

# **DREAMERS - NEW STUDENT CHECKLIST**

UNDOCUMENTED STUDENTS (AB 540, DACA, DREAMERS, OUT OF STATUS, TPS, IMMIGRANT, ETC.)

## WWW.CANYONS.EDU/DREAMERSTUDENT

## **1** APPLY TO COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS

- Complete and submit your FREE online application for summer and/or fall 2024.
- You will receive a "College of the Canyons Applicant Nonresident Determination" email with residency instructions.
- 24-48 hours later, you will receive the college's "Admissions Acceptance" email that will provide instructions for activating your CanyonsID login and creating your My Canyons student account.

**Helpful Tips:** All students need to select "First time student in college" enrollment status when completing their application, even if college courses were taken during high school.

## **2** APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID - WWW.CANYONS.EDU/MONEY4COLLEGE

- Complete a California Dream Act application (CADAA) for the 2024/2025 academic year.
- In California, there is a March 2 deadline to file the CADAA to qualify for specific state grants. File early and don't miss out on these opportunities!
- Make sure to list COC as one of your schools. **COC School Code 008903**.

## **3** ASSESSMENT & ADVISEMENT

- The online assessment will provide you with your course placements for Math and English/ESL, which will be used in your advisement when creating your student educational plan.
- Advisement will help you make connections between your assessment results, career goals, major(s), and the courses you should take in your first semester.

*Helpful Tip:* In order to receive an accurate placement in English and math, please refer to your **most recent** *high school transcripts, either Fall 2023 or Spring 2024.* 

# **4** ORIENTATION

- Complete your online orientation and learn essential skills to being a successful student.
- Access orientation through your My Canyons account under the Admissions & Records tile.

## **5** REGISTER & PAY

- Summer Registration begins Feb 26. Fall registration begins May 13. Check your My Canyons account for your registration appointment.
- Plan your classes using the My Academic Plan (MAP) tool. Register on or after your assigned registration date. You can access MAP through your My Canyons account.
- Payment is due at the time of registration.

# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR** SUMMER & FALL 2024

## **OCTOBER 1**

• Summer and Fall 2024 College Applications Open

# DECEMBER

- CADAA for 2024/2025 Open
- **JANUARY 5** Canyons Promise Sign-ups Open for Fall 2024

#### **FEBRUARY 26**

Summer Registration Begins

### MARCH 2

Financial Aid State Grants Deadline

#### **APRIL 10**

 Complete New Student Checklist to earn an early registration date for Fall 2024

#### MAY 1

• Canyons Promise Sign-ups Close at 5pm

#### **MAY 13**

Fall Registration Begins

JUNE 2

• Summer 2024 Residency Determination Date

#### **JUNE 3**

- Start of Summer Session (Requires a Summer 2024 application)
  - Session 1 June 3 to July 6 (5 weeks)
  - Session 2 June 10 to August 3 (8 weeks)
  - Session 3 June 17 to July 20 (5 weeks)
  - Session 4 July 8 to August 10 (5 weeks)

## AUGUST 18

• Fall Residency Determination Date

#### AUGUST 19

• Start of Fall Semester (Requires a Fall 2024 application)

#### ACADEMIC ACCOMMODATIONS CENTER

Services for students with verified disabilities. www.canyons.edu/aac

#### CANYONS PROMISE PROGRAM

First-time, full-time students - first two years tuition free! www.canyons.edu/promise

**EMPOWERMENT PROGRAMS** CalWORKs, EOPS & Inspire Scholars www.canyons.edu/empowerment





# RESIDENCY

Services to help students with non-resident determinations. www.canyons.edu/residency



UJIMA SCHOLARS New learning community for Black/African-American students. www.canyons.edu/ujimascholars



A safe and supportive space for all undocumented students. www.canyons.edu/urc



## **VETERANS RESOURCE CENTER**

Student Services to help veterans and veteran dependents. www.canyons.edu/veterans



## **THE COC WELCOME CENTER** - Visit us for help and for information.

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