Student Services

Career Services

Student Services East, Room 1200
619-594-6851
http://career.sdsu.edu

Career Services supports student success by serving as the central campus resource for career development, planning, and advising. The center works with on-campus and community partners to ensure that SDSU students build the relevant skills and effective connections they need to achieve their career goals.

Career Development and Guidance

Career counselors, career peers, and employers support students with essentials for success that include choosing a major, locating and applying for internships, connecting to mentors, finding summer jobs, and securing full-time employment. The career center’s partners participate in programming and services that help students with decision-making, resume writing, networking at career fairs, researching careers, employment job interviewing, effectiveness on social media, participating in faculty-led research, and preparing for graduate school.

Aztec Career Connection

Career Services provides SDSU students with Aztec Career Connection, the SDSU online portal for internships, research opportunities, and full-time employment. Aztec Career Connection can be found by visiting the Career Services homepage at http://career.sdsu.edu. This resource provides students with event information and advance registration for workshops and events. Aztec Career Connection also provides free access to the following resources:

- TypeFocus – career assessment and planning;
- BigInterview – mock interviewing;
- Going Global – a resource for working abroad;
- On-Campus Interviews – interview with employers via semester-based program.

Students have access via their SDSUid credentials to Aztec Career Connection as soon as they register for classes. Visit the center’s website at http://career.sdsu.edu for instructions on accessing Aztec Career Connection.

Internships, Mentorships, Service Learning, and Employment Opportunities

Career Services serves as the central campus resource for internships and mentorships. The center partners with academic departments, employers, and alumni to provide information about for-credit and other internship opportunities. Each semester, Career Services also offers a series of internship workshops and partners with the Office of Alumni Engagement to provide mentorship opportunities via the Aztec Mentor Program (AMP). AMP matches students with alumni and other professionals to strengthen career exploration, job readiness, and professional networking. The career center also works with campus partners to provide information about student-to-student mentoring opportunities. Additionally, Career Services manages a centralized resource to apply and interview for full-time jobs, and internships via on-campus interviewing. The center hosts employer information sessions, networking events, and professional workshops where students can learn about an array of industries and occupations while interacting directly with recruiters. The center also offers signature programming for current topics such as security clearance and emerging industries.

Career Fairs and On-Campus Interviews

Career Services provides all-major, two-day career fairs in September and February. The center also works with colleges to provide industry-focused career fairs that include business, education, engineering/STEM, government, and non-profit disciplines. Consult Aztec Career Connection for a schedule of events and to research participating employers. Employers who participate in career fairs often interview students after the fair for full-time jobs and internships.

On-campus interviews provide SDSU students the competitive advantage to participate in first interviews with employees in Career Services. These on-campus interviews focus on full-time employment and summer internship programs. Juniors and seniors are encouraged to review on-campus interviewing in the fall semester since this is when employers recruit most actively.

Students who receive offers to interview via telephone and require a quiet space for conducting these interviews should contact Career Services for access to interview rooms. The center will require a RedID to make space available for students.

Career Resource Room

Career Services offers students a space in which to explore career options, meet with career peers and student assistants, and study. In the Career Resource Room, computer stations provide access to assessments, Aztec Career Connection, and software for professional activities, such as developing resumes. This room also holds numerous print publications on career topics such as what jobs are available to students with a variety of majors, how to develop a resume, how to prepare for and seek employment in any number of specific industries, and what options exist for graduate and professional schools.

Campus Connections

Career Services leverages campus contacts to empower students and strengthen the SDSU community. Career Services partners with on-campus areas, such as academic internship coordinators, college faculty, Residential Education, the Student Ability Success Center, Student Life and Leadership, Academic Advising, Associated Students, and the Alumni Association. WorkAbility IV is an award-winning partnership with the Student Ability Success Center and the State Department of Rehabilitation. This service provides career-focused support to qualified students. Visit Career Services or the Student Ability Success Center to learn more.

Career Placement

Career Services may furnish, upon request, information about the employment of students who graduate from programs or courses of study preparing students for a particular career field. Any such data provided must be in a form that does not allow for the identification of any individual student. This information includes data concerning the average starting salary and the percentage of previously enrolled students who obtained employment. The information may include data collected from either graduates of the campus or graduates of all campuses in the California State University.

