Dear {#First Name#},

The Biological Sciences Department at Sacramento State is impacted. However, you have been provisionally admitted as a "Pre-Biological Sciences major".

Your official transcripts will be evaluated by the Biological Sciences Department to determine if you meet the requirements for the Biological Science major.

• If all pre-major requirements have been met, then your major will be changed from the pre-major to the Biological Sciences major.
• If you have violated the pre-major requirements then you will be required to declare an alternate major.
• If you do not meet the pre-major requirements (and have not violated the pre-major requirements) then your major will remain as Pre-Biological Sciences until you meet the pre-major requirements. Upon successful completion of the Pre-Major requirements, you will be guaranteed a spot in the major.

If you have courses in progress this Spring, you will need to bring a copy of your unofficial Spring transcripts, with posted grades, to transfer orientation this summer. Students who do not bring their transcripts will be delayed in enrolling in classes for Fall 2015.

The Biological Sciences Department strongly advises you to complete the equivalent of BIO 1 at your community college rather than trying to take the class at Sacramento State. It is very difficult for transfer students to enroll in this high demand course. Please note that we are offering BIO 1 over the summer (through Continuing Education) and you have the option of taking it then, rather than waiting until the Fall. In general, summer classes are not as impacted as classes during the regular semester.

It is important that you review the complete list of Pre-major requirements as soon as possible. Please visit our website for details: http://www.csus.edu/bios/undergraduate%20programs.html

Additional questions may be directed to the Natural Sciences Advising Center at Biological Sciences Department by contacting Melanie Loo at mwloo@saclink.csus.edu.

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