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Statement of Accreditation Status
California State University, San Marcos

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Current Accreditation Status: Accredited
Most Recent Commission Action: June 26, 2026
First Accredited: 1993

Undergraduate FTE: 14,136
Graduate FTE: 1,019
Financial Structure Type: Public
Sponsorship: Multi-institution System
Academic Calendar: Semester
Distributes Federal Finanicial Aid: Yes

Commission Actions

*Commission Action Letter, Reaffirmation, June 2026 action
*Commission Action Letter, Accreditation Visit, June 2016 action
*Team Report, Reaffirmation, June 2026 action
*Team Report, Accreditation Visit, June 2016 action

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Locations

OPEID	Location Name	City	Location Type	Status
	CSUSM Chula Vista Location	Chula Vista	Additional	active
3011311	CSUSM at Temecula	Temecula	Additional	active
03011300	California State University San Marcos	San Marcos	Main Campus	active
	MSJC Temecula Valley Campus (TVC)	Temecula	Additional	active

Degrees

Degree	Degree Level	Year Implemented	Modality
Accelerated Nursing	Bachelors	2010	On-Site
Accelerated Nursing	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
American Indian Studies	Bachelors	2017	On-Site
American Indian Studies	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Anthropology	Bachelors	2007	On-Site
Anthropology	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Applied Behavior Analysis Certificate of Advanced Study: Board Certified Behavio	Non-degree	2014	On-Site
Applied Physics	Bachelors	2007	On-Site
Applied Physics	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Art, Media, and Design	Bachelors	2019	On-Site
Art, Media, and Design	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Aspiring Scholars Program	Non-degree	2025	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Linguistics	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Bachelor of Arts in Linguistics	Bachelors	2021	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Systems	Bachelors	2022	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Systems	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education

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Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity	Bachelors	2024	Distance Education
Bachelor of Science in Public Health	Bachelors	2025	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Speech Language Pathology	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Bachelor of Science, Computer Engineering	Bachelors	2023	On-Site
Biochemistry	Bachelors	2004	On-Site
Biochemistry	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Biological Sciences	Bachelors	1990	On-Site
Biological Sciences	Masters	1998	On-Site
Biological Sciences	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Biotechnology	Masters	2009	On-Site
Biotechnology	Bachelors	2005	On-Site
Biotechnology	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Business Administration	Masters	1996	On-Site
Business Administration	Bachelors	1999	On-Site
Business Administration	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Certificate in Applied Geographic Information Systems	Non-degree	2017	On-Site
Certificate in Spanish Translation	Non-degree	2023	On-Site
Certificate of Advanced Studies in Multicultural Education	Non-degree	2008	On-Site
Certificate of Advanced Study in Biliteracy Education: Spanish	Non-degree	2002	On-Site
Certificate of Advanced Study in Business Foundations	Non-degree	2015	On-Site
Certificate of Advanced Study in Business Intelligence	Non-degree	2015	On-Site
Certificate of Advanced Study in Core Business Knowledge	Non-degree	2015	On-Site
Certificate of Advanced Study in Cybersecurity Management, Risk and Governance	Non-degree	2018	Distance Education
Certificate of Advanced Study in Cybersecurity Technologies	Non-degree	2018	Distance Education
Certificate of Advanced Study in Education Technology	Non-degree	2011	On-Site
Certificate of Advanced Study in Hospitality and Tourism Management	Non-degree	2015	On-Site

Degree	Degree Level	Year Implemented	Modality
Certificate of Advanced Study in International Business	Non-degree	2015	On-Site
Certificate of Advanced Study in Leadership in Middle Level Education	Non-degree	2014	On-Site
Certificate of Advanced Study in Middle Level Education	Non-degree	2002	On-Site
Certificate of Advanced Study in Science Teaching	Non-degree	2007	On-Site
Certificate of Specialized Study in Military Science	Non-degree	2015	On-Site
Certificate of Specialized Study in Speech-Language Pathology	Non-degree	2012	Distance Education
Certificates of Specialized Study: Basic EngiBeeringâ„¢ and Brewing Science	Non-degree	2019	On-Site
Chemistry	Masters	2019	On-Site
Chemistry	Bachelors	1993	On-Site
Chemistry	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Child and Adolescent Development	Bachelors	2015	On-Site
Child and Adolescent Development	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Clinical Nurse Leader Certificate (CNL)	Non-degree	2012	On-Site
Clinical Nurse Specialist Certificate (CNS	Non-degree	2012	On-Site
Communication	Bachelors	1996	On-Site
Communication	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Computer Science	Masters	1997	On-Site
Computer Science	Bachelors	1995	On-Site
Computer Science	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Criminology and Justice Studies	Bachelors	2013	Distance Education
Criminology and Justice Studies	Bachelors	2004	On-Site
Cultural Competency in Health Care Certificate	Non-degree	2014	Distance Education
Cybersecurity	Masters	2018	Distance Education
Doctor of Nursing Practice	Professional Doctorate	2025	On-Site
Dual Language Certificate	Non-degree	2013	On-Site
Economics	Bachelors	1991	On-Site
Economics	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education