Visit the Career Center

Career Services (Student Services East, Room 1200) is open 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Students can call or stop by to schedule individual appointments with career counselors. Fast-15 walk-in appointments are held daily Monday through Thursday from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. and Friday from 10 a.m. to noon. Visit the center’s website at http://career.sdsu.edu for current schedule information. SDSU alumni are invited to attend career fairs, but other services to alumni may be fee-based. For more information, contact Career Services.
Center for Intercultural Relations
Conrad Prebys Aztec Student Union, Room 250
619-594-7057
http://studentaffairs.sdsu.edu/intercultural

The Center for Intercultural Relations researches, designs, and implements unique programs that promote the appreciation of cultural diversity and fosters intercultural and cross-cultural understanding.

The center provides programs and services that support the academic mission of the university by enhancing the educational, personal, cultural, and social development of students. Intercultural Relations strives to build positive advocacy and collaborative relationships with the general student body with special emphasis towards underrepresented student populations.

Programs and services expand students’ cultural horizons and honor their respective cultural experiences. Intercultural Relations works in conjunction with university colleges and departments to conduct programs related to recruitment, orientation, retention, and graduation of students. The center also offers programs and workshops on academic, personal, professional, and cultural development, all of which support student success at SDSU.

• Black Resource Center (BRC) – provides a secure and welcoming environment where students, staff, and faculty of the African diaspora can collaborate, congregate, and cultivate a unified community. Through collaborative efforts, the center promotes intellectual exploration and academic achievement through career and professional development strategies; educational, research, and scholarship initiatives; and leadership and service opportunities.

• Pride Center at SDSU – creates, strengthens, and sustains an affirming, inclusive, open, and safe gathering space for persons of all gender and sexual identities and their allies. It also facilitates awareness, campuswide education, dialogue, and research on issues related to sexuality and gender. The center addresses the needs of students who may experience disenfranchisement, discrimination, harassment, or other barriers to student success as a result of their gender identity, sexual orientation, or expression. For more information, visit http://pridecenter.sdsu.edu.

• Women’s Resource Center (WRC) – is dedicated to creating a women’s-centered space that connects students to campus and community resources, creates and facilitates educational programs and events, empowers student voices, and provides support and advocacy. The center focuses on issues related to feminism, gender equity, sexual violence, health and wellness, leadership development, identity exploration, and social change. For more information, visit http://www.sdsu.edu/wrc.

Counseling & Psychological Services (C&PS)
Calpulli Center, Room 4401
619-594-5220
http://studentaffairs.sdsu.edu/cps

Counseling & Psychological Services (C&PS) provides a variety of services to enrolled SDSU students. Students interested in services should call to consult with a therapist for recommendations. These confidential services are covered by the student health fee.

The Center for Well-Being offers resources designed to help students help themselves. Several stations are set up to include hands-on activities that promote relaxation and stress reduction. The center has a small library of self-help books and can be a relaxing place to spend time. The alpha chamber egg chairs and massage chair provide environments where students experience deep relaxation.

C&PS groups and workshops address issues common to most university students. As appropriate, students are encouraged to participate in these interactive and dynamic forums:

• C.O.P.E. (Cultivating Optimal Personal Experiences);
• Everyday Mindfulness and Meditation;
• Healthy Emotional Living;
• Living with Loss;
• Rise (group for sexual assault survivors);
• Students in the Helping Professions;
• Various Single Servings (one-time workshops).

Crisis intervention services are available at C&PS for students who are in need of immediate assistance because of a severe emotional crisis that may be life threatening or otherwise require immediate attention. Examples of urgent situations may include: being a recent victim of assault, grieving the recent death of a friend or family member, or thinking about suicide. After hours and weekend emergency assistance can be obtained through the San Diego Access & Crisis Line at 888-724-7240 (administered by the County of San Diego).

