

SACRAMENTO STATE FACT BOOK

2022



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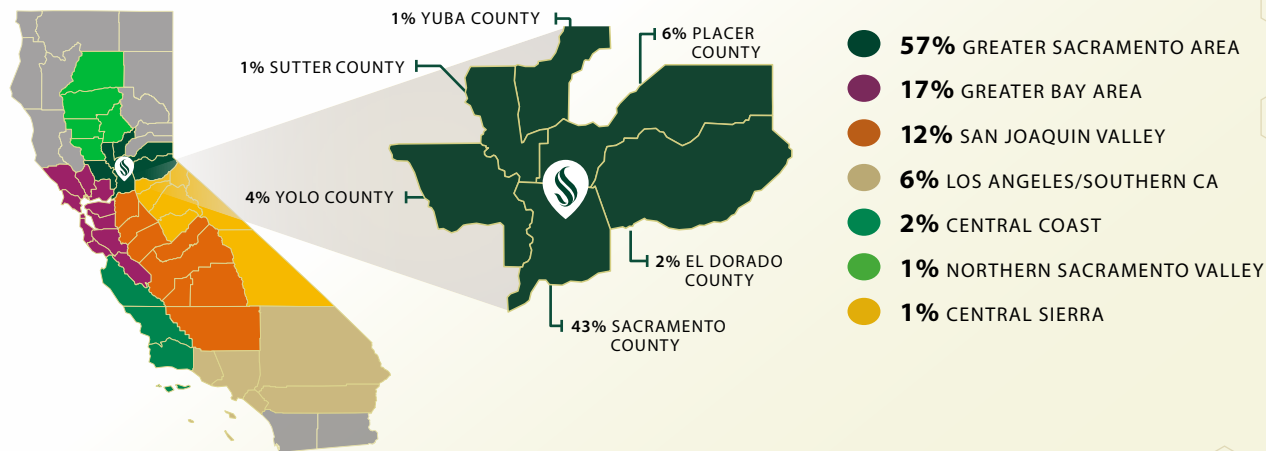
THE REGION'S UNIVERSITY, TODAY AND ALWAYS

RECORD HIGH
31,573
ENROLLED
IN FALL 2021

Sacramento State has been educating students and serving California's capital region since 1947. Located six miles from the state Capitol and a vibrant urban core, the University and the community it serves are intertwined. From research projects, entrepreneurship, and service learning, Sacramento State consistently adds value to the student experience, to the region, and beyond.



Most Students Are From the Sacramento Area



PERCENTAGES BASED ON FALL 2021
STUDENT ENROLLMENT DATA.

COUNTY CALCULATIONS BASED ON
CALIFORNIA RESIDENTS ONLY.



1%
OUT OF STATE



2%
INTERNATIONAL

FOCUS ON STUDENT SUCCESS

187%
INCREASE
IN 4-YEAR
GRAD RATE
SINCE 2016

Whether in the classroom or online, students come first at Sacramento State. Expert faculty are committed to providing meaningful education with an eye toward excellence.

Sacramento State faculty and staff have what it takes to help students

excel, graduate, and ultimately experience success in their careers.



24:1

STUDENT : FACULTY
RATIO

30

AVERAGE
CLASS SIZE

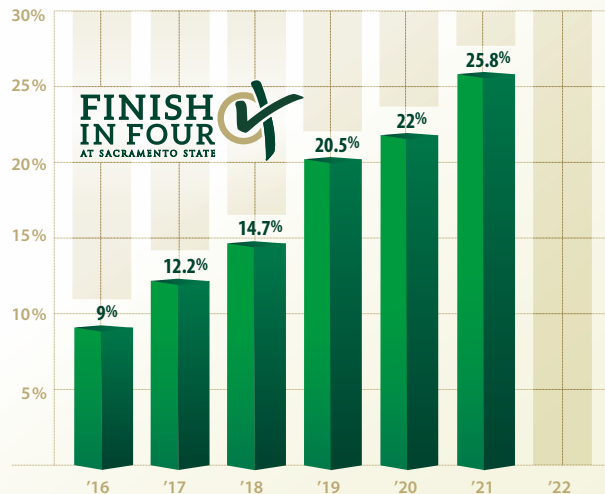
1,897

FULL- AND PART-TIME
FACULTY

Rising Grad Rates

Finish in Four and Through in Two are incentive programs encouraging students to take 30 units per year.

Rising graduation rates have saved students and their families more than \$80 million in the total cost of attendance.



