

**A B O U T
SRJC**

- Established in 1918, Santa Rosa Junior College is the 11th oldest of the 113 California Community Colleges.
- SRJC serves more than 50 high schools in Sonoma County, plus many more in neighboring counties.
- SRJC offers over 1,800 courses, more than 100 majors and 160 certificates, and about 2,600 class sections per semester.
- SRJC has two campuses: a large, lush campus in Santa Rosa known for its heritage oak trees, and a smaller, modern campus in Petaluma. The college also has a Public Safety Training Center in Windsor, Shone Farm near Forestville, and the Southwest Santa Rosa Center.



**AFFORDABLE
QUALITY
EDUCATION**

- High school students enroll for free. Other expenses such as books, parking, health fees and other fees still apply.
- California residents pay an enrollment fee of \$46 per unit. Non-residents pay \$211 per unit and international students pay \$270 per unit. In addition, all students pay a \$19 per semester health fee, any course costs associated with classes, and an optional parking fee. Other fees might apply.

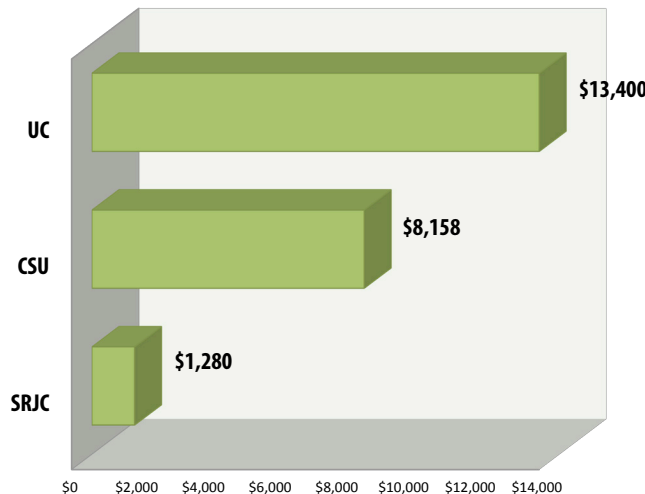


FINANCIAL AID & SCHOLARSHIPS

- With an endowment of nearly \$42 million and the SRJC 100th Anniversary Campaign currently underway, the SRJC Foundation continues to be a leader among community colleges for fundraising and College support. Distribution for student scholarships and programs has earned the SRJC Foundation the number one ranking among all 113 California community colleges foundations.
- During 2015-16, more than \$3.6 million in scholarships was awarded to over 3,200 students. The SRJC Foundation Endowment provided \$1.15 million, the prestigious Doyle Scholarship Fund provided \$1.6 million, and over \$850,000 was provided by individual donors, businesses, and community organizations.
- The amount awarded for 2015-16 including scholarships, financial aid grants, loans, and fee waivers is nearly \$40 million.

SERVING SONOMA COUNTY

- In Sonoma County, more than 44% of high school graduates who attend college the fall after graduation enroll at SRJC.
- SRJC awarded 2,201 associate degrees and 3,203 certificates in 2015-2016.



1,400+ SRJC STUDENTS ARE ELIGIBLE TO TRANSFER EACH YEAR

- A total of 1,433 students transferred following the 2015 graduation, including 208 to University of California and 802 to California State University.
- The top transfer destinations for SRJC students are Sonoma State University, UC Davis, and UC Berkeley. SRJC transfer students also attend UCLA, Cornell University, and many other high-profile universities.
- Students who begin their bachelor degree coursework at SRJC are often more successful and get better grades when they transfer than the students who complete all of their courses at the university.



ENROLLMENT – SPRING 2016

Total	29,514
Santa Rosa Campus	18,463
Petaluma Campus	4,832
Online	4,953
Shone Farm	351
Santa Rosa Southwest Center	1,140

TOP EDUCATIONAL GOALS

BA/BS or Transfer	49%
Associate Degree	14%
Career Certificates	22%

UNIT LOAD

Full Time (12+ units)	16.8%
Part-time (0.5 to 11.5 units)	57.9%
Non-credit	25.2%

ETHNICITY / RACE

Asian	1,105
African-American	646
Filipino	232
Hispanic	9,619
Multi-ethnic	1,232
Native American/Alaskan	192
Pacific Islander	94
Unknown/Undeclared	1,800
White	14,594

THE SMART CHOICE

- High school students can get an early start on college with the Fast Forward High School Concurrent Enrollment program. When students take college classes while in high school, enrollment is free! Other expenses such as books, parking, health fees and other fees still apply.
- The most popular majors at SRJC are Social and Behavioral Sciences, Natural Sciences, Humanities, Nursing (ADN), and Business Administration for Transfer. The most sought-after certificates are Emergency Medical Technician (EMT-1), Automotive Technology Engine Repair Specialist, Child Development Associate Teacher, Basic Police Academy, Firefighter I Academy, Culinary Arts, Ranger Academy, Certified Nurse Assistant/Home Health Aide, Pharmacy Technician.
- SRJC’s unique Public Safety Training Center is one of the finest regional facilities for public safety training in the state, preparing students for careers in criminal justice, fire protection technology, and emergency medical care. The Center also provides in-service training for public safety professionals.
- Shone Farm offers hands-on practice for agriculture, natural resources, and viticulture students, and produces award-winning wine and olive oil. Shone Farm has a Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) program and a farm stand offering fruits, vegetables, and Shone-grown olive oil products for sale.
- Students who complete their Career and Technical Education or vocational certificate at SRJC earn an average of 38% more in hourly wages than before studies and training.
- SRJC’s Student Government Assembly is an active leadership body of over 50 students.
- SRJC has approximately 60 active student clubs, one of the highest of California community colleges. Clubs and organizations provide a leadership training lab for approximately 800 students organizing over 300 events and activities a year.
- SRJC Forensics team was ranked number one in parliamentary debate in the nation among two-year colleges for 2015-2016 season. Our debaters won the top individual speaker at both the California Community Forensics Association state championships and the Phi Rho Pi two-year college national championships.
- The world is your campus: SRJC’s Study Abroad program includes destinations such as Barcelona, London, Oxford, Florence, and Costa Rica.
- Since 1972, SRJC’s Summer Repertory Theatre has enrolled thousands of students who have received advanced training important to their professional goals. Many of these students have transferred to top-quality schools and are employed in the television and movie industries and in theatres across the nation.
- SRJC has a proud heritage in Athletics. Recent championship teams include Men’s Baseball, State Champions 2016; Women’s Swimming, State Champions 2014-15; and Men’s Basketball, State Champions 2013-14. Go Bear Cubs!

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THE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE

HIGH SCHOOL

- Parents are responsible
- Class schedule determined by school
- Parents have access to academic records

COLLEGE

- Student is responsible
- Choose your own schedule
- Only the student has access to academic records

CLASS TIME VS. STUDY TIME

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT

- Minimal study hours**
- In class 30 hours per week
- Less time studying outside of class

COLLEGE STUDENT

- Study 24-30 hours per week**
- In class 12-15 hours per week
- More study time required