Currently John Muir and Earl Warren Colleges enroll the largest number of undergraduates.

The average age of undergraduates is 21 years; the vast majority are under the age of 25.

The undergraduate student body at UCSD is ethnically diverse; approximately 60% of the undergraduates are students of color.

The minimum A-G course requirement is 30 semester courses - 14 of which must be taken during the last two years of high school.

For the 2007 freshmen cohort, the average number of honors courses taken in the 10th and 11th grades for the 2007 freshmen cohort was 3.

FALL 2007 STUDENT CHARACTERISTICS
University of California, San Diego

UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT

Gender
At least 50% women represent the majority of undergraduate students on the UC San Diego campus.

Women 11,587 53%
Men 9,461 47%
Total 22,048 100%

Ethnicity
The undergraduate student body at UCSD is ethnically diverse; approximately 60% of the undergraduates are students of color.

African-American 324 2%
Asian 9,037 41%
Hispanic 1,997 9%
Filipino 3,063 1%
Latino/Other Spanish 621 3%
Filipino 1,065 5%
Mexican-American 1,997 9%
Asian 9,072 41%
African-American 326 2%
Native-American 91 <1%
Others/Undeclared 2,602 12%
Total 22,048 100%

Geographic Origin
Sixty-four percent of all undergraduates are from California. Out-of-state and foreign students represent approximately 6% of the undergraduate student body.

San Diego/Imperial Counties 6,429 30%
Los Angeles/Orange Counties 9,287 42%
San Francisco/Bay Area 6,461 21%
Other Cali. Counties 2,374 10%
Out-Of-State 661 3%
Foreign 734 3%
Total 22,048 100%

Fields of Study
UCSD offers more than 100 undergraduate majors in six disciplinary areas (i.e., groups of majors). Currently, Social Science is the most popular field of study followed by Biology and Engineering.

Arts 172 4%
Humanities 942 4%
Engineering 1,271 17%
Science/Math 2,511 9%
Biology 1,276 22%
Social Science 2,586 36%
Other/Undeclared 1,503 16%
Total 22,048 100%

Honors Courses
The average high school GPA for the 2007 freshmen cohort was 3.94; almost one-half had a GPA of 4.0 or higher.

Major Departments
The 10 most frequently declared undergraduate major departments are listed below. Twenty-two percent of all undergraduates are majoring in Biology.

Biology 4,174 22%
Economics 2,155 10%
Psychology 1,286 6%
Political Science 1,183 5%
Chemistry 1,179 5%
Mechanical & Aerospace Eng. 1,056 5%
Biomedical Engineering 908 4%
International Studies 851 4%
Communications 783 4%
Computer Science & Eng. (CSE) 599 3%
Other Major Departments 5,304 24%
Undeclared 1,103 5%
Total 22,048 100%

NEW STUDENT ENROLLMENT
A total of 5,883 new students enrolled in classes in the Fall 2007 term.

First-Time Freshmen 4,141 70%
Transfers 1,742 30%
Total 5,883 100%

FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN

High School Grade Point Averages
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Honors Courses
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College Preparatory (A-G) Courses
For the 2007 freshmen cohort, the average number of 4-semester courses completed in high school was 49. The minimum A-G course requirement is 30 semester courses - 14 of which must be taken during the last two years of high school.

SAT Scores
The average SAT I composite score for the 2007 freshmen cohort was 1248. The average SAT I Verbal and Math scores were 601 and 647, respectively.

TRANSFER STUDENTS

Transfer Institutions
The vast majority of transfer students attend California Community Colleges prior to enrolling at UCSD.

Transfer Grade Point Averages
The average transfer GPA for the 2007 transfer cohort was 3.30. Eighty percent of all transfer matriculants had GPAs of 3.0 or higher.

Transfer Grade Point Averages
The minimum A-G course requirement is 30 semester courses. The minimum A-G course requirement is 30 semester courses - 14 of which must be taken during the last two years of high school.
Ninety-four percent of all undergraduates are from California.