Student Enrollment

31,573
TOTAL STUDENTS

28,904
UNDERGRADUATE

2,669
GRADUATE

FALL 2021

Incoming Students

3,581
FRESHMEN

4,343
TRANSFERS

FALL 2021

Degrees Earned

8,448
TOTAL DEGREES

7,423
BACHELOR'S

979
MASTER'S

46
DOCTORATES

2020-21 ACADEMIC YEAR

AN INCLUSIVE CAMPUS

**4TH MOST
DIVERSE
CAMPUS**

IN THE WESTERN U.S.

U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT, 2021

Rich with diverse people and cultures, the Sacramento region is home to the hardworking, innovative, and passionate. Sacramento State is no different. Officially recognized as an Asian American Native American Pacific Islander Serving Institution (AANAPISI)

and a Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI), Sacramento State is where faculty, staff, and students from all backgrounds come together.



31%

**FIRST IN THEIR
FAMILY TO
ATTEND COLLEGE**

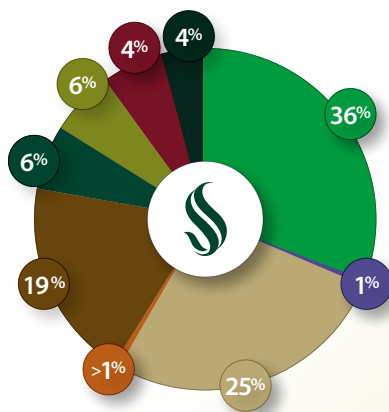
43%

**PELL GRANT
ELIGIBLE**

51%

**RECEIVE
FINANCIAL AID**

Student Demographics



36% ■ HISPANIC

25% ■ WHITE

19% ■ ASIAN AMERICAN

6% ■ AFRICAN AMERICAN

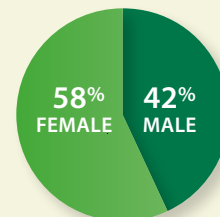
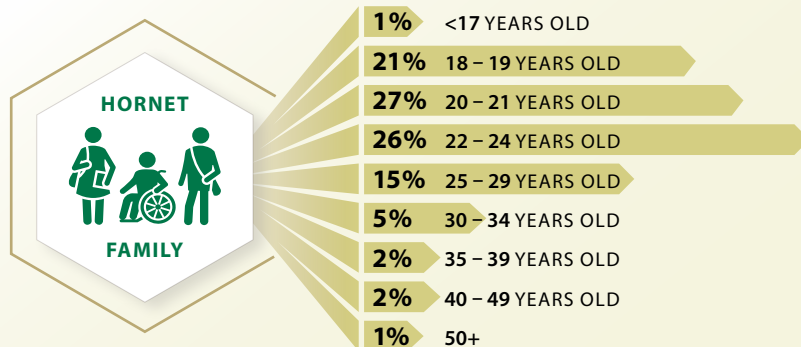
6% ■ OTHER/MULTIRACIAL

4% ■ UNKNOWN

4% ■ NON-RESIDENT


1% ■ PACIFIC ISLANDER

>1% ■ AMERICAN INDIAN



24 STUDENTS
IDENTIFY AS NON-BINARY

DEMOGRAPHICS ARE BASED ON FALL 2021 STUDENT ENROLLMENT DATA.



3,476 GRADUATES from the classes of 2020 and 2021 participated in CARmencement, an unconventional and joyous car parade held as a **NONTRADITIONAL COMMENCEMENT** celebration due to COVID-19.



HORNET FAMILY

MORE THAN
17,000
STUDENTS
GRADUATED
IN 2020 AND 2021

Sacramento State is more than a campus. It's a community, a family that celebrates student achievement and provides support along the way. CARmencement honored the 2020 and 2021 graduates who persevered and graduated despite extraordinary

circumstances caused by COVID-19. Comprehensive mental health services, programs that serve underrepresented students, and resources to help with basic needs like food and housing helped the Hornet Family thrive physically, emotionally, and academically. In 2021 alone, nearly 50 students facing homelessness received emergency housing services, and close to 5,000 received food and basic necessities from the ASI Food Pantry.

A GREAT PLACE TO LIVE AND LEARN

9TH MOST TRANSFORMATIVE COLLEGE

IN THE UNITED STATES

MONEY.COM, 2020

Surrounded by nature with easy access to downtown, many students live on campus or in surrounding neighborhoods. The eight on-campus residence halls provide housing for 3,200 students and boast amenities such as swimming pools, sports

courts, and recreation rooms. The campus experience is rounded out with more than 300 clubs and organizations.