Other services available at C&PS include:

• ASPIRE – individualized program designed for students to address their substance use;
• Biofeedback computer/technology-based, four-session intervention for anxiety reduction;
• Bounce Back – one unit, semester-long course designed to help students on academic probation;
• Individual, couple, and family counseling;
• Successful Community Living – workshop designed around themes of community and civility;
• Web resources – anxiety, assessment tools and intervention for alcohol and other substance use, depression, disordered eating, music to assist with regulated, diaphragmatic breathing, relationships, stress, and trauma.

Housing Administration and Residential Education
6001 Lindo Paseo
619-594-5742
http://housing.sdsu.edu

SDSU’s graduate student housing options offer the comfort and privacy of suite and apartment living, while providing a community conducive to student success.

Unlike living off-campus, our residential communities provide residents with support and programming designed specifically for graduate students. We offer live-in faculty and student staff, who act as valuable resources for students in our communities. These communities also offer the opportunity to better connect with the campus and to meet people from across California, the United States, and the world.

Fully furnished single and double rooms in two-, three-, and four-bedroom apartments are offered, as well as double and triple rooms in our brand new residence hall (South Campus Plaza) featuring private bathrooms. Each apartment has a complete kitchen and bath which are private to the residents of that unit. South Campus Plaza offers community kitchens, study rooms, and lounge areas throughout the building with Trader Joe’s and other retail offerings on the street level.

Every on-campus option offers all-in-one billing to include garbage, high speed Internet, meals (if applicable), rent, television service, and water in one convenient bill. Residents do not need to provide furniture, set up Wi-Fi, or utilities, and can spend time focusing on studies, enjoying the campus, and all the community has to offer, such as access to the library, dining options, and campus events only steps away.

To begin completing a license agreement, log into the SDSU WebPortal. For more information about options and rates, visit http://housing.sdsu.edu, call 619-594-5742, or e-mail oha@sdsu.edu.
The International Student Center (ISC) advances San Diego State University as a global university by serving as the crossroads for international students seeking educational opportunities at SDSU, and for SDSU students seeking educational opportunities in other countries. The ISC offers a full range of programs and services to a variety of communities on and off campus in an effort to foster student success, global perspectives, intercultural awareness, and international goodwill.

**International Students**

Working closely with more than 2,200 international students from more than 90 nations spanning the globe, the ISC provides support services that meet the logistical, regulatory, cultural, academic, and personal development needs unique to SDSU’s most diverse student community.

The International Student Center coordinates a variety of activities designed to foster intercultural goodwill, understanding, and friendship. One such activity is provided by the Intercultural Ambassadors Program through which selected international students make home-country presentations in San Diego schools. In addition, the ISC invites faculty, staff, and the community to participate in the many events listed in the ISC calendar of intercultural activities. These include the Global Aztec Alliance, International Coffee Hours, international film festivals, International Peace Village, International Student Association, and intercultural workshops.

**Study Abroad Programs**

The International Student Center (ISC) provides services to all students who want to study abroad as part of their educational experience at SDSU. The Study Abroad Office, under the umbrella of the ISC, serves as a study abroad resource center and acts as a window to the world for students beginning the study abroad journey. When students have questions about how to study abroad, what opportunities are available, or how to prepare for their time abroad, the ISC becomes their one-stop shop. In addition, the ISC:

- Administers SDSU’s reciprocal student exchange programs, providing various support services for participants in more than 110 agreements SDSU has signed with institutions around the world;
- Serves as SDSU’s liaison with the CSU International Programs Office (see the CSU International Programs listing) that offers CSU students the traditional year of study abroad experience and coordinates all promotion, recruitment, selection, processing, and orientation for the participants from SDSU;
- Assists, in coordination with SDSU’s Risk Management Program, with ensuring all SDSU students who study or travel in other countries are adequately insured and prepared for maintaining optimal health and safety abroad, and for planning how to respond to a wide range of possible emergencies;
- Plays a central role in SDSU’s efforts to dramatically increase study abroad enrollment. The number of SDSU students studying abroad has increased more than 900 percent (from 167 to more than 3,000 students), ranking the university as 8th in the national overall for the number of students studying abroad (source: IIE 2015). For more information about SDSU Study Abroad programs, contact the SDSU Study Abroad office at 619-594-2475.

