non-emergency care within 40 miles of campus. This is a requirement to waive UC SHIP. Avoid delay of health care and possible unnecessary expenses by doing this now before your student gets sick.

You must contact your insurance company, whether it is Kaiser, Medi-Cal or a private HMO, to let them know your student is attending college in San Diego. Ask that your student’s coverage be transferred and request a temporary patient ID number your student will use while in San Diego. For more information about transferring your insurance to San Diego, contact the SHS Social Worker, Rosalyn Allina at (858) 246-0469.

wellness.ucsd.edu/studenthealth/insurance/waive-uc-ship/Pages/plan-waive-ship.aspx

(858) 534-2124 | ucp.edu/ucship
COUNSELING AND PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES (CAPS)

Mental health needs are as diverse as UC San Diego students themselves. The multicultural-proficient mental health providers at CAPS help students navigate current challenges and teach new coping skills to flourish in their academic and personal development.

CAPS provides a variety of services:

- All counseling services are free of charge and confidential for registered students.
- CAPS delivers counseling services from a student-centered, holistic and integrated brief psychotherapy model, including individual, couples and family counseling.
- Psychiatry services are available for medication evaluation and monitoring on a short-term basis. For longer term maintenance medication, students will be referred off campus to community providers using their required university health insurance. Students must be evaluated by a CAPS counselor prior to referral to CAPS psychiatry. Referrals to mental health providers in the community are given for long-term psychotherapy and specialized care such as intensive outpatient and inpatient programs.
- Wellness Peer Educators are a group of undergraduate students who educate fellow UC San Diego students on topics of mental health and well-being. They provide workshops such as stress and time management, relaxation training, healthy relationships and healthy body image.
- CAPS provides group counseling, forums and psycho-educational workshops. According to evidence-based practices, for many students, group counseling is the most effective intervention to address their needs and condition.
- Same day urgent care walk-in services are available for students experiencing an immediate crisis or emergency.
- Consultation is available to staff, faculty and parents with questions regarding mental health matters, campus resources and community referrals. Due to confidentiality laws, CAPS will not be able to provide information about your student’s use of these services unless the student signs an authorization to release information.

Incoming students with mental health issues requiring long-term treatment should continue to adhere to their appointments and treatment plan with their home care provider before coming to college. When students arrive at the University, they should contact CAPS for assistance developing a mental health treatment plan and identifying off campus providers. Students who have the university sponsored Student Health Insurance Plan (SHIP) must have a written referral from either CAPS or Student Health Services to have their off-campus care covered by the UC SHIP plan.

(858) 534-3755 | caps.ucsd.edu/parents.html

OFFICE FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES (OSD)

The Office for Students with Disabilities (OSD) works with students with permanent and temporary documented disabilities. Disabilities may occur in the following areas: psychological, psychiatric, learning, attention, chronic health, physical (including sprains, strains and breaks), vision, hearing and acquired brain injuries. Based on current functional limitations, accommodations for classrooms, labs, exams, transportation and housing may be arranged. Students must contact OSD as soon as the disabling condition is diagnosed.

(858) 534-4382 | osd@ucsd.edu | disabilities.ucsd.edu/about/index.html

OFFICE FOR THE PREVENTION OF HARASSMENT & DISCRIMINATION (OPHD)

The Office for the Prevention of Harassment & Discrimination (OPHD) provides assistance to students, faculty and staff regarding reports of bias, harassment and discrimination. Our mission is to educate the UC San Diego community about these issues and to assist in their prevention and resolution in a fair and responsible manner. In collaboration with other UC San Diego resources, OPHD promotes an environment in which all members of the UC San Diego community can work, learn and live in an atmosphere free from all forms of bias, harassment and discrimination.

OPHD also provides harassment and sexual violence prevention education to all incoming students and serves as the Title IX office. Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 is the federal law that prohibits sex discrimination in any educational institution that receives federal funding. As the Title IX office, OPHD identifies “responsible employees” who must report sexual harassment, sexual assault, dating violence, domestic violence, stalking or other prohibited behavior. Any university employee who is not a confidential resource and who, in the course of employment, receives information regarding such conduct must notify OPHD. Students, faculty or staff with concerns about these issues should contact OPHD or CARE at the Sexual Assault Resource Center.
The primary goal of the federal law of Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act (HIPAA) is to make it easier for people to keep health insurance, protect the confidentiality and security of healthcare information, and help the healthcare industry control administrative costs.

A student’s medical records are protected under HIPAA and will not be shared with parents or family members unless the student has consented to release these records.

**Students have the right to:**

- Inspect and request a copy of medical records.
- Request an amendment or addendum to medical records.
- Receive an account of disclosures of private health information.
- Request restrictions to release medical information.

- Request confidential communications with you.

For a list of frequently asked questions, visit Student Health Services at [wellness.ucsd.edu/studenthealth/about/HIPAA/Pages/default.aspx](http://wellness.ucsd.edu/studenthealth/about/HIPAA/Pages/default.aspx).

In health or safety emergencies, including alcohol or drug violations, the University may release relevant student records to parents. The University may notify parents of alcohol or drug violations by students under the age of 21.

For more information, visit [students.ucsd.edu/sponsor/student-conduct](http://students.ucsd.edu/sponsor/student-conduct).
Financial Aid

Financial aid counselors assist students and parents in applying for and securing financial assistance when family resources are insufficient to meet educational expenses. The Financial Aid & Scholarships Office provides individual financial aid advising assistance by phone, email or in person. If your student has a question about financial aid, including scholarships, grants, loans and work study (need-based campus employment), or would like help with any part of the financial aid process, contact the Financial Aid & Scholarships Office.

What is Financial Aid?

Financial aid includes scholarships, grants, loans and work study. Financial aid funds may come from federal, state, institutional and private sources.