21

INTERCOLLEGIATE
SPORTS

NCAA DIVISION I

92

CONFERENCE
CHAMPIONSHIPS

NCAA DIVISION I

3.2

AVERAGE GPA FOR
STUDENT ATHLETES

COMPARED WITH 2.91 FOR
OTHER UNDERGRADS





New 26,000-square-foot "Hornet Beach" volleyball facility features four NCAA regulation beach volleyball courts with seating for 250 spectators.



The University continues to invest in the health and well-being of students with a \$34 million, 29,000-square-foot expansion of The WELL.



Student housing increased by 1,100 beds with the opening of the \$168 million Hornet Commons.

UN/EQUAL FREEDOMS:

Expressions for Social Justice



Sacramento State's Center on Race, Immigration, and Social Justice launched "Un/Equal Freedoms: Expressions for Social Justice," a **VIRTUAL EXHIBITION** that features artwork from **35 LOCAL ARTISTS**.



ANCHORED IN COMMUNITY

**\$30,000
IN CAMPUS
GRANTS**

**FUNDED 8 PROJECTS
LINKED TO THE
COMMUNITY**

Community engagement has long been a hallmark of Sacramento State. Faculty, staff, and students regularly work with community partners through service learning, research, creative and community collaborations, and

other volunteer work. Sac State is focusing this work through the Anchor University Initiative by cultivating purposeful, long-term, mutually beneficial community partnerships in education (pre-K through 12th grade); health and well-being; homelessness and housing; arts and culture; environment, mobility and sustainability; and inclusive economic opportunity and workforce development to confront systemic inequities, transform the lives of our students, and strengthen our communities.



BIG HEARTS, BIGGER IMPACT

STUDENTS SERVED

**67,246
HOURS**

VIA THE COMMUNITY
ENGAGEMENT CENTER

Serving the community goes hand in hand with being a Hornet. Throughout campus, there's a culture of volunteerism that makes a difference. As a testament to the University's deep commitment to service, Sacramento State earned

the prestigious Carnegie Foundation Community Engagement Classification in 2010, 2015, and 2020.

932

STUDENTS HELD
NON-CLINICAL
ACADEMIC INTERNSHIPS

1,339

STUDENTS TOOK
SERVICE-LEARNING
CLASSES

636

ACTIVE COMMUNITY
PARTNERSHIPS





String Project, one of eight inaugural Anchor University grant recipients in 2021, provides free or low-cost classes in violin, cello, and orchestra to children in some of Sacramento's most economically disadvantaged neighborhoods.



Sac State offers the community no-fee physical therapy clinics and hearing-related health services through the Doctor of Physical Therapy and Doctor of Audiology programs.



Sac State Nursing students administered COVID-19 vaccines to the community through a partnership with the Sacramento County Department of Health.



Honey harvested from the **EIGHT** active bee hives
is **BOTTLED ON CAMPUS** and sold locally, with
proceeds going back into the beekeeping program.



NATURAL BEAUTY

SAC STATE IS A

**BEE
CAMPUS
USA**

THE XERCES SOCIETY FOR
INVERTEBRATE CONSERVATION

Nature is everywhere at Sacramento State, starting with the emerald canopy of more than 3,586 trees covering the 300-acre campus.

Botanical treasures like the University Arboretum and the

Sokiku Nakatani Tea Room and Garden feature many of the 1,400 plant species. From composting to energy-efficient new buildings to an award-winning sustainable parking structure, Sacramento State is working toward carbon neutrality by 2040 (five years ahead of California's deadline). These efforts have earned the University a Gold rating by the Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education (AASHE).

EXCELLENCE EVERY DAY

Excellence takes place throughout campus every day in big and small ways, as these rankings and achievements earned by the University and its students show.

- 1 in 20 adults in the Greater Sacramento Region is a graduate of Sacramento State.
- No. 21 Top Performers on Social Mobility in the Western U.S. (*U.S. News & World Report*, 2021).
- No. 12 Best Bang for the Buck West (*Washington Monthly*, 2020).
- No. 21 Best Colleges for Veterans in the Western U.S. (*U.S. News & World Report*, 2021).
- Sacramento State's alumni network is more than 270,000 strong worldwide.



Nearly 80 STUDENTS, FACULTY,
and STAFF completed a comprehensive
ANTIRACISM and INCLUSIVE
CAMPUS PLAN.




4,815 people were fed by the
ASI FOOD BANK in 2021.



