

What Advice would you give to an incoming student?

Study hard, this is not community college. Tests are much more difficult and nearly your entire grade.

don't take too many units because you cannot drop them

Work Hard

Expect the unexpected

Prepare yourself for all the exams because they account for the majority of your course grade.

Don't stress out and do your best.

Get involved with organization on campus

Start early by having books a week before class starts. Be prepared for EVERY class session. It will help hugely.

Join clubs

Really put worth the effort in your core major (lower division) classes at your community college institution!

Don't stress over your grades too much, it's just school.

Manage your time wisely!! Focus on ALL of your classes and don't spend hours and hours of studying just on a couple of classes. Full attention to all classes is imperative. Also, get to know your professors, they help you out tremendously and clarify any questions/unanswered questions!!

Make it more clear as to where you can get tutor help.

Time management and using the SDSU's resources are very important.

Put more time into studying for Acctg 321! It isn't that bad as long as you do all the reading and suggested work.

Study hard, don't think that just because you did well at the school you are transferring from doesn't mean you will do well at SDSU if you don't put forth the effort.

Do not accept the norm at a larger school like SDSU. For many classes it is the norm to get in the 60's and 70's on tests and depend on the curve. **DO NOT BRING YOURSELF DOWN TO THE LEVEL OF YOUR FELLOW CLASSMATES JUST FOR A CURVE!** Depend on your own abilities and put in the effort to study. You will do well.

Make sure that you have a really good schedule with time for each class to study for and do not leave anything to the last min.

Analyze the amount of coursework taken during the semester.

to make sure you're interested in the major that you declare. To find a friend that you've transferred with to state and have a buddy/support system, choose and pick the same or similar classes so that you won't feel so lost.

Study first. Social second. This advice is hard because you need to make friends, but your grades are really important as well.

Manage your time effectively and efficiently. Know your priorities, take advantage of the opportunity of being able to study at SDSU

do not come into the year thinking you'll pass easily with just a little more work than at junior college....SDSU university level work is almost a complete culture shock in difference

be able to manage your time wisely. and don't let other factors interfere

Appeal more to returning and non-traditional students.

Apply yourself.

use rate my professor and don't ignore it

join a club

Study study study!

Seek help when needed and don't take all hard classes in one semester.

Try to pace yourself. Try to have a workload that you feel will be manageable. For your first semester take only 12 units and by judging how easy or difficult it was for you to manage those classes, take the number of units you feel are manageable.

To keep in mind that they transferred to a university, which is not like community colleges. Therefore, they should be prepared to study and work hard to achieve at SDSU.

Don't compare yourself to others.

Be able to balance your social life with your academic life. Remember your priorities.

Stay in school after high school, get it done while you are young. My difficulties stem from the fact that I am 47 years old and most of my fellow classmates are less than half my age.

The fees are due much earlier than at a community college and you don't get notification that it's due so make sure to check for yourself

Be sure to manage your time effectively in the beginning of the semester and don't fall behind.

Manage your time wisely and do not expect to get by how you did when you were in Community college.

Never give up, and make sure you talk to your professors, and work hard until the end. Don't forget to go to all your classes on time!

Every chance you get study. You will need it. They expect more out of you here than community college. It's not likely that you'll get a cheat sheet or extra credit but if they do take advantage of it.

Keep in touch with your advisers, especially when majoring in an impacted program.

Don't give up things that are difficult are worth the extra effort to achieve them. Don't give up right away sometimes it takes extra work but in the long end it will be worth it.

Don't work that much. be ready to study study study. Never had to really study until i attended sdsu.

Work no more than 20 hours if attending full time and study much harder than when in community college.

Prepare thoroughly for every class even if you think a particular subject seems easy and therefore doesn't require extra attention outside of class.

Make the time to study.

To get involved whether it's in campus clubs, groups, or Greek life. It will make the campus feel smaller. Also it enables you to make friends with similar interests.

Expect to put in lots of hours in the library, and try not to have a job so you can study more

Remember why you are at SDSU, don't lose sight of your goal to graduate and complete everything to earn the best grades possible.

Study really hard

Don't take Professor Olson. If I could provide two pieces of advice, I would recommend talking to the advisors. Liz Alvarado in the EOP office was so helpful in ensuring that I made it through the semester while I was dealing with family tragedy.

Study Study Study

Get more involved with the school so you can find some friends.

don't expect it to be easy.

Know who are the best professors to take.

Learn good study skills and don't give up. Try different study methods until you find the one that works best. Give school plenty of time and don't procrastinate.

Study

make sure you have the financial side already figured out, because working commitments can only be a few hours a week.

You are extremely fortunate to be here. Do your very best.

Hang in there

don't procrastinate.

Prepare yourself for a lot of HARD work

be easy in school because everything in life is hard.

get involved

Talk to classmates and faculties and gather as much information as possible. Read all the e-mail communication as well.

Join clubs or something to make and meet friends.

Be mentally prepared for bigger classes

Don't study before an exam, study throughout the semester!

study hard and manage your time. This is not Junior College

pick a major that you can get classes for or you will be at this school forever.

Try to do your best. Study hard, and if you need help with something try and seek for it before it is too late.

If you are working more than 30 hrs per week try to not to enroll in more than 10 units

Stay focused.