There are two basic types of financial aid:

- Gift funds (money that does not need to be repaid)
- Self-help funds (money that is borrowed and must be repaid, or earned through working while the student is enrolled)

We encourage students and families to visit the Financial Aid & Scholarships website for more information at fao.ucsd.edu. We also recommend students utilize the financial literacy tools and training available through Cash Course at www.cashcourse.org.
Tuition & Fees | Billing & Payment | Refunds & Direct Deposits

Planning Ahead
You may access the UC San Diego Budgets and Cost of Attendance page for up-to-date information on the cost of UC San Diego (students.ucsd.edu/finances/financial-aid/budgeting). While this tool is for planning purposes, it can also help determine approximately how much money your student needs to attend UC San Diego and how much financial aid they need to meet that goal.

Tuition and Fees
Access the most up-to-date information on tuition and fees from the Student Business Services website: students.ucsd.edu/finances/billing-payment/index.html.

This site includes information on:
- billing due dates,
- receiving and understanding your student’s bill, and
- payment options.

Billing and Payment
Three most important things parents should know:
1. You will only have access to your student’s billing after they authorize you.
2. UC San Diego uses an electronic billing system called E-Bill.
3. We do not mail billing statements. Once a month, we send an email reminder to check your E-Bill account online (if authorized by your student). Otherwise, your student will receive the bill via their ucsd.edu email.

How can I receive my student’s bill?
To see your student’s bill, you must be authorized by your student. The University regards your student as an adult with certain privacy rights, regardless of the student’s age (see FERPA information on p. 28).

Student Business Services (SBS) staff discusses billing and related issues only with your student, unless your student has enrolled you as an authorized parent or payer. In this case, SBS staff may discuss financial aid and related issues with you as an authorized parent or payer.

UC San Diego may not disclose certain information about your student without the student’s prior written consent.

How do I get authorized?
If you and your student agree that you should view and pay their bill, have your student go to the Billing and Payment section in TritonLink, under the Finances tab, and log into the Authorize a Payer tool. Students can authorize up to three payers to view and pay their university bill online.

You’ll receive an email notice from ebill@ucsd.edu, with the subject line “UC San Diego E-Bill Authorization — Action Needed.” This email will ask you to set up a username and password. The email is only valid for 14 days.

Watch the Online Tutorial for Authorized Payers at parents.ucsd.edu/_files/TL-PaymentsforParents.pdf.

Scholarship Checks from an Outside Agency
If your student is receiving a scholarship that will be sent to UC San Diego:
- Ensure the agency makes the check payable to “UC Regents.”
- Include the student’s PID (personal ID) and full name on the check.
- Mail the check to: Student Business Services Attn: Scholarships 9500 Gilman Drive Dept. #0026 La Jolla, CA 92093-0026

Refunds and Direct Deposits
Student Account refunds are paid to the student. To receive prompt refunds of credit balances or excess aid, students must sign up for Direct Deposit. Otherwise, a check is mailed to the current address listed on TritonLink. Students are strongly encouraged to sign up for Direct Deposit, the fastest and safest way to receive refunds.

Triton Registration Installment Plan (TRIP) Monthly Payment Plan Option
The University offers a payment plan for costs associated with attending UC San Diego.
- Students can apply at any time.
- Students must be enrolled and be clear of any university holds to use TRIP to make payments.
- The first payment includes a non-refundable application fee ($30 for California residents or $45 for non-residents) and one-third of your student’s mandatory registration fees and tuition.
- Remaining installments will be billed to the student later in the quarter.
- Each payment must be made by its due date. Look for charges in the Pay Your Current Balance section when viewing and paying the bill.

If you have questions about TRIP, email trip@ucsd.edu.

Student Business Services
Student Services Center, 3rd Floor Phone: (858) 822-4727 Fax: (858) 822-2314
In order to protect the privacy of students’ educational records (including but not limited to grades and tuition statements), these records are considered confidential under the federal law of Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA).

FERPA provides students, including those under 18, with the following rights:

- Educational records are protected from third parties (including parents and families).
- Students can inspect, review and correct educational records.
- Schools must have students’ permission to release educational records to third parties (including parents and families).
- Educational records do not include directory information (i.e., name, address, telephone).
- Students must have the option to decline release of directory information.

Students are responsible for sharing education-related records like grades, tuition statements, attendance and/or transcripts with third parties (such as parents and families) who have a legitimate right to know.

Parents can be informed of their student’s financial records in the following ways:

- Students may consent parents to view financial records (billing, payment and tax) online via the University’s TritonLink at tritonlink.ucsd.edu.
- Students initiate the process through TritonLink, listing any parents to have access to view and pay bills. Once logged into the TritonLink portal, students should go to Finances Tab > Billing and Finances > Authorize a Payer.

Consented parents will receive an email from ebill@ucsd.edu with directions on how to confirm access and set up a password. The student is allowed to revoke any and all consent at any time.

For more information about FERPA, visit www.ucsd.edu/catalog/front/ferpa.html.

How can I be informed of my student’s grades?

UC San Diego expects students to share important information, such as grades, with their families.

Registrar’s Office
Phone: (858) 534-3150
Fax: (858) 534-5723
registrar@ucsd.edu
students.ucsd.edu/sponsor/registrar
With a primary mission of protecting lives and property, and the belief that people are our most valuable resource, the men and women of our department have established an exemplary record of law enforcement service to our campus.

Through integrity, respect and community support, we are committed to enhancing public safety and improving the quality of life for everyone who works, studies or visits this campus. I am confident we will continue to provide an unsurpassed level of safety. On behalf of the men and women of our department, thank you for your continued support.

David S. Rose
Chief of Police

The UC San Diego Police Department is dedicated to providing the highest quality police service to our students, faculty, staff and visitors.

UC San Diego employs 45 trained, full-time, state-certified peace officers. The Police Department’s mission is protecting lives and property, which has resulted in an exemplary record of law enforcement service. UC San Diego police officers have peace officer authority everywhere in the state of California. They receive the same basic training as city and county peace officers throughout the state, plus additional training to meet the unique needs of a campus environment. The department handles all patrol, investigation, crime prevention education and related law enforcement duties for the campus community and operates 24 hours a day, seven days a week. The department is also a 911 Public-Safety Answering Point (PSAP), receiving 911 emergency calls from landlines and cellular phones within our service area.

