

# Statement of Accreditation Status

## California State University, Bakersfield

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**Current Accreditation Status:** Accredited  
**Most Recent Commission Action:** May 21, 2024  
**First Accredited:** 1970

**Undergraduate FTE:** 8,479  
**Graduate FTE:** 1,405  
**Financial Structure Type:** Public  
**Sponsorship:** Multi-institution System  
**Academic Calendar:** Semester  
**Distributes Federal Financial Aid:** Yes

## Commission Actions

- \*Commission Action Letter, Special Visit, June 2023 action
- \*Commission Action Letter, reaffirmation visit, February 2020 action
- \*Team Report, Special Visit, June 2023 action
- \*Team Report, reaffirmation visit, February 2020 action

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## Locations

<b>OPEID</b>	<b>Location Name</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>Location Type</b>	<b>Status</b>
00799301	Antelope Valley	Lancaster	Branch Campus	active
00799300	California State University Bakersfield	Bakersfield	Main Campus	active

## Degrees

<b>Degree</b>	<b>Degree Level</b>	<b>Year Implemented</b>	<b>Modality</b>
Agricultural Business	Bachelors	2014	On-Site
Agricultural Business	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Art	Bachelors	1989	On-Site
BPA Professional Development Certificate	Non-degree	2019	On-Site
Bachelor of Music, Music Education Pre-Certification	Bachelors	2025	On-Site
Bilingual Authorization Program (Spanish)	Non-degree	2022	Distance Education
Biochemistry	Bachelors	2013	On-Site
Biology	Masters	2006	On-Site
Biology	Bachelors	1973	On-Site
Business Administration	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Business Administration	Masters	1976	On-Site
Business Administration	Bachelors	1973	On-Site
Chemistry	Bachelors	1973	On-Site
Child Adolescent & Family Studies	Bachelors	1978	On-Site
Child, Adolescent, and Family Studies	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Communications	Bachelors	1998	On-Site
Communications	Bachelors	2019	Distance Education
Computer Engineering	Bachelors	2011	On-Site
Computer Science	Bachelors	1987	On-Site

<b>Degree</b>	<b>Degree Level</b>	<b>Year Implemented</b>	<b>Modality</b>
Counseling	Masters	1989	On-Site
Counseling Psychology	Masters	1998	On-Site
Criminal Justice	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Criminal Justice	Bachelors	1974	On-Site
Doctor in Nursing Practice	Professional Doctorate	2025	On-Site
Economics	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Economics	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Education	Masters	2003	Distance Education
Education	Masters	1973	On-Site
Educational Administration	Non-degree	2022	Distance Education
Educational Leadership	Professional Doctorate	2014	On-Site
Electrical Engineering	Bachelors	2012	On-Site
Engineering	Bachelors	2012	On-Site
English	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
English	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
English	Masters	1974	On-Site
Environmental Resource Management	Bachelors	1999	On-Site
Environmental Resource Management	Bachelors	1998	Distance Education
General Education	Non-degree	2022	Distance Education
Geology	Bachelors	1981	On-Site
Geology	Masters	1989	On-Site
Geology	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Geology	Masters	2022	Distance Education
Health Care Administration	Masters	2022	Distance Education
History	Masters	1973	On-Site
History	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Human Biological Sciences	Bachelors	2011	On-Site
Hydrogeology Certificate	Non-degree	2022	Distance Education
Interdisciplinary Studies	Bachelors	1973	On-Site

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Interdisciplinary Studies	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Kinesiology	Masters	2020	Distance Education
Kinesiology	Bachelors	1978	On-Site
Liberal Studies	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Liberal Studies	Bachelors	1995	On-Site
Master of Arts in Educational Administration	Masters	2022	Distance Education
Master of Arts in Special Education	Masters	2022	Distance Education
Master of Business Administration	Masters	2018	Distance Education
Master of Science in Computer Science	Masters	2021	On-Site
Master of Science in Educational Counseling	Masters	2022	Distance Education
Master of Social Work	Masters	2018	Distance Education
Mathematics	Bachelors	1973	On-Site
Multiple Subject Credential	Non-degree	2022	Distance Education
Music	Bachelors	1993	On-Site
Natural Science	Bachelors	1999	On-Site
Nursing	Bachelors	2010	Distance Education
Nursing	Bachelors	1973	On-Site
Nursing	Masters	1987	On-Site
Philosophy	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Philosophy	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Physics	Bachelors	1983	On-Site
Political Science	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Psychology	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Psychology	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Public Administration	Masters	1978	On-Site
Public Administration	Bachelors	1973	On-Site
Public Administration	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Public Administration	Masters	2022	Distance Education
Public Health	Bachelors	2021	On-Site

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Religious Studies	Bachelors	1989	On-Site
Religious Studies	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
School Counseling (Pupil Personnel Services Credential program)	Non-degree	2022	Distance Education
Single Subject Credential	Non-degree	2022	Distance Education
Social Work	Masters	2022	Distance Education
Social Work	Masters	2000	On-Site
Sociology	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Sociology	Bachelors	2019	Distance Education
Spanish	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Spanish	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Spanish	Masters	2003	On-Site
Spanish	Masters	2022	Distance Education
Special Education Credential	Non-degree	2022	Distance Education
Theatre	Bachelors	1993	On-Site

## Upcoming Reviews

<b>Season</b>	<b>Year Level</b>	<b>Review Type</b>
Spring	2027	Offsite Review
Fall	2027	Accreditation Visit