CSM Quick Facts

Degrees & Certificates

Associate in Arts
Associate in Arts - Transfer
Associate in Science
Associate in Science - Transfer
Certificate of Achievement
Certificate of Specialization

Programs

79 A.A./A.S. Degree Majors75 Certificate ProgramsHundreds of Transfer Areas and Majors

Average Class Size

35

Total Enrollment

Approximately 10,000 per semester

Clubs & Organizations

More than 20, including career, honors, cultural, special interest and sports

Men's Athletics

Baseball, football, track & field, cross country and swimming

Women's Athletics

Softball, basketball, track & field, cross country, water polo and swimming

Enrollment Fees

Highly affordable, ranks high in educational value. Visit collegeofsanmateo.edu/fees.

Financial Aid/Scholarships

More than \$1 million awarded annually, including scholarships, state and federal grants and loans, and Work Study Program.

Accreditation

Fully accredited by the Accrediting Commission for Community

and Junior Colleges of the Western Association of Schools and Colleges, an institutional accrediting body recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation and the U.S. Department of Education.

Questions/Campus Events

Please visit <u>collegeofsanmateo.edu/contactcsm</u> with questions or go to <u>collegeofsanmateo.edu</u> for more information.







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About College of San Mateo

College of San Mateo is located at the northern corridor of Silicon Valley and is situated on a beautiful 153-acre site in the San Mateo hills that provides a panoramic view of San Francisco Bay. Since 1922, CSM has been a gateway to higher education leading to university transfer, career preparation and advancement, and professional and personal development.

The College currently serves approximately 10,000 day, evening and weekend students. CSM students reflect the diversity of the Bay Area and have a range of educational goals. To best serve our students, the curriculum offers a wealth of programs that include traditional, semester-length and short courses in addition to distance education options. For more information about the college, visit



<u>collegeofsanmateo.edu/contactcsm</u>. To experience the campus through our virtual tour or to sign up for an in-person campus tour, visit <u>collegeofsanmateo.edu/explorecsm</u>.

Student Life

Students can experience a vibrant campus life to complement classroom learning and will find there are many ways to participate in the life of the college. CSM has more than 20 student clubs and organizations that provide an opportunity to be involved with other students in activities related to majors, special interests, cultures or community service. For students interested in developing and practicing leadership skills, student government provides the opportunity to participate in the decision-making process of the college. The college also offers a full calendar of athletic, educational and cultural activities throughout the year. Visit collegeofsanmateo.edu/studentlife. Employment on campus is also available. For more information, visit collegeofsanmateo.edu/studentjobs.



Academics

Transfer Opportunities

CSM is proud of its transfer and degree completion rates which are among the highest in California. The college has assisted thousands of students in transferring to campuses of the UC and CSU systems, as well as private colleges and universities nationwide. CSM offers transfer admission guarantees with seven of the nine UC campuses and priority admission to the CSU campuses and many private colleges in California. For more information about the transfer process, visit collegeofsanmateo.edu/transfer.



Career Programs

At CSM, students have access to career and technical programs that prepare them to find meaningful and well-paid positions and compete in today's global economy. The college offers more than 35 programs in some of the fastest growing and exciting career fields including digital media, green technologies, electrical power systems, cosmetology, nursing, accounting, computer and information science, fire technology and dental assisting. Visit collegeofsanmateo.edu/careers to learn more.

A Teaching Faculty

CSM's accomplished faculty are dedicated professionals who are committed to the success of their students. Our faculty are approachable and accessible, and take the time to help students learn. Many of our professors have been recipients of prestigious awards and honors, including the Guggenheim Fellow, Fulbright Scholar and Carnegie Foundation's Professor of the Year. They are teaching faculty whose highest priority is focusing on a rich learning experience in the classroom.



Academic & Student Support Services

To ensure student success, CSM offers a comprehensive selection of academic support services. CSM's Learning Center offers free tutoring in a variety of subjects, upto-date technology, mentoring, workshops, group study rooms, a computer center, scholarship information, and a friendly, comfortable place to study. We strive to provide an atmosphere that is academic, professional, confidential, and safe. The Learning Center is a place where students can complete assignments, and a hub to connect students to several resources on campus. Other college services include financial aid and scholarships, counseling, transfer services, tutoring, employment assistance, health services and child care, among many others. To learn more, visit collegeofsanmateo.edu/studentservices.



High School Enrollment

College Connection

College Connection (concurrent enrollment program) is an enrichment program designed to provide current high school students with the opportunity to get an early start on their college education and earn college and high school credit by taking courses at CSM. The program is offered year-round and students may enroll in day, evening or Saturday classes.

Most courses are transferable to four-year colleges and universities enabling students to fulfill college requirements without the expense of university programs. College enrollment fees are free for students who are enrolled in 11 units or fewer. To learn more, visit collegeofsanmateo.edu/ce.

Priority Enrollment Program (PEP)

Graduating high school students and others can take advantage of early registration through the Priority Enrollment Program (PEP). Information about PEP is available at collegeofsanmateo.edu/pep.

Athletic Programs

CSM's championship intercollegiate athletic teams (Bulldogs) compete at the highest community college level, offering student athletes an opportunity to participate in a team experience. CSM athletes achieve success on the playing field and in the classroom. A large percentage continue at four-year institutions with many receiving scholarships. CSM athletes are also well-represented in professional sports. Visit collegeofsanmateo.edu/athletics.



International Students Program

While most of our students are from local communities, many come from around the world to attend CSM. We have a robust International Student Program that includes a full range of services and an International Student Center that provides a warm and welcoming place for students to gather. The presence of international students at CSM adds to the richness of the college's cultural diversity. Visit collegeofsanmateo.edu/international.

Study Abroad

Would you like to visit Paris, Florence or London to study for a semester? CSM has an outstanding program that allows you to make it happen—with financial aid available as well. Visit collegeofsanmateo.edu/studyabroad.

Apply and Register

For more information about CSM, including how to apply and register, visit <u>collegeofsanmateo.edu/enroll</u>. Semesters begin in January and August. Summer session begins in June. Enroll today!