Campus Patrol

The patrol division responds to all campus calls, conducts public safety officer initiated activity, ensures the smooth flow of traffic, and generally serves as a public safety resource in support of our community. Our officers are called upon to engage the community in a variety of outreach efforts like “Coffee with a Cop” or organized events like community softball games. Our patrol division welcomes community members to schedule a ride-along to better get to know our community. To schedule a ride-along, call (858) 534-4357 or submit a request online at police.ucsd.edu/services/ride-along.html.

Residential Security Officer (RSO)

The Residential Security Officer (RSO) program is a community partnership between the Police Department; Housing, Dining & Hospitality; and the Academic and Residence Life offices at each college campus. This is a unique program to the UC San Diego campus where full-time employees are dedicated to each housing area to further enhance the safety and security of the 15,000 residents of the campus. The mission is the safety of residents and their property. RSOs patrol the campus between the hours of 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. RSOs are trained in 1st Aid/CPR. They also attend a 40-hour Laws of Arrest course in accordance with section 832 of the California Penal Code.

Community Service Officer (CSO)

The CSO Program employs only UC San Diego students and offers many safety-related services, including year-round campus safety escorts. CSOs are trained in 1st Aid/CPR, Traffic Control, Self-Defense and Driver’s Safety. Along with preserving a safe environment for their fellow students, CSOs operate a late night ride service for students, staff and faculty up to one mile from the UC San Diego campus. This ride service, referred to as Triton Rides, includes free unlimited use by campus affiliates to safely get community members to their destinations. For a safety escort, students can call extension 4-WALK or (858) 534-9255. The CSO program hires year-round. To apply, visit Port Triton: career.ucsd.edu/pt-portal-info.html.

UC San Diego Police Department
(858) 534-4357
Text a Tip: Text “UCSD” and your message to “274637” (CRIMES) or submit a web tip: www.smscrimetips.com or police.ucsd.edu.

Register for Triton Alert

UC San Diego uses a phone and email notification system, in addition to the UC San Diego Emergency Status website, to keep the campus community updated on emergency situations. All members of the UC San Diego campus community are eligible, including parents. To register, visit www.mir3.com/ucsd and click “Create Account.” For more information, contact Emergency Services at emergency@ucsd.edu.
Principles of Community

The UC San Diego community includes students, staff, and faculty who have a vested interest in the University. Members of our community pride themselves on academic, personal and professional excellence and value integrity, accountability and respect. This Student Conduct Code underscores the pride and the values that define our community while providing UC San Diego students with a framework to guide their actions and behaviors.

UC San Diego’s Principles of Community further illustrate expectations of all members of our community. In accordance with these Principles, the community supports student development and learning across the campus, six undergraduate colleges and graduate/professional schools. ucsd.edu/about/principles.html

We also recognize the impact our unique college structure has in blending strengths of a college with the resources and opportunities of a large research university. This structure allows students, faculty and staff to positively impact the individual college and greater university communities.

This Code sets forth the applicable standards of our community and authorizes the administration of student conduct at UC San Diego. All participants involved with the student conduct process are encouraged to reflect upon their roles in the community and seek out opportunities for personal growth and development. It is our aspiration students involved in this process will strengthen their competencies in communication, relationships, leadership, critical thinking and active citizenship.

Office of Student Conduct

The Office of Student Conduct provides central leadership in the non-academic student conduct process at UC San Diego. Our office advises students, staff and faculty on the student conduct process; campus policies; and student rights, responsibilities and resources. Our mission is to create a fair and educational process that promotes accountability and learning, while enhancing the living and learning community for your student and their peers.

Our office provides leadership opportunities for students interested in policies, judicial affairs and student affairs. Encourage your student to contact us for any questions about the student conduct process, campus policies or for advice on how to become involved as a student leader.

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Revelle College is UC San Diego’s first college, named in honor of the chief architect of the University in its early years, Dr. Roger Revelle.

In the 1960s, when Dr. Revelle and other founding members of the UC San Diego faculty began to think about an undergraduate component to the new university, they were committed to the principle of a broad liberal arts education that would provide a firm grounding in the major disciplines of the sciences, humanities, arts and social sciences.

Revelle College has a dedicated cadre of faculty who are loyal to the classical education provided by the college’s general education requirements. Revelle’s core writing program, the Humanities sequence, has the highest percentage of senior faculty instructors of all the University’s core courses.

The Revelle College Student Affairs Office offers a wide range of programs, events and activities designed to enhance students’ college experience. Student Affairs supports students in crisis, as well as those who are struggling with the transition to college. The Residence Life Office is committed to providing a safe living and learning experience for a diverse population of students.

A few Revelle College traditions that take place annually include Roger Revelle’s Birthday, celebrated on the last Friday of Winter quarter; Revelltation, an annual concert held in the spring; and Watermelon Drop, the oldest tradition at UC San Diego.

Parents and families can access more information regarding Revelle College at revelle.ucsd.edu.

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The 2017–18 academic year marks the 50th anniversary of John Muir College! Join us all year long for special programs, events and more in celebration of this milestone and momentous occasion.

Inspired by the remarkable life of environmentalist, nature writer and Sierra Club founder, John Muir College of UC San Diego emphasizes the spirit of individual choice and responsibility within the framework of a welcoming and supportive community. Muir is a special place where generations of students have felt recognized and valued as individuals and experienced a strong sense of belonging within this large research university.

The college’s General Education curriculum allows students the freedom to choose courses meaningful to them in a program that includes both breadth and depth in natural sciences, social sciences, arts, humanities and foreign languages.