**The California State University International Programs (CSU IP)**

Developing intercultural communication skills and international understanding among its students is a vital mission of The California State University (CSU). Since its inception in 1963, the CSU International Programs (CSU IP) has contributed to this effort by providing qualified students an affordable opportunity to continue their studies abroad for a full academic year. More than 20,000 CSU students have taken advantage of this unique study option.

International Programs participants earn resident academic credit at their CSU campuses while they pursue full-time study at a host university or study center abroad. CSU IP serves the needs of students in more than 100 designated academic majors. Affiliated with more than 50 recognized universities and institutions of higher education in 18 countries, CSU IP also offers a wide selection of study abroad destinations and learning environments.

- **Australia.** Griffith University, Macquarie University, Queensland University of Technology, University of Queensland, Western Sydney University
- **Canada.** Concordia University
- **Chile.** Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile
- **China.** Peking University (Beijing)
- **Denmark.** Danish Institute for Study Abroad
- **France.** Institut Catholique de Paris, Institut Supérieur d’Électronique de Paris, Université d’Aix-Marseille (Aix-en-Provence), Université de Cergy-Pontoise, Universités de Paris I, III, IV, VI, VII, VIII, X, XI, XII, XIII, Université Paris-Est Marne-la-Vallée, Université d’ Evry Val d’ Essonne, Université de Versailles Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines
- **Germany.** University of Tübingen and a number of institutions of higher education in the Federal state of Baden-Württemberg
- **Ghana.** University of Ghana
- **Israel.** University of Haifa
- **Italy.** CSU Florence Study Center, Accademia di Belle Arti Firenze
- **Japan.** Waseda University, University of Tsukuba
- **Mexico.** Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey, Campus Querétaro
- **South Africa.** Nelson Mandela University
- **South Korea.** Yonsei University
- **Spain.** Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Universidad de Granada, Universidad de Jaén
- **Sweden.** Uppsala University
- **Taiwan.** National Taiwan University
- **United Kingdom.** University of Bradford, University of Bristol, University of Hull, Kingston University, Swansea University

Students participating in CSU IP pay CSU tuition and program fees, and are responsible for airfare, accommodations, meals, and other personal expenses. Financial aid, with the exception of Federal Work-Study, is available to qualified students and limited scholarship opportunities are also available. All programs require students to maintain good academic and disciplinary standing; many programs are open to sophomores or graduate students.

California Community College transfer students are eligible to apply (to select programs) directly from their community colleges. Students must possess a current cumulative grade point average of 2.75 or 3.0, depending on the program, and must fulfill all coursework prerequisites. Additional program information and application instructions can be found on our website at [http://www.calstate.edu/ip/](http://www.calstate.edu/ip/).

**Office of the Student Ombudsman**

**Student Services East, Room 1105**

619-594-6578

[http://www.studentaffairs.sdsu.edu/ombuds](http://www.studentaffairs.sdsu.edu/ombuds)

Becoming a student at SDSU also means becoming a member of a special community that includes students, faculty, staff, and administrators. As a member of this community, students are responsible for knowing and complying with established rules and regulations.

The student ombudsman is an independent and impartial agent who helps individuals and groups seeking the resolution and correction of complaints. The student ombudsman acts as a liaison between students and the university, assisting students through formal grievance procedures and functioning to mediate and reinforce other means of redress when possible. This office does not supplant existing avenues of redress. It exists to encourage appropriate and timely access to those existing processes that may best resolve the problem.
Examples of student complaints that have been resolved through this process include disputes over grades, faculty or staff conduct, academic disputes, appeals or waivers, administrative policies, and institutional compliance with federal and state nondiscrimination laws. Should a complaint not be resolved at the referral level, the student ombudsman may act as a mediator and suggest compromise solutions between parties. If the problem is still unresolved, the student may file a grievance with the student grievance committee. No student grievance can be filed with this committee later than the last day of the semester (excluding summer term) after the semester during which the student was allegedly aggrieved.

