

SAN DIEGO PROMISE



**UP TO TWO YEARS OF
FREE TUITION**

The San Diego Promise is a two-year completion program designed to ensure students complete their educational goal whether it be to earn a certificate of completion and enter the workforce, complete an associate degree, or transfer to a university.

PROGRAM BENEFITS

- Up to two years of free tuition and health fees
- Book grants for eligible students
- Access to Peer Mentors/Success Coach
- Individualized counseling and guidance support to help you complete your educational goals

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Must be a first-time college student*
- Must be a class of 2022 high school graduate (H.S. Diploma or GED) OR identify with one of the following groups:
 - Foster youth or have been in the foster care system
 - Veteran of U.S. Armed Forces
 - Formerly Incarcerated
 - Undocumented
- Must be a California resident or AB 540 eligible

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

- Attend a Promise orientation
- Sign a Promise contract
- Enroll in at least 12 units each semester
- Must maintain a 2.0 college GPA
- Meet with a counselor each semester
- Complete a comprehensive education plan by the end of your first year

For more information on the San Diego Promise program visit: www.sdccd.edu/promise/getstarted

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SAN DIEGO PROMISE CHECKLIST

GET STARTED—

Complete steps 1-4 by **June 17** for priority registration and admission to the program



STEP 1:

Complete a **Fall 2022 Admissions application** to San Diego City, Mesa, or Miramar College at www.sdccd.edu/apply



STEP 2:

Complete a **2022-2023 financial aid application** (FAFSA) at <https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa> or CA Dream Act at <https://dream.csac.ca.gov/>

School Codes for FAFSA or CA Dream Act applications:

- San Diego City College: 001273
- San Diego Mesa College: 001275



STEP 3:

Complete a **Promise application** for the 2022-2023 academic school year at www.tinyurl.com/sdccdpromise22

Promise applications are due **August 15, 2022**.



STEP 4:

- Complete an **college online student orientation**
- Meet with a college counselor for an **abbreviated education plan** (a roadmap to graduation)



STEP 5:

- Sign a Promise contract. Contracts are due **August 29, 2022**.
- Attend a Promise orientation to secure a space in the program.

Information regarding the Promise contract and Promise orientation will be provided to students on a rolling basis between

May 1, 2022 - August 16, 2022.



STEP 6:

Students must register for a **minimum of 12 units by September 4, 2022.**

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