The wonderful, close-knit community at Muir College is directly linked to the high level of student involvement in a wide range of activities and events throughout the year. Muir boasts one of the most active college communities at UC San Diego and has more student organizations than any of the other colleges! Whether a whale-watching trip, learning to play croquet, organizing a program, writing an article for Muir’s own student-run humor newspaper, or performing in the Muir Musical, there is an organization or activity for everyone.

The residential complex at Muir is a fun and comfortable place to live, where residents develop friendships and learn about themselves and those who live with them. The organization of Muir’s residence halls into houses and suites makes it easy to connect with others and develop lifelong friendships.

A few of John Muir College traditions that take place annually are the Muir Pumpkin Drop and Halloween Carnival; Muirstock, a festival and concert highlighting a number of well-known bands; and John Muir Week, highlighting green initiatives as well as an observance of John Muir’s birthday.

Unique to Muir, the Muir College Center is located in Stewart Commons below Pines and offers a wide variety of products and services. The College Center includes MoM (Middle of Muir), PoP (Purveyor of Products), Muir Woods Coffee House, space for student events, comfortable study areas and an outdoor seating area.

During fall, winter and spring quarters, the College Center offers families and friends of John Muir College students the opportunity to send their best wishes to students living in the residential facilities. With 48-hour notice, custom baskets can be delivered to your student’s room. For more information, refer to the Muir College Center tab on the Muir website or call MoM directly at (858) 534-4418.

John Moore, Professor of Linguistics and Director of the Linguistics Heritage Language Program, began as Muir College’s fourth provost September 1, 2013. A member of the faculty since 1992 and a highly-regarded scholar in theoretical syntax, Provost Moore has also served terms on the Muir College Executive Committee (chairing the committee in 2006–7). His administrative and academic accomplishments, and his commitment to the John Muir College theme of “emphasizing the spirit of individual choice and responsibility within a framework of a welcoming and supportive community,” makes him exceptionally well qualified to provide leadership as the Provost of Muir College. He is also known as a flamenco guitarist.

Parents and families can access more information regarding John Muir College at muir.ucsd.edu.

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**JOHN MUIR COLLEGE**

**Green Table, 1992**
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Thurgood Marshall inspires our college in many ways. A career defender of civil rights and the first African-American Supreme Court Justice, Thurgood Marshall fought to correct the social, educational and cultural inequities in the U.S., and inspires the UC San Diego College that is named after him (formerly Third College).

School integration was a major legacy of Thurgood Marshall’s activism. Third College was founded in 1970. Igniting the passions of students’ and faculty’s desire for dialogue and change, Third College’s birth enriched the lives of UC San Diego undergraduates by illuminating complex moral and social justice issues, with emphasis on our underrepresented communities. For this powerful reason, Third was named Thurgood Marshall College (TMC) in 1993.

Today, Thurgood Marshall College embraces our history and the profound impact of our namesake through the college’s commitment to the intellectual and philosophical development of both scholar and citizen. TMC encourages students to grow, learn and challenge themselves to reach out and become active and engaged members of our ever-changing society.

TMC Academic Advising is inspired by the college mission to develop the scholar and citizen within the context of a major research university and milieu of a small liberal arts college. The academic counseling staff is informed by student development theory and best professional practice in the field. Students can expect advisors to help them establish and achieve their academic goals, while guiding their development of independent decision-making skills.

TMC Residential Life supports students in creating their community at Marshall College. As on-campus residents of Marshall College, students enjoy and appreciate the value of being a unique part of a diverse community while building life-long relationships. Our Residential Life philosophy encourages and supports students in getting to know themselves, and in learning about themselves, so ultimately they strengthen their confidence to be themselves.

The TMC Student Life team facilitates the development of the diverse Marshall student community through innovative opportunities for equity-minded education, leadership and engagement. Professionals and students collaborate to create vibrant co-curricular experiences in which students are encouraged to reflect and engage in new ways with their studies, their community, their college and their world.

Throughout the year, Marshall student organizations plan and enjoy a multitude of events, including study breaks; Unplugged, a cafe-style musical open mic night held right in our residential community; film previews, which celebrate the themes of the college; cultural nights; leadership seminars; and trips to various San Diego hot spots. Especially popular are the annual MarshallPalooza Carnival during Fall Quarter and the Cultural Celebration community festival during Spring Quarter.

Parents and families can access more information regarding Thurgood Marshall College at marshall.ucsd.edu.

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Unveiling of Sojourner Truth Statue
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Earl Warren College was established in 1974 as the fourth undergraduate college at UC San Diego. Named after the former California Governor and Chief Justice of the United States, the college continues the legacy of Earl Warren by encouraging students to explore the relationship between leadership and social justice.

Warren College students represent all majors offered at UC San Diego, and the college motto, “Toward a Life in Balance,” is integrated into Warren College’s academic requirements and student events to provide a well-rounded university experience.

Warren College Academic Advising offers personalized academic advising services to all Warren students. The staff assists students with understanding and complying with general-education requirements and academic policies, educational planning and referrals to appropriate campus resources.

The Dean of Student Affairs Office is dedicated to working with students to develop opportunities for engagement, learning and discovery that support classroom efforts as well as foster growth and development outside of the classroom. The dean’s office provides advising support to many of the Warren College student organizations and the Warren College Student Council and works to promote health and safety, community responsibility and academic integrity efforts.

The Warren Residential Life Office is a resource that provides students with transitional support and helps foster personal growth. The office employs resident assistants (RAs) who host programs that enhance educational experiences, promote the UC San Diego Principles of Community, and engage students in dialogue around issues of diversity and social justice.

Earl Warren College offers students several co-curricular programs to enhance their academic and personal development. The quarterly High Table Dinner, hosted by the Provost, engages students and faculty in an evening of fine dining and conversation that enriches faculty-student relationships. The DeWitt Higgs Memorial Lecture provides students an opportunity to engage in a discussion on current events and their impact on the law and society.