Student Ability Success Center
Calpulli Center, Room 3101
619-594-6473
http://www.sdsu.edu/sasc

The Student Ability Success Center is dedicated to the following: empowering students with disabilities, ensuring they have access to appropriate support and services, and minimizing academic and physical barriers in order to promote retention and graduation. The center is responsible for providing academic accommodations for students with disabilities including, but not limited to, attention deficit disorder, deaf and hard-of-hearing, learning disabilities, physical and chronic disabilities, psychologically disabling, and visual impairments.

Services and accommodations may include housing, note-taking, real-time captioning, sign language interpreters, testing, and textbooks in accessible formats. At SDSU, students initiate contact with the center by providing appropriate documentation in order to determine eligibility.

In addition, the center has the high tech center, which offers computer workstations with assistive technology, hardware, and software. For students who may need additional support through academic coaching, peer mentoring, tutoring, and writing support, the center offers the TRIO-SSS Program, funded through a grant from the U.S. Department of Education. Internship and pre-employment services are available through Workability IV, a grant from the U.S. Department of Education. Internship and pre-employment services are available through Workability IV program for students who are U.S. Department of Rehabilitation Services and accommodations may include housing, note-taking, real-time captioning, sign language interpreters, testing, and textbooks in accessible formats. At SDSU, students initiate contact with the center by providing appropriate documentation in order to determine eligibility.

Student Health Services
Calpulli Center
619-594-4325
http://shs.sdsu.edu

Student Health Services provides basic medical care through board certified physicians, certified primary care nurse practitioners, licensed nurses, and other qualified personnel to enrolled SDSU students. All enrolled SDSU students who have paid a health fee can utilize services. Questions about eligibility should be directed to Medical Records at 619-594-4325, option 8. The health fee provides students with basic medical care and therefore does not waive requirements under the Affordable Care Act.

Student Health Services is located at Calpulli Center and is open 12 months of the year between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday and 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, with the exception of campus closures.

Appointments and After Hours Care

Students are encouraged to visit HealtheConnect at https://healtheconnect.sdsu.edu to request advance appointments for non-urgent matters. Same day and advance appointments can be scheduled by calling Student Health Services at 619-594-4325. When Student Health Services is closed, a telephone advice line staffed with a registered nurse is available by calling 858-225-3105. Students experiencing a medical emergency should immediately call 911.

First Aid

First aid is defined as one-time treatment that typically does not require a laboratory, pharmacy services, physician, or x-rays. Accidents requiring treatment and/or transportation to Student Health Services or a local hospital should be reported immediately to the University Police Department, 619-594-1991. Student Health Services provides first aid during normal operating hours to all persons injured while on the campus.

Services

Students typically gain access to most services by registering to use HealtheConnect at https://healtheconnect.sdsu.edu. Through this secure website students can request appointments, upload immunization documents, and view health records. No one, on or off campus, other than Student Health Services staff, has access to medical record information without written permission from the student.

Some Student Health Services other than basic care may include additional fees. Charges associated with services are usually significantly lower than those found elsewhere. Student Health Services accepts California’s Family PACT program designed to help low-income individuals access family planning services.

Student Health Services does not accept any other forms of insurance. Students are responsible for the cost of their health-care whether received at Student Health Services or at an outside facility. A community resource specialist is available in the Well-being and Health Promotion department to provide information and assistance to students when needed. Questions regarding insurance coverage for specific campus programs, institutional safety regulations, and potential risks inherent in academic programs and student activities should be directed to the responsible faculty or staff member in charge of the activity.

Immunizations and Required Tuberculosis Screening

If students do not have a required immunization, they can obtain it through their primary care provider using their health insurance or through Student Health Services. For more information about immunizations at Student Health Services, call 619-594-4325.

Immunization Records and Requirements

Students may fulfill immunization requirements by submitting medical documentation as proof of immunization online through the secure HealtheConnect at https://healtheconnect.sdsu.edu. Positive laboratory evidence of immunity may also be used to prove immunization status; for more information, call 619-594-4325. Students who have not complied with immunization requirements by the schedule adjustment deadline (add/drop deadline – the 10th day of classes each semester) will have a registration hold for their second semester. Registration for the spring semester will begin in November 2019. To clear the registration hold, students must provide proof of immunity, receive the required immunization, or begin the required immunization series.