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Education (with credentials)	Masters	1993	Distance Education
Educational Administration	Masters	2018	Distance Education
Educational Leadership	Professional Doctorate	2004	On-Site
Electrical Engineering	Bachelors	2019	On-Site
Electrical Engineering	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Environmental Studies	Bachelors	2015	On-Site
Environmental Studies	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Ethnic Studies	Bachelors	2018	On-Site
Ethnic Studies	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Family Nurse Practitioner Certificate (FNP)	Non-degree	2013	On-Site
Family Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Certificate (PNP)	Non-degree	2012	On-Site
Geography	Bachelors	2021	On-Site
Geography	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Global Studies	Bachelors	2009	On-Site
Global Studies	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Global Teacher Studies and Preparation Certificate	Non-degree	2012	On-Site
History	Bachelors	1990	On-Site
History	Masters	2007	On-Site
History	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Human Development	Bachelors	1997	On-Site
Human Development	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
International Baccalaureate Teacher Studies and Preparation	Non-degree	2013	On-Site
Kinesiology	Masters	2016	On-Site
Kinesiology	Bachelors	2004	On-Site
Kinesiology	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Liberal Studies	Bachelors	1990	On-Site
Liberal Studies	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Literature and Writing Studies	Masters	1996	On-Site

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Literature and Writing Studies	Bachelors	1990	On-Site
Literature and Writing Studies	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Master of Arts in Curriculum & Instruction	Masters	2020	Distance Education
Master of Arts in Curriculum and Instruction	Masters	2020	On-Site
Master of Arts in Multilingual and Multicultural Education program	Masters	2020	Distance Education
Master of Science in Supply Chain Analytics	Masters	2025	On-Site
Master of Social Work	Masters	2023	Distance Education
Mathematics	Bachelors	1990	On-Site
Mathematics	Masters	1993	On-Site
Mathematics	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Media Studies	Bachelors	2007	On-Site
Media Studies	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Multilingual and Multicultural Education	Masters	2020	On-Site
Music	Bachelors	2015	On-Site
Music	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Nursing	Bachelors	2005	On-Site
Nursing	Bachelors	2014	Distance Education
Nursing	Masters	2009	On-Site
Palliative Care Nurse Practitioner Certificate	Non-degree	2013	On-Site
Palliative Care Nurse Specialist Certificate	Non-degree	2013	On-Site
Political Science	Bachelors	1991	On-Site
Political Science	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Pre-Health Professions Certificate	Non-degree	2014	On-Site
Psychology	Bachelors	1990	On-Site
Psychology	Masters	1994	On-Site
Psychology	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Public Health	Masters	2016	On-Site
Public Health	Masters	2018	Distance Education

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Reading, Language, and Literacy	Masters	2018	Distance Education
Social Sciences	Bachelors	1990	On-Site
Social Sciences	Bachelors	2013	Distance Education
Social Work	Masters	2013	On-Site
Sociological Practice	Masters	1996	On-Site
Sociology	Bachelors	2013	Distance Education
Sociology	Bachelors	1990	On-Site
Software Engineering	Bachelors	2018	On-Site
Software Engineering	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Spanish	Masters	2000	On-Site
Spanish	Bachelors	1993	On-Site
Spanish	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Special Education	Masters	2018	On-Site
Special Major	Bachelors	1993	On-Site
Special Major	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Speech Language Pathology	Masters	2022	Distance Education
Speech-Language Pathology	Bachelors	2015	On-Site
Speech-Language Pathology	Masters	2015	On-Site
Theatre	Bachelors	2019	On-Site
Theatre	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Wildfire Science and the Urban Interface	Bachelors	2018	Distance Education
Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies	Bachelors	1993	On-Site
Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education

Upcoming Reviews

Season	Year Level	Review Type
Spring	2029	Interim Report
Fall	2035	Offsite Review
Spring	2036	Accreditation Visit