Educational Opportunity Program

The Educational Opportunity Program (EOP) at San Francisco State University supports low-income, first-generation college students. EOP students receive ongoing advising, tutoring, and workshops to help them succeed in their coursework and graduate.

Read on to learn more about EOP and its additional programs, who is eligible and how to apply.

More info: www.sfsu.edu/~eop

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This information is available in alternative formats upon request.

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We Make Futures Happen

Average hours of tutoring EOP students receive per month.

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EOP at a Glance

Advising
Each EOP student works closely with an EOP advisor who assists them in achieving their academic and personal goals. Advisors help with class scheduling and selecting a major and lead workshops on serious topics.

Tutoring
EOP students have access to personal tutors and group tutorial assistance in most general education classes and in lower- and upper-division major classes. Tutors help students prepare for exams, review papers, and develop learning strategies.

Scholarships
EOP students who meet eligibility requirements are encouraged to apply for scholarships that recognize their academic achievement and potential. Scholarships are available to incoming and current EOP students.

Summer Bridge
Summer Bridge is a six-week residential academic program that assists incoming students with peer-led study skills, college orientation, and group tutorial assistance in most general education classes and lead small study groups/workshops.

EOP at SF State
EOP at SF State is a four-year academic program that assists the transition from high school to university. Participants are introduced to an extensive educational support service network and are immersed in the SF State student-centered learning environment.

Additional EOP Programs

Student Support Services - TRiO
Student Support Services - TRiO at SF State offers active and experiential learning opportunities for both the mentor and the mentee. Mentoring creates a student-centered learning experience for both the mentor and the mentee.

Guardian Scholars Program
SF State Guardian Scholars Program creates a vibrant community to encourage current and former foster youth to attain college degrees, stable housing, and group tutorial assistance in most general education classes and lead small study groups/workshops.

EOP Admissions

How to Apply

Online
- Log out the CSU application for SF State. Go to www.csumentor.edu to apply online. Check “Yes” in the EOP section asking if you wish to apply for EOP. Fill out the necessary supplemental information.
- After submitting the SF State application for undergraduate admissions, complete the EOP application on-line at www.csumentor.edu.
- You will be asked to provide the names and e-mail addresses of two teachers or counselors who can recommend you for EOP. They will be sent the recommendation questions by e-mail and can submit their answers online.
- Unofficial, printout of your grades and the CSU Early Assessment Program (EAP) scores for Mathematics (ELM) or English Placement Test (EPT). Contact the Testing Center at the CSU campus near you.
- Complete the FAFSA (Federal Application for Federal Student Aid) at https://fafsa.ed.gov/ or, if eligible, the California Dream Act Application at https://dream.csac.ca.gov/ by March 2.
- Fill out the necessary supplemental information. Students who wish to be considered for Summer Bridge must apply for EOP. The community college system and CSU system consider the same pool of students eligible for EOP. If you are an EOP State student admitted to SF State before their EOP application is reviewed, you must first be admitted to SF State and then submit your EOP application.
- Students who meet the income eligibility index and are first-generation college students can apply for EOP. Students who meet the income eligibility index must first be admitted to CSU before their EOP application is reviewed. If you are an EOP State student admitted to SF State before their EOP application is reviewed, you must first be admitted to SF State and then submit your EOP application.
- Students who have been admitted to EOP and who are eligible for additional programs will be invited to participate. Students must be admitted to their EOP cohort before they will be invited to participate.
- Students who have been invited to participate in an EOP additional program must complete the application by the deadline indicated by the program.
- Students who have been admitted to EOP will receive their notice by e-mail.
- Students who have been admitted to EOP will receive their notice by e-mail. The EOP admissions cycle begins on October 1 and continues until space is no longer available. Students admitted to EOP will receive their notice by e-mail. Students who have been invited to participate in an EOP additional program must complete the application by the deadline indicated by the program.
- Applicants to EOP should have a minimum of a 2.5 average for all previous high school coursework. Students who have been invited to participate in an EOP additional program must complete the application by the deadline indicated by the program.
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