

therapy), most campuses will be accepting applications well into the extended filing periods until quotas are filled.

### SPACE RESERVATIONS

Applicants who apply during the initial filing period and who can be accommodated will receive a space reservation notice. A space reservation notice is not a notice of admission but is a commitment by California State University, Fresno, to admit the student once eligibility has been established. The space reservation directs the applicant to arrange to have appropriate records forwarded promptly to the Office of Admissions. Applicants should not request that any records be forwarded until they have received a space reservation notice.

### HARDSHIP PETITIONS

There are established procedures for consideration of qualified applicants who would be faced with extreme hardship if not admitted. Prospective hardship petitioners should contact the Admissions Office regarding specific policies governing hardship admission.

### UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

First-time freshman eligibility is governed by an eligibility index. The index is computed using the high school grade-point average on all course work completed in the last three years of high school, exclusive of physical education and military science; and the ACT composite, or the SAT total score. The full table of grade-point averages, with corresponding test scores and the equation by which the index is computed, is reproduced on page 51. Test results of either the CEEB Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) or the American College Testing Program examination (ACT) are acceptable in establishing eligibility.

Registration forms and test dates for either test may be obtained from school or college counselors, from the addresses below, or from the campus testing offices. For either test, submit the registration form and fee at least one month prior to the test date.

#### ACT Address

American College Testing Program, Inc.  
Registration Unit, P.O. Box 168  
Iowa City, Iowa 52240

#### SAT Address

College Entrance Examination Board  
P.O. Box 1025  
Berkeley, California 94770

#### First-Time Freshmen (California high school graduates and residents)

An applicant who is a graduate of a California high school or a legal resident for tuition purposes must have an eligibility index which places the applicant among the upper *one-third* of California high school graduates. The minimum acceptable index for applicants using the SAT score is 3072; using the ACT score, 741. (See page 50.)

#### First-Time Freshmen (high school graduates from other states and U.S. possessions)

The admissions requirements for non-resident applicants are more restrictive than those for California residents. An applicant who is a non-resident for tuition purposes and is a graduate of a high school outside California must have an eligibility index which places the applicant among the upper *one-sixth* of the California high school graduates. The minimum acceptable index for non-resident applicants using the SAT score is 3402; using the ACT score, 826.

#### First-Time Freshmen (graduates of secondary schools, etc., in foreign countries)

An applicant who is a graduate of a secondary school in a foreign country or who has equivalent preparation in a foreign country, may be admitted as a first-time freshman if his or her preparation and ability are such that in the judgment of the appropriate campus authority, the probability of his or her academic success at the campus is equivalent to that of eligible California high school graduates.

#### First-Time Freshmen (high school non-graduates)

An applicant who is over 18 years of age, but who has not graduated from high school will be considered for admission only when preparation in all other ways is such that the campus believes promise of academic success is equivalent to that of eligible California high school graduates.