

Application to CSUF Postbac ‘Credential-only’ Program

(This is the program for those who have a baccalaureate degree in other fields of study wishing to take prerequisite courses at CSUF; **being admitted to this program has NO contingency with our M.A. admission**).

The application deadline is **5pm, Feb. 1st** (Pacific time) of the admission year (e.g., Feb. 1st, 2018 for the Fall 2018 admission).

Application Qualification:

1. You must have a **GPA of 3.0 or above** for the last 60 units of college course work by the posted deadline.
2. You will apply online through **CSU APPLY** (Any Qs? Please refer to **NEW CSU APPLY Instructions** or contact [Admissions & Records office](#))
3. You will submit the following materials to the assigned Offices.
 - ___ **A. Official transcripts** from all the universities and/or community colleges that you have ever attended (even if you only enrolled in one class).

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- ___ **B. Passing CBEST scores** in all areas (reading, math, and writing).

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If you have ever taken and passed the test previously, no need to re-take it. The CBEST scores may also be waived if you have taken other basic skills test similar to CBEST, click the [Commission on Teacher Credentialing](#) for the guidelines. However, please note that CBEST scores cannot be replaced by GRE scores.

< Important Note:

1. To check your application status to the university, go to your ***Student Portal***.
2. For your application status to the department, you will be notified if your CBEST scores are not received after the deadline, Feb. 1st. If admitted, you may expect to receive admission notification started in April/May and continued throughout the summer. The admission is on a rolling basis. Whenever Admissions and Records Office complete their evaluation of your transcripts, your application will be reviewed followed by a decision in a week or two.
3. In case you do not receive a decision letter (acceptance or denial) from me by May, please first contact **Admissions and Records** (As&Rs, see below) to find out your application status and then update me. A common reason for such a hold could be due to any outstanding transcripts. So, be on the top of assuring your transcripts are sent successfully to CSUF As & Rs Office.

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