The following immunizations and screenings are required:

- **Measles, Mumps and Rubella (MMR):** Two (2) doses with first dose on or after first birthday OR positive titer (laboratory evidence of immunity to disease).
- **Varicella (Chickenpox):** Two (2) doses with first dose on or after first birthday OR positive titer. History of contracting the disease does not meet compliance.
- **Tetanus, Diphtheria and Pertussis (Tdap):** One (1) dose after age 7.
- **Meningococcal conjugate (Serogroups A, C, Y, & W-135):** at least one dose at age 16 or beyond for students up to age 23.
- **Meningococcal B (Meningitis B):** Students age 16 – 23. Complete series, may be 2 or 3 doses.
- **Hepatitis B (Hep B):** Students age 18 and younger should complete series. Based on type of vaccine the series is either 2 or 3 doses (CA Health & Safety Code, Sec. 120390.5).
- **Screening/Risk Assessment for Tuberculosis (TB):** All incoming students must complete a Tuberculosis risk questionnaire. This questionnaire can be found at http://shs.sdsu.edu/immunizations.asp. Incoming students who are at higher risk for TB infection as determined by the screening questions, should undergo testing for TB infection within 1 year of SDSU entry.
The following immunizations are strongly recommended:

- **Hepatitis A (Hep A):** All students regardless of age.
- **Hepatitis B (Hep B):** Students age 19 and older.
- **Human papillomavirus (HPV):** For women and men through age 45.
- **Influenza (Flu):** Annually; all students regardless of age.
- **Pneumococcal:** For all students older than 65 and for students with certain medical conditions (e.g., severe asthma, diabetes, chronic liver or kidney disease).
- **Poliovirus (Polio):** Regardless of age, if the series was not completed as a child.

**Additional Requirements**

Some students may be further required to present documentation to other campus officials. Students subject to this additional screening include students enrolled in dietetics, medical technology, nursing, physical therapy, student teaching, or fieldwork involving preschool-age children and/or school-age children or taking place in a hospital or health care setting. Programs involving international travel may require or recommend further immunizations in accordance with the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) guidelines. Questions should be directed to the responsible faculty or staff member in charge of the activity.

**Student Health Advisory Committee (SHAC)**

Students can offer important feedback about the scope of services and other critical issues relating to campus health services through membership on the Student Health Advisory Committee (SHAC). Members act as liaisons between the SDSU student body and Counseling and Psychological Services, Student Health Services, and Well-being and Health Promotion. SHAC helps to keep Student Health Services staff focused and current on major student health issues. Membership from all academic majors is encouraged. For information about becoming a member contact Student Health Services at 619-594-4325.

**Medical Excuse Policy**

SDSU Student Health Services will not provide medical excuses for short-term absences due to illness or injury. Students are instructed to contact their professor/instructor/coach in the event that they need to miss class, etc. due to an emergency, illness, or injury. All decisions about the impact of an absence, as well as any arrangements for making up work, rest with the professor/instructor/coach.

In circumstances when the illness or injury is prolonged (an absence of more than five days) and requires medical attention or hospitalization, Student Health Services may work with students to provide appropriate documentation. When a student is hospitalized or has a serious, ongoing illness or injury, SDSU Student Health Services will, at the student’s request and with the student’s consent, communicate with the student’s assistant dean and/or the Student Ability Success Center.

**Student Life & Leadership**

**Commuter Life** – encourages students who do not live on campus to take steps to develop a sense of belonging to the SDSU community. Students driving to and from campus can find resources and support programs through the Commuter Resource Center, located on the second floor of the Conrad Prebys Aztec Student Union, and through commuter student learning communities.

**Fraternity and Sorority Life** – consists of approximately 50 social fraternities and sororities, including both general and culturally based organizations, represented by four governing councils. Greek-letter social organizations create smaller communities within the larger university environment for the purposes of facilitating academic support, leadership development, and personal growth. Fraternities and sororities also offer students opportunities for alumni networking, campus involvement, community service, friendship, participation in social and recreational activities, and small group living. Membership recruitment occurs at the beginning of each semester for most organizations, while others have ongoing intake processes.

