

# WELCOME TO THE UNIVERSITY OF SAN DIEGO!



We are excited to welcome you to the University of San Diego (USD).

As you settle in, here is a list of things you should complete during your first week at USD.

- Submit your Immunization Records to the Health Center** (if you haven't already done so). For more information, please visit <http://www.sandiego.edu/healthcenter/immunizations>
- Get your Student ID Card:** Visit the One Stop Center in the University Center, Room 126. Please have your student ID number and passport with you.
- Pay your tuition and/or student fees to Student Accounts:**  
You can pay your bill online! Simply follow the instructions below:
  - o Log-in to your MySanDiego account <https://my.sandiego.edu>
  - o Click on the "My Student Account" tab under "Torero Hub"
  - o Under "My Student Account" (left side of the page) select "My Online Student Account"For international wire transfer from a foreign bank directly to your USD student account, check out <https://www.flywire.com/> for lower transfer fees.
- Confirm your class schedule:**
  - o Log-in to your MySanDiego account <https://my.sandiego.edu>
  - o Select the "My Academics" tab at the top of the page, under "Torero Hub"
  - o Find the "Registration Tools" box (on the right side of the page) and select "Concise Student Schedule" to view your schedule.
- Buy your textbooks:** Textbooks can be reserved online or purchased directly from the USD Torero Store on campus. When reserving online you can find books listed by department, then by course, then by course section/professor. If you visit the bookstore, remember to bring your class schedule with you so that a bookstore associate can assist you in determining which textbooks you need. <https://www.usdbookstore.com>
- Buy a cell phone or U.S. SIM Card (optional):** Most cell phone companies now offer monthly no contract plans. USD's Torero Store also has relationships with several providers offering the convenience of purchasing a SIM card on campus.
- Open a bank account (optional):** Please refer to the Banking section of Useful Local Information page of the OISS site: <https://www.sandiego.edu/international/oiss/useful-local-information-for-students-and-scholars.php>
- Join the International Student Organization (ISO):** ISO is a community of international and "internationally-minded" domestic students. ISO supports international students, assisting with the transition to campus life and to life in the U.S. ISO also hosts events through the semester, including: weekly "International Coffee Hour," monthly dinners at various international restaurants, the Annual International Expo and Fashion Show, and much more! Find them on Facebook or contact [internationaloffice@sandiego.edu](mailto:internationaloffice@sandiego.edu) to sign-up.
- Attend the International Center events and activities!** Please refer to your orientation calendar for more information.

## OTHER USEFUL INFORMATION

- LIKE us on Facebook, follow us on Twitter (@usdintl) and check out our Blog** to receive timely updates and other important announcements Visit: [www.facebook.com/USDOISS](http://www.facebook.com/USDOISS) and <http://sites.sandiego.edu/usdintl/>
- Campus Tours:** Get to know USD! Student-guided tours are offered twice per day, year-round from Monday through Friday at 10:00am and 1:30pm. You may sign-up for a campus tour by visiting the following link [http://www.sandiego.edu/admissions/undergraduate/visit/tours/daily\\_tours.php](http://www.sandiego.edu/admissions/undergraduate/visit/tours/daily_tours.php)
- Parking On-Campus:** If you buy or rent a car and plan to park on-campus, you MUST purchase a parking permit. Permits may be purchased through your MySanDiego account or by visiting the Parking Services website at the following link [http://www.sandiego.edu/parking/online\\_services/parking\\_permit\\_notice.php](http://www.sandiego.edu/parking/online_services/parking_permit_notice.php)
- Renting or Buying a Car:** For more information on renting and buying a car in San Diego, please refer to the Transportation section of the Useful Local Information page of the OISS site: <https://www.sandiego.edu/international/oiss/useful-local-information-for-students-and-scholars.php>