- \$1,022,755 in Summer Session Provost and Finish Line grants were awarded to 2,323 recipients and helped to improve graduation rates.
- The U.S. Department of Education awarded Sacramento State \$8 million in grants to support Latinx and other underrepresented student groups.
- First-generation graduate student Carla Cruz Medina earned CSU's top academic honor as the Sac State recipient of the CSU 2021 Trustees Award for Outstanding Achievement.

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

- Sacramento State is one of only 27 universities accepted into the Inclusive STEM Teaching Project by the National Science Foundation.
- Civil Engineering is ranked eighth in the nation among non-doctorate engineering programs (*U.S. News & World Report, 2021*).
- Sacramento State is the first and only California State University campus to offer a paramedic program. Students consistently rank higher than national averages when taking the National Registry Exam.
- Professor Michelle Stevens was named 2021 Environmentalist of the Year by the Environmental Council of Sacramento.



Sacramento is ranked **NO. 2 BEST NURSING SCHOOL** in California by RN Careers, with a **98.18%** National Council Licensure Examination passing rate.



- The College of Business has been AACSB-accredited since 1963, one of just 5 percent of the world's 16,000 higher education institutions to have earned this designation (Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business).
- The Festival of New American Music is the longest-running festival of music composed in the last 20 years by American citizens or residents.
- Sacramento State led a new partnership in a statewide effort, funded by a \$4.5 million grant, to improve preparation for early childhood educators and diversify California's workforce of preschool teachers.
- A team of researchers led by Sacramento State Chemistry Professor Katherine McReynolds demonstrated that therapeutic agents that appear to block the transmission of HIV might also work against the coronavirus and other potentially deadly infections.

SUSTAINABILITY

- A new solar panel installation in Parking Lot 10, with 3,979 solar panels, will produce approximately 2 million kWh annually.
- Sacramento State has been designated a Tree Campus USA by The Arbor Day Foundation since 2012.
- Sacramento State is certified by the League of American Bicyclists as a Bike Campus USA.
- The National Wildlife Foundation gave Sacramento State its Garden for Wildlife designation.
- Sacramento State's edible garden is a three-quarter-acre learning lab that annually produces 2,000 pounds of produce, which is donated to the Associated Students Inc. Food Pantry.



*Sacramento State continues to add to its urban forest by planting hundreds of trees, **REMOVING 1.7 TONS OF POLLUTION** from the air, producing 237 tons of oxygen, and storing more than 3,000 tons of carbon.*



GIVE SAC STATE DAY supported
more than 200 CAUSES across campus



CULTURE OF GIVING

- Sac State publicly launched *On the Rise: The Campaign for Sacramento State* in 2021. With a goal to raise \$225 million by 2023, the University secured \$219.9 million by the end of the year.
- *On the Rise* twice made history by being the University's first comprehensive fundraising campaign and the CSU's first virtual campaign launch.
- Over 7,000 alumni, 800 former and current faculty and staff, and 600 parents have donated to the campaign.
- More than \$2 million in student-scholarship awards supported nearly 1,000 students, contributing to the increased graduation rate.
- In just 36 hours on *Give Sac State Day*, 1,247 people donated over \$340,000 — a 60% increase from 2020.

Sacramento State at a Glance

COLLEGES

Arts and Letters

Business

Continuing Education

Education

Engineering and Computer Science

Health and Human Services

Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Social Sciences and
Interdisciplinary Studies

ACADEMIC OFFERINGS

76 bachelor's degree programs | **53 master's** degree programs

3 doctoral degrees, 19 post-baccalaureate certificates,
and **20 credential programs**

ANNUAL TUITION/FEES \$7,392 full-time, undergrad

ANNUAL ROOM/BOARD \$15,944

2021 UNIVERSITY LEADERSHIP

Robert S. Nelsen, President • Sarah Billingsley, Interim Chief of Staff • Kristen Tudor, Interim Deputy Chief of Staff • Steve Perez, Provost and VP, Academic Affairs • Ed Mills, VP, Student Affairs • Lisa Cardoza, VP, University Advancement • Jonathan Bowman, VP and CFO, Administration and Business Affairs • Mia Settles-Tidwell, VP, Inclusive Excellence • Mark Hendricks, Interim VP and CIO, Information Resources and Technology • Jeannie Wong, Sr. AVP, University Communications • Nathan Dietrich, AVP, Public Affairs and Advocacy • Jim Dragna, Executive Director, University Initiatives and Student Success • Machel Martin, Sr. AVP, Human Resources • Jim Reinhart, Executive Director, University Enterprises, Inc.



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