**Jeffrey W. Glazer Center for Leadership and Service** – offers programs and resources to SDSU students, faculty, staff, and community members interested in participating in community service and leadership development. The center offers certificate programs in both leadership and community service while providing workshops and seminars focused on leadership development, personal growth, and community service engagement.

**Student Organizations and Activities** – facilitates on-campus recognition for student organizations, implements policies and procedures with regard to student activities, and approves all on-campus activities, including fundraising events. For more information, visit [http://go.sdsu.edu/student_affairs/sll/student-orgs.aspx](http://go.sdsu.edu/student_affairs/sll/student-orgs.aspx).

**Student Services**

**Student Rights and Responsibilities**

[http://studentaffairs.sdsu.edu/srr/](http://studentaffairs.sdsu.edu/srr/)

The Center for Student Rights and Responsibilities is responsible for acting on behalf of the university president regarding all aspects of student discipline. The center receives reports of alleged student misconduct relative to Title 5, California Code of Regulations, and investigates complaints in order to determine whether university disciplinary action is to be pursued. University disciplinary action may run concurrently with civil or criminal action and/or the residence hall eviction process, which is initiated by the court system. One type of judicial action does not necessarily affect the other. In addition, sections of the Code of Conduct may be adjudicated regardless of location of incident.

Alleged campus-related violations include both academic and non-academic misconduct, specific misconduct in the surrounding community, specific misconduct regardless of location, off-campus community-sponsored or university events, and online sites.

To review information regarding the Standards for Student Conduct, the discipline process, privacy rights, and complaints procedures, visit [http://studentaffairs.sdsu.edu/srr/](http://studentaffairs.sdsu.edu/srr/).

**Testing Services**

[http://testing.sdsu.edu](http://testing.sdsu.edu)

Testing Services, within the Division of Student Affairs, supports and enhances student success by providing secure, high-quality test administration while maintaining academic integrity for SDSU students and the greater San Diego community. Testing Services is an important resource for the entire university community, supporting the academic and professional goals of students and faculty by administering and analyzing paper-and-computer-based tests for the purposes of admission, class placement, credentials, and graduation requirements. Proctoring services are also available for distance learning, make-up examinations, and online certification.

SDSU campus placement examinations include:

- California Government Examination;
- Chemistry Department Placement Examination;
- Grammar, Spelling and Punctuation test;
- Japanese Language Proficiency Examination;
- Liberal Studies Mathematics Proficiency Assessment;
- SDSU Mathematics Placement Assessment;
- Spanish Language Proficiency Examination;
- Writing Placement Assessment.
Community examinations include the ACT, GRE, LSAT, TEAS, and TOEFL, among other national examinations. Most reservations for national examinations are made through their respective websites.

Testing Services adheres to the professional standards and guidelines of the National College Testing Association (NCTA).

Well-being and Health Promotion

Calpulli Center, Room 3201  
619-594-4133  
http://healthpromotion.sdsu.edu

Well-being and Health Promotion provides health education and skill-building opportunities to students through classes, engagement centers, and student organizations. Health educators and subject experts offer students free nutrition education, reproductive health education sessions, as well as many presentations, workshops, and outreach events covering a variety of health and wellness topics. Students receive health-related education, referrals and training, one-on-one education sessions led by professionals and peer educators, and topic-specific workshops. The staff includes a community resource specialist, health educators, and subject experts who offer education and information on alcohol and other drugs, consent and sexual violence prevention and intervention, helping others, nutrition, sexual health, sleep strategies, and understanding campus resources. The Community Resource Specialist can also assist with off-campus referrals for medical care, understanding health policies, utilization of health care services, and referrals to county, state, and federal aid programs. There are enrollment specialists available to help students apply for CalFresh food assistance and health insurance. Additionally, the department helps students who are experiencing food and/or housing insecurity or other financial crises.

Services and programs include:
• Alcohol and other drug prevention education;
• Case management for students in crisis;
• Community resources and referrals;
• Gynecological orientation – includes information on pelvic examinations and birth control options;
• Health insurance assistance;
• Health outreach events and campaigns around campus;
• Individual and small group health education workshops;
• Peer Health Education (PHE) programs.