

# GENERAL INFORMATION

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## San Jacinto College

San Jacinto College serves the communities and citizens of East Harris County, Texas. The San Jacinto College taxing area includes the Channelview, Deer Park, Galena Park, La Porte, Pasadena, and Sheldon independent school districts. The College's service area expands to include portions of the Humble, Pearland, and Clear Creek school districts.

## Admissions

- Admission Types (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/admissions/types/>)
- Dual Credit/Early Admission (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/admissions/dual-credit-early-admission/>)
- Early College High School Programs (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/admissions/early-college-high-school-programs/>)
- Admission Requirements for Individuals with F-1 Visa Status (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/admissions/requirements-individuals-f1-visa-status/>)
- English Language Proficiency Requirements for Students Who are Speakers of Other Languages (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/admissions/english-language-proficiency-requirements-students-speakers-languages/>)
- Orientation and Campus Tours (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/admissions/orientation-campus-tours/>)
- Testing (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/admissions/testing/>)
- Texas Success Initiative (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/admissions/texas-success-initiative/>)

## Educational Programs

- Associate Transfer Degrees (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/educational-programs/associate-transfer-degrees/>)
- Bachelor Degrees (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/educational-programs/bachelor-degrees/>)

- Technical Degrees and Certificates (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/educational-programs/technical-degrees-certificates/>)
- Core Curriculum (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/educational-programs/basics-core-curriculum-general-education-outcomes/>)
- Course Information (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/educational-programs/course-information/>)
- Fields of Study (FOS) (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/educational-programs/field-study/>)
- General Education Options for Technical Degrees (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/educational-programs/core-options-technical-degrees/>)
- General Education Outcomes (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/educational-programs/general-education-outcomes/>)
- Program Codes - Technical Degrees and Certificates (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/educational-programs/major-codes-technical-degrees-certificates/>)

## Graduation Requirements

- Graduation (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/graduation-requirements/graduation/>)
- Transfer Information (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/graduation-requirements/transfer-information/>)

## Paying for College

- Financial Aid (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/paying-college/financial-aid/>)
- Residency (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/paying-college/residency/>)
- Tuition and Charges (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/paying-college/tuition-fees/>)

## Student Information

- Academic Calendar (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/student-information/academic-calendar/>)
- Annual Security and Fire Safety Report (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/student-information/annual-security-fire-safety-report/>)
- Campus Carry (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/student-information/campus-carry/>)
- How to Request Public Information (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/student-information/request-public-information/>)
- Registration (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/student-information/registration/>)
- Services and Activities (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/student-information/services-activities/>)
- Student Grades and Records (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/student-information/student-grades-records/>)
- Student Rights and Responsibilities (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/student-information/student-rights-responsibilities/>)
- Veteran Information (<https://publications.sanjac.edu/general-information/student-information/veteran-information/>)

## Vision

San Jacinto College will advance the social and economic mobility of all members of our community. We will be known for our excellence in teaching and learning, our intentional student-centered support, and our commitment to every student. We will be the preferred workforce and economic development partner in the region and a champion for lifelong learning. San Jacinto College will inspire students to explore opportunities, define their educational and career paths, and achieve their goals and dreams.

## Mission

San Jacinto College is focused on student success, academic progress, university transfer, and employment. We are committed to opportunities that enrich the quality of life in the communities we serve.

## Values

### **Integrity: We Act Honorably and Ethically**

"We conduct ourselves in ways that are professional, instill confidence, and promote trust."

### **Inclusivity: We Grow through Understanding**

"We respect and learn from the diversity of our cultures, experiences, and perspectives."

### **Collaboration: We Are Stronger Together**

"We believe in the power of working together."

### **Innovation: We Embrace New Possibilities**

"We anticipate change, explore opportunities, and create continuously evolving solutions."

### **Accountability: We Are Responsible Individually and Collectively**

"We take ownership for our commitments and outcomes."

### **Sense of Community: We Care for Those We Serve**

"We demonstrate concern for the well-being and success of our students, our communities, and our people."

### **Excellence: We Strive for Outstanding Results**

"We take risks, we assess our work, and we aspire to improve the quality of everything we do."

## Accreditation

San Jacinto College is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) to award associate and baccalaureate degrees. San Jacinto College also may offer credentials such as certificates and diplomas at approved degree levels. Questions about the accreditation of San Jacinto College may be directed in writing to the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, GA 30033-4097, by calling (404) 679-4500, or by using information available on SACSCOC's website (<https://www.sacscoc.org/>) ([www.sacscoc.org](http://www.sacscoc.org)).

## Equal Opportunity Statement

The San Jacinto College District is committed to equal opportunity for all students, employees, and applicants without regard to race, creed,

color, national origin, citizenship status, age, disability, pregnancy, religion, gender, sexual orientation, gender expression or identity, genetic information, marital status, or veteran status in accordance with applicable federal and state laws.

No person including students, faculty, staff, part-time, and temporary workers will be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination or harassment under any program or activity sponsored or conducted by the San Jacinto College District on the basis of the categories listed.

The following College officials have been designated to handle inquiries regarding the College's non-discrimination policies:

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