Río Hondo College
Cal State University (CSU)
Fall 2026 Application – What's Next?

Apply to CSU October 1, 2025 - December 1, 2025
• Apply at: https://www.calstate.edu/apply/ • Some campuses and majors will still accept applicants after the priority deadline. • Check the Application Dates and Deadlines website to see which campus and majors continue to accept applications after the December 1st deadline.   o https://www.calstate.edu/apply/Pages/application-dates-deadlines.aspx
FAFSA or CA Dream Act October 1, 2025 – March 2, 2026
Complete your 2026-2027 FAFSA or CA Dream Act application and include all the schools you are applying to.
Check E-mail and University Portal December 2025- Summer 2026
Read all campus emails carefully and check your student portal "To-Do List" for required documents. Some campuses may request a supplemental application or initial transcripts. Submit all documents by the stated deadlines to avoid jeopardizing your admission.
Update CSU Application January 1, 2026 – January 31, 2026

Update your CSU application to ensure the campuses you applied to have your most current academic information. • The grades you received for your previous terms (Fall 2025 and Winter 2026). • The courses you are enrolled in or plan to take (Spring 2026 classes).	Scan Here for more information.

Provisional Admission Decisions February 2026 – March 2026
Check your email and university portal for your admission offer. Most offers are provisional and will be verified once your official transcripts are submitted.

Initial Transcripts CSU campuses that have admitted you may request official or unofficial transcripts. Send initial transcripts to all CSU campuses you would like to maintain admission consideration for. This may include official transcripts (of all colleges/universities attended), AP/IB/CLEP scores if applicable.	How to Request RHC Official Transcripts

Apply to Graduate
If you are completing an Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT), be sure to apply for your degree.

Graduation Application Deadline
- **Fall 2025:** October 31
- **Spring 2026:** March 1 (ADT priority deadline)
  If you miss a deadline, we encourage you to meet with a counselor.

eVerify
The Admissions & Records Office will automatically verify your ADT eligibility if you indicated on your CSU application that you are earning one. In order to be verified for an ADT, you must have submitted a Graduation Application for Summer 2025, Fall 2025, or Spring 2026.
If you are not completing an ADT, please disregard this information.

Official Transcripts
June 2026 – July 2026 (deadlines vary by campus)

Official Transcripts and Test Scores
CSU campuses that admit you will request **official transcripts** from all colleges and universities attended, as well as **AP, IB, or CLEP scores** if applicable.
If you are enrolled in **Spring 2026** courses, submit your **final transcript** to your chosen university once grades are posted.

CSU GE, IGETC, or Cal-GETC Certification
Certification confirms that Río Hondo College has verified your completion of the lower-division general education requirements for **CSU GE**, **IGETC**, or **Cal-GETC**.
You must request certification during your final semester by one of the following methods:
- Completing a **graduation petition** using CSU GE, IGETC, or Cal-GETC.
- Completing a **graduation petition** for the **General Education Breadth Certificate** (CSU GE, IGETC, or Cal-GETC).
- Meeting with a counselor to request certification.
- Selecting the certification option when submitting your final transcript request.

Intent to Enroll
May 2026 - June 2026 (deadlines vary by campus)
Accept admission offer and pay the enrollment deposit (if required) to secure your spot at the campus you plan to attend.

Local Campus Information for Admitted Students

CSULA	CSUF	CSULB	CPP