While reaching their highest academic potential, students also need a chance to socialize. Warren College student organizations offer events throughout the year ranging from bus trips to local attractions including Disneyland and the San Diego Zoo, Open Mic Nights to showcase student talent, and tailgates before athletic events. Two of the most popular annual events are Winter Warrenland — a winter celebration that includes music, crafts and hot chocolate — and the semi-formal dance; both bring students together as a community.

Parents and families can access more information regarding Earl Warren College at warren.ucsd.edu.
Founded in 1988 as UC San Diego’s fifth college, Eleanor Roosevelt College (ERC) was named in 1994 for the former First Lady, who was a humanitarian as well as a champion of international cooperation, delegate to the United Nations, chair of the UN Commission on Human Rights, and member of the Peace Corps Advisory Council.

ERC’s Educational Philosophy is based on the belief that to be educated in our world today means to understand one’s own history and cultural heritage and the history and thought of other major cultural traditions. All ERC undergraduate academic programs include a series of general requirements designed to provide a broad, multi-cultural and global perspective.

The Student Affairs Office at ERC strives to create a college environment that is exciting and full of new experiences and challenges while supporting students in achieving a balanced life. College is a time of self-discovery, personal growth and exposure to new and different opportunities. At ERC, your student can explore many student organizations, engage in community service, serve on the college’s Student Council, cheer on campus athletic teams as a member of the ERC spirit group, learn about and investigate new cultures through participation in events such as Global Marketplaces and Culture Nights, serve on the activities programming board, or start a new student organization.

All Eleanor Roosevelt College students have the opportunity to live on campus in the residence halls located at ERC and on the Revelle campus, in the ERC apartments, and in UC San Diego International House (I-House), which is also located in the ERC neighborhood. This unique experience of community living helps our students develop a concern and respect for others, make personal lifestyle decisions, share their academic and cultural experience with other students, and learn to live in a close-knit, diverse community. Neighborhood landmarks such as Café Ventanas, the I-House Great Hall and our three community gardens provide programmatic opportunities and common social spaces for all our students.

Eleanor Roosevelt College has several events throughout the year that students, faculty and staff look forward to including Rock N’ Roosevelt, Making of Modern World (MMW) Blowout, and the annual Leadership Recognition Celebration. Multi-cultural awareness is highlighted through a variety of exciting local and international leadership and community service opportunities under the college’s programmatic plan, “A Celebration of Cultures at Home and Abroad.” These programs create an environment where ERC students can develop new friendships and participate in a variety of fun activities, intercultural exchange and interaction with fellow students, faculty and staff.

Parents and families can access more information regarding Eleanor Roosevelt College at roosevelt.ucsd.edu.

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Inaugurated at the dawn of a new century, Sixth College prepares its students to become dynamic and engaged citizens of the 21st century: innovative, creative and interconnected. The core academic programs of Sixth College develop skills in both traditional and emergent media literacy, emphasizing essential writing fundamentals as well as the latest forms of digital communication.

The academic advising mission at Sixth College is to develop personal and caring relationships with students and to help them achieve their educational, career and life goals. Academic advising is an intentional educational partnership between advisors and students and a process that considers and respects students’ diverse backgrounds, interests and abilities.

The Sixth College core academic program focuses on Culture, Art and Technology. In this program, students take an interdisciplinary look at how the things we make — specifically, art and technology — reflect what we believe and value, focus our attention, and alter our environment. Students at Sixth College participate in the upper-division Practicum. The goal of the Practicum is to have students build bridges to local and global communities, engage students in communal work, and foster an ethical obligation to service.

The Sixth College Student Affairs team works with students to develop experiences that support classroom efforts as well as expand learning opportunities outside of the classroom by providing activities and services that enhance the student experience. The Student Affairs team fosters student growth and development by helping them build a college community that supports individual creativity and expression, increase their understanding and appreciation for human differences, and prepare to become effective citizens in the 21st century.

Living on campus is an integral part of a Sixth College resident’s education. Living in the apartments and residence halls provides a wonderful opportunity to meet new people; learn about new cultures; develop life skills that will extend beyond the college years; develop respect and care for others; make responsible lifestyle choices and decisions; share academic, social and cultural experiences with other students; and learn to live respectfully in close quarters with diverse groups of people.

Sixth College has several annual traditions for students to participate in such as Winter Game Fest, Semi-Formal, Spirit of the Masters, Let It Flow, Kuncocshun, Digital Film Festival and the Chocolate Festival.

Parents and families can access more information regarding Sixth College at sixth.ucsd.edu.

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SIXTH COLLEGE

Snake Path, 1992
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Welcome, families of transfer students! We’re excited your student wants to complete their education at UC San Diego.

Although your student has previous college experience, there will be a time of adjustment to the UC San Diego campus culture. Many other campuses have 15-week semesters. UC San Diego is a 10-week quarter system with one week of finals. The quarter system moves fast and the campus is large. Encourage your student to meet other transfer students to learn how to manage the fast-paced academic quarter system and how to get involved with on-campus organizations.

**Revelle College**

The Revelle Transfer Student Network (RTSN) is a student-led student organization. RTSN meets weekly to coordinate programs and events for transfer students to ease the transition into UC San Diego. For additional information go to revelle.ucsd.edu.

**Student Council Connection:** Revelle College Council (RCC) meets Thursdays at 5 p.m. in the Revelle Formal Lounge. RCC has positions for transfer and commuter representatives.

**John Muir College**

Tribe of Muir Transfers (TMT) meets weekly and coordinates free events specifically for transfer students. Check out their Facebook Group: TMT! Muir College Commuter Council (M3C) meets bi-weekly and holds free bi-weekly commuter breakfasts in Muir’s Mariposa Room. For more information, check out their Facebook Group:

**Muir College**

Transfer and Re-Entry Student organization is open to all colleges, and is designed to connect transfer students with each other and college/campus resources. Interested in connecting with faculty? Marshall Mentor Program is a year-long program providing new transfer students the opportunity to work closely with faculty members who share their knowledge and experience to better equip transfer students to succeed at UC San Diego and beyond. To learn more, visit marshall.ucsd.edu and click on “Programs.”

