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Program Planning and Registration

Freshmen should plan their programs early, beginning, when practical, with the selection of a major. Degree requirements in each major are listed under the appropriate department. Degree Roadmaps are available for every major. If you are undecided about a major, indicate Undeclared on the appropriate forms until a definite decision is reached.

Regular advising is key to the successful and timely completion of a degree. Depending on the major department's procedure, an academic advisor is assigned to each student, or selected by the student. The University Advising Center (Joyal Administration Building, Room 224) advises undeclared majors and those re-deciding on a major. At a minimum, all undergraduate students are expected to review their "roadmap" to graduation with an advisor from their College Advising Center or department by the end of the term in which they complete 75 units. Some departments require advising earlier and more often.

Undergraduate students entering the university without a major are strongly encouraged to declare a major before the end of the term in which 45 units are completed toward a degree. Students must declare a major no later than the term in which 60 units are completed. Undergraduate transfer students with 60 or more units must declare a major upon entry or before course registration begins for their second semester at the university. Students may contact the University Advising Center for further information (Joyal Administration Building, Room 224, or call 278.1787).

It is recommended that all students meet with a faculty advisor once each semester and/or visit the College Advising Centers before registering for classes. A faculty advisor assists the student in planning an academic program, but the primary responsibility for meeting all graduation requirements is the student's.

Recommended Preparation

Freshmen. Overall excellence of performance in high school subjects and evidence of academic potential provide the basis for admission at California State University, Fresno.

Since certain academic majors require high school preparation in definite subjects, the student should consult the requirements indicated in the field of his or her choice.

In university majors, such as engineering, natural science, mathematics, social science and humanities, a maximum number of high school credits should be obtained in appropriate preparatory subjects.

Transfer Students. Students intending to transfer to California State University, Fresno should plan their programs while attending other colleges to meet our General Education and major degree requirements. Students transferring from a California community college should complete as many of the CSU General Education requirements of that college as possible while keeping in mind that a maximum of 70 transferable units is allowed from two-year institutions (community/junior colleges). For more information, visit the California Articulation website. A General Education Certification (requested only from California public community/junior colleges and California State University campuses) should be sent to California State University, Fresno along with the final transcripts. Earning an A.A. or A.S. degree does not necessarily mean one has fulfilled CSU admission and/or General Education requirements.

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Registration is open to new and returning students who have been admitted and to eligible continuing students in good standing. A continuing student is eligible to register for two subsequent semesters if he/she was enrolled by the eleventh day of instruction and had paid registration fees for the previous semester. Therefore, a continuing student can "stop out" for one semester and still maintain registration eligibility and priority without the need to reapply for admission or without the need to request an educational leave of absence.

A continuing student on academic *Probation* or *Probation: Disqualification Range* can "Stop Out" for one semester and still maintain registration eligibility without the need to reapply to the University for admission or to request an educational leave of absence. To be eligible to "Stop Out" during the term a student is placed on academic *Probation* or *Probation: Disqualification Range*, students must not be enrolled past the 10th day of instruction. A student whose academic standing is *Readmitted on Probation* academic standing is not eligible for a "Stop out". Students must make progress toward fulfillment