**Student Council Connection:** Thurgood Marshall College Student Council (TMCSC) meets Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. in Fireside Lounge. TMCSC positions are available; visit marshall.ucsd.edu to learn more. Click on “Student Life” to get involved!

For more information on getting involved at Marshall College, contact the TMC Student Affairs Office at tmcstudentaffairs@ucsd.edu or like us on Facebook: UCSD Thurgood Marshall College.

**Earl Warren College**

Warren College Transfer and Commuter Commission invites all incoming transfer students to join us for meetings and events. We coordinate programs for transfer students including Learn at Lunch discussions, trips to local attractions, concerts and more. Meetings are open to all Warren College students. For more information, email ucsdwtcc@gmail.com or find us on Facebook: Warren Transfer and Commuter Commission.

**Student Council Connection:** Warren College Student Council (WCSC) meets every Thursday evening in the Warren Administration student lounge. WCSC has positions open for transfer-at-large and commuter-at-large as well as a variety of other positions. For more information, visit wsc.ucsd.edu or email wcsc@ucsd.edu.
For more information on getting involved at Warren College, contact the Warren College Student Affairs Office at warrendean@ucsd.edu.

Eleanor Roosevelt College

Eleanor’s Transfers and Commuters is designed to help transfer students stay involved in ERC activities and events. The group meets bi-weekly to plan and implement on- and off-campus events like commuter/transfer breakfasts, movie nights and beach parties. There is a Commuter Lounge located on the second floor of the ERC Administration Building; opened from 8 a.m. – 11 p.m., weekdays. For more information, email ercstudentlife@ucsd.edu.

Student Council Connection: Student Council at Eleanor Roosevelt College (SCERC) meets Thursdays at 5:30 p.m. in the ERC second floor conference room. SCERC has positions for transfer and commuter representatives. scerc.ucsd.edu

Sixth College

Sixth College Student Council meets each Thursday at 5:15 p.m. in the Sixth College Main Conference Room. For more information on getting involved, email sixthcollege-president@gmail.com or visit scsc.ucsd.edu.

Transfer Year Experience

Each college offers a Transfer Year Experience course during the Fall quarter. This course equips new transfer students with best practices and critical skills on how to succeed at a large research university. Lectures and discussions are designed to connect students to academic and co-curricular resources, programs and opportunities both on- and off-campus. Topics include academic success strategies, personal well-being, research and co-curricular involvement, and communication skills. For more information, visit fye.ucsd.edu or email fye@ucsd.edu.

Transfer Student Housing: The Village at Torrey Pines

The Village is a community of apartments and retail spaces designed especially for transfer students. The neighborhood consists of Village West and Village East, a total of 13 buildings, two of which are high rises with incredible ocean views. All of the resident apartment homes feature modern amenities and a sleek aesthetic design. There are several scholar communities available to assist in your student’s success, including Transfer SUCCESS; Computer, Science and Engineering; and Bioscience. In addition to scholar communities, we also have Quiet Scholars and gender neutral housing. Student Success Mentors are available to assist during your student’s time at the Village.

Living at the Village is affordable, and in a prime location — right on campus! For more information, email thevillage@ucsd.edu or call (858) 534-9380.

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Whether your student is a first year or a transfer student, there will be ongoing adjustments to their academics. Academic life at UC San Diego is different from high school and from other colleges. Read "Tips for Academic Success": students.ucsd.edu/academics/advising/academic-success/tips.html. And become familiar with resources helpful to your student’s academic transition.

Academic Support

Academic Advisors – Advisors help students plan an academic program to fulfill interests, abilities and career goals by meeting major and graduation requirements. Students should meet regularly with an academic advisor to stay on track with their academic goals. Each of the six colleges has an academic advising office. Visit the College’s website for more information.

Professors and Teaching Assistants – Students should get to know their professors by visiting them during office hours. Getting to know professors shows investment on the part of the student. Professors are a great resource for student research and other academic opportunities. Teaching Assistants are upperclassmen and graduate students supervised and supported by professors within a specific discipline.

Tutors and Study Groups – Tutors provide academic support in a specific discipline. Study Groups support peer-to-peer learning in a group setting and are usually created by students.

Students – Students are their own resource. Students academically succeed by attending class as scheduled, following the syllabus, planning adequate time to study for each course, taking notes, using course handouts, and asking for help before a challenge arises.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT & RESOURCES

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OASIS – The Office of Academic Support and Instructional Services offers group workshops in math, science, language, writing and English Second Language. With OASIS, students can improve their grade point average, learn effective study skills and learn more about a subject. oasis.ucsd.edu

Writing Center – The Writing Center supports students from all six colleges, the college writing programs and all academic disciplines. Students can sign up for individual assistance or group workshops. Students are encouraged to contact their college writing center for more information. writingcenter.ucsd.edu

First Year Experience Program – An initiative of all six colleges, the First Year Experience (FYE) Program offers a 2-unit Pass/No Pass course designed to help new students maximize their educational experience at UC San Diego. FYE facilitates academic success by helping students understand and embrace academic and curricular expectations; engage and map co-curricular opportunities; and strengthen critical thinking, organizational, interpersonal and wellness skills. The course is offered to incoming freshmen in Fall 2017. For more information, email fye@ucsd.edu or visit fye.ucsd.edu.

Students should meet regularly with an academic advisor to stay on track with their academic goals.
THE CAREER CENTER

The UC San Diego Career Center helps students determine and fulfill career goals through a variety of programs and services including:

- 1-on-1 career coaching/advising
- Part-time jobs on campus, internships, work-study positions, summer jobs and community service
- Resources for networking, résumé writing and interviewing
- Assistance in preparing for and applying to professional and graduate school programs
- Career opportunities after graduation

Although some students enter UC San Diego with a clear career direction, others may want more time to explore options while discovering personal interests and strengths. The following checklist can help your student make the most of the Career Center. While organized by academic years, remember each student goes through phases of career development at a different pace.

It is never too early for students to use the Career Center. Encourage your student to participate in the following activities:

For more information visit career.ucsd.edu or call (858) 534-3750.

THE CAREER CENTER

FRESHMAN YEAR:
Self-Discovery & Exploration

- Discover interests and strengths through coursework, student activities and part-time jobs.
- Meet with a career advisor to begin a career exploration plan.
- Use self-assessment tools and research your career options.
- Go to Port Triton career.ucsd.edu to look for part-time or work-study jobs and internships.
- Attend workshops and panel presentations related to career interests.

JUNIOR YEAR:
Decision-Making & Preparation

- Narrow down career choices, make tentative decisions and continue to obtain career-related experience and/or plan for graduate or professional school.
- Attend workshops and networking programs through the Career Center. Get resume and/or application essays critiqued by a career advisor.
- Gather information to firm up career goals. Attend Triton Career Fairs and/or Professional and Graduate School, Law School Information, and/or Health Professional School Fairs.
- Set up informational interviews with alumni professionals in your field of interest through the Alumni Advisor Network.

SOPHOMORE YEAR:
Exploration & Decision-Making

- Continue exploring career options.
- Spend time using the Career Center’s online resources. Attend career panels and workshops.
- Start building career-related work experience and focus on developing skills through part-time jobs, internships and summer jobs.
- Meet with a professional school advisor to discuss goals, preparation and/or application processes.

SENIOR YEAR:
Implementing Career Goals

- Start pursuing a first full-time job using networking, job fairs, Port Triton job listings and our career advisors.
- Follow through with applications to professional or graduate schools.
- As a rising alumnus, you will have continued access to Port Triton and a host of other resources including: workshops and seminars, employer information sessions, career and professional/graduate school fairs, and the Alumni Advisor Network throughout your work life.

ENGAGED LEARNING TOOLS

The Engaged Learning Tools is a suite of tools designed to help students discover, document and share real-world learning experiences. These tools include:

- Research Experience & Applied Learning Portal offers opportunities for internships, research, international, service and more for students to build real-world skills.
- Enhanced Electronic Transcript embeds contextual information about courses taken.
- Co-Curricular record highlights achievements beyond the classroom, including a brief description of skills developed.
- Portfolium allows students to illustrate their academic, co-curricular and professional story through completed work and university activities.

These tools can all be used to showcase the student’s experiences and achievements as they apply for jobs and graduate schools. www.ucsd.edu/engagedlearning
GLOBAL EDUCATION & INVOLVEMENT

UC San Diego International Center
The International Center’s mission is to facilitate and promote UC San Diego’s participation in global scholarship, international education exchange and scholarly investigation.

The work of the International Center is integral to the University’s larger goals of global collaboration and innovation. International Center staff promote social, educational and intercultural participation and awareness; provide leadership with regard to campus internationalization efforts; and serve and support international faculty and scholars, international students, and students wishing to study, work, intern or volunteer abroad.

The International Center, International and Out-of-State Outreach Coordinators, and International House work closely to offer a series of weekly global engagement events open to all students throughout the academic year.

International Students & Programs Office
The International Students & Programs Office (ISPO) serves more than 9,400 international students — from nearly 100 countries — pursuing degree and non-degree programs at UC San Diego. ISPO is dedicated to providing comprehensive advising services, programs, informational resources and volunteer opportunities that support international students and their families in achieving their academic, professional and personal goals, as well as serving the University’s academic departments and research units in pursuit of their mission.

Study Abroad Office
• Each year more than 1,000 students study, intern, research or volunteer in nearly every country around the world.

• Nearly 20 percent of UC San Diego undergraduates participate in a study abroad experience by the time they graduate (the national average is three percent).

• Approximately $650,000 in study abroad scholarship funding is given annually.

• Study abroad does not delay graduation; nearly 70 percent of students abroad take courses in their major field.

• Science and engineering abroad? You bet! Forty-five percent of UC San Diego students abroad are from the sciences and engineering.

UC San Diego International House
The International House (I-House) at UC San Diego is a vibrant and engaging residential learning community of nearly 350 American and international students from over 30 countries that promotes global citizenship and international awareness. In addition to being a living learning community, I-House is also a hub of exciting activities and programs focused on global cultures and issues. I-House hosts a variety of free weekly events open to everyone. Encourage your student to make friends from all over the world to enhance their global knowledge through I-House events and activities.

UC San Diego’s I-House accepts applications three times per year. Students interested in living in I-House must complete an application from the I-House website. For more information, visit ihouse.ucsd.edu or call (858) 822-1791.

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BRIEF FACTS

UC San Diego students who study abroad graduate an average of one quarter sooner than their counterparts who do not study abroad.

UC San Diego ranks sixth in the nation in the number of international scholars on campus.

UC San Diego ranks 15th in the nation for the number of international students on campus.
There is more than just studying at UC San Diego.

There is a campus to be discovered outside of the classroom — a community that will help your student connect to the campus, gain a sense of belonging, and serve as a leader in student organizations and to peers.

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<td>lgbt.ucsd.edu</td>
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<td>apimeda.ucsd</td>
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**Undocumented Student Services**

The Undocumented Student Services Center at UC San Diego is committed to serving our undocumented students and students from mixed-status families through a holistic approach using professional guidance, academic support, legal services, counseling and psychological services, and other forms of individualized support.

We strongly advocate for the inclusion of undocumented students on our campus and we seek meaningful partnerships that contribute to the development of a unified campus community that is respectful, supportive and understanding of each other.

Undocumented students, students in mixed-status families (residents, refugees and U.S. citizens), as well as allies are encouraged to stop by the Undocumented Student Services Center to learn more about our programs and the support we provide our students and the larger campus community.

(858) 822-6916 | undoc@ucsd.edu | www.undoc.ucsd.edu

**Outreach for Out-of-State and International Students**

There are two full-time professionals for the six colleges who support out-of-state and international students with transition, connection and success at UC San Diego and the California culture. This is accomplished through outreach, resources, programs and events. Find out more at nonresidentinfo.ucsd.edu.

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There is more than just studying at UC San Diego.
Student Veterans Resource Center

The Student Veterans Resource Center (SVRC) is committed to ensuring that military-affiliated students successfully make the transition from the military environment to campus life, are assisted in their progress toward completing their academic degree, and are aware of the many on-campus and San Diego resources to aid in their transition from service member to veteran. The Center also provides opportunities for peer-to-peer support, mentoring and social networking.

The SVRC is the primary campus resource and advocate for military-affiliated students. We partner with campus and community resources such as Career Services, Office for Students with Disabilities, and Courage to Call. Students using the Center include those who are active duty, veterans and spouses and dependents of service members and veterans.

We are located in the Original Student Center, Room 217.

Center for Student Involvement

The Center for Student Involvement offers professional student organization advising services; communication, leadership and community service programs; and hosts campus-wide events. Students can:

- Choose from over 600 student organizations (cultural, service, social, recreational, academic, political and spiritual).
- Enhance communication and leadership skills by participating in one-time, quarterly or annual seminars and workshops.
- Learn about social justice, education and environmental issues; build skills; and give back to the community.
- Participate in Welcome Week, Fall Fest on the Green (FFOG), Farmers’ Market, Vendor Fair and other annual events.

(858) 534-0501 | getinvolved@ucsd.edu | getinvolved.ucsd.edu

Greek Life

Greek letter organizations at UC San Diego stand for academic achievement, civic engagement, responsible leadership and true friendship. Greek-affiliated students are involved in every aspect of campus life. Members are found in all six residential colleges across all academic majors. Students who “Go Greek” join a community of over 2,000 diverse students who strive for excellence and inclusion.

UC San Diego Greek Life recognizes 45 local, regional, national and international Greek organizations. Alongside 19 sororities and 24 fraternities are 18 cultural-interest organizations including African-American, Armenian, Asian/Asian-American, Jewish, Latino/a, LGBTQ and Muslim Greek chapters.

olara@ucsd.edu | greeklife@ucsd.edu | getinvolved.ucsd.edu

Alternative Breaks

Alternative Breaks is dedicated to creating globally-conscious, active citizens who commit to lifelong service. Students participate in social justice programs through national or international service-learning trips that educate, assist, empower and impact lives.

www.alternativebreaksatucsd.org

Athletics

UC San Diego sponsors 23 intercollegiate men’s and women’s sports at the NCAA Division II level. The Tritons compete primarily in the California Collegiate Athletic Association, widely regarded as the premier conference for D-II athletics. UC San Diego has won a total of 30 national championships and a total of 238 national, regional and conference titles. Encourage your student to attend a game and show their school spirit!

(858) 534-4211 | ucsdtritons.com

Recreation Programs

UC San Diego has one of the largest Recreation programs in the nation. Your student can get involved in many great programs — whether it be venturing into the wilderness with Outback Adventures, getting competitive and meeting new friends on a Sports Club or Intramural team, getting in shape with FitLife, or learning a new skill with Rec Classes...there is something for everyone!

Students can register for classes, programs and trips online or at any of our on-campus facilities.

UC San Diego Recreation employs hundreds of students for various types of positions including management, fitness, programming, marketing, business/fiscal and more. Students can find employment opportunities on Port Triton.

(858) 534-4037 | recreation.ucsd.edu | facebook.com/ucsdrec
## FALL QUARTER 2017

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## IMPORTANT DATES

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- **Friday, September 22**: Tuition due/Registration fee payment deadline. Deadline to waive mandatory health insurance.
- **Sunday-Saturday, September 24-30**: Welcome Week. [welcomeweek.ucsd.edu](http://welcomeweek.ucsd.edu)
- **Thursday, September 28**: First day of classes.
- **Friday-Sunday, October 20-22**: Family Weekend. Register at [parents.ucsd.edu](http://parents.ucsd.edu).
- **Friday, November 10**: Veterans Day. (No Classes/Offices Closed).
- **Thursday-Friday, November 23-24**: Thanksgiving Holiday (University Closed).
- **Friday, December 8**: Last day of classes.
- **Saturday-Sunday, December 9-16**: Finals Week.
- **Wednesday, December 13**: Tuition due/Registration fee payment deadline. Deadline to waive mandatory health insurance.
- **Sunday, December 17**: Residence Halls close at noon.

**WINTER QUARTER 2018**

- **Monday-Tuesday, December 25-26**: Christmas Holiday (University Closed).
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- **Saturday, January 6**: Residence Halls open at noon for Winter quarter.
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- **Saturday, January 27**: Siblings Day. Register at [parents.ucsd.edu](http://parents.ucsd.edu).
- **Monday, February 19**: Presidents’ Day. (No Classes/Offices Closed).
- **Friday, March 16**: Last day of classes.
- **Saturday, March 17-24**: Finals Week.
- **Friday, March 23**: Tuition due/Registration fee payment deadline. Deadline to waive mandatory health insurance.

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### SPRING QUARTER 2018

**Sunday-Saturday, March 25–31**
Spring Break (Residence and Apartment Halls remain open)

**Friday, March 30**
César E. Chávez Day (No Classes/Offices Closed)

**Monday, April 2**
First day of classes

**Monday, May 28**
Memorial Day Observance (No Classes/Offices Closed)

**Friday, June 8**
Last day of classes

**Saturday–Friday, June 9–15**
Finals Week

**Saturday, June 16**
Apartments and Residence Halls close at 6 p.m. for the summer

**Saturday–Sunday, June 16–17**
Commencement Ceremonies

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*Calendar is subject to revision. [blink.ucsd.edu/instructors/resources/academic/calendars/2017.html](http://blink.ucsd.edu/instructors/resources/academic/calendars/2017.html)*
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