

These instructions are to apply for a CSULB College of Education Master's program (or master's program with advanced credential)

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The California State University offers hundreds of graduate programs, as well as some doctoral programs. Explore the possibilities for your degree — then get started on your application.

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## Welcome to The California State University

Thank you for your interest in The California State University. We hope you will find the online application process to be comprehensive and easy to navigate. You do not need to complete the online application all at once. You may access your application and change your answers as many times as you like by using your login credentials from any computer with internet access. Your application can be completed online and submitted electronically once you have entered the required information.

**Please Note: If you previously created an account on CSUMentor you will need to create a new account for Cal State Apply.**

Sign in with your username and password below. First time here? Select Create an Account to get started.



**Sign In**

**Create an Account**

[Forgot your password?](#)

Click  
"Create an  
Account"

Once you have created your account, you will be asked to complete your Profile (Degree Goal, Military Status, etc.)

**If you are applying to a master's degree program or a master's degree + advanced credential program, apply to Cal State Apply following these directions:**

**On the "Complete Your Profile" page, under "Degree Goal- What degree, credential or certificate are you applying for?" Select: Graduate**

**Complete Your Profile**

The information provided below will be used to ensure you see all programs for which you qualify and ensure that your application includes all relevant information.

\* Indicates required field.

**Degree Goal**

\* What degree, credential or certificate are you applying for?

- ☐ First Bachelor's Degree (Seeking your first bachelor's degree and have not earned a prior bachelor's degree)
- ☐ Second Bachelor's Degree (already earned a bachelor's degree and are seeking another one)
- ☒ Graduate (e.g. Master's, Doctoral) or Professional's Degree
- ☐ Teaching Credential Only (e.g. Single or Multiple Subject, PPS, Librarian, Admin, CalStateTEACH)
- ☐ Certificate

A yellow arrow points to the 'Graduate' option with the text 'Select: Graduate'.

**Please then select applicable responses for the remaining questions (Returning; US Military Status; International Applicant)**

Once you have completed your Profile, you will be directed to the next step: Select the Programs to Which You Want to Apply

## Select the Programs to Which You Want to Apply

You must select at least one program to begin your application. You may add additional programs from the Add Program tab at any time before the submission deadline.

Due to CSU enrollment pressures, campuses may offer very limited Lower Division and Second Baccalaureate programs.

Please click [here](#) for campus specific program Dates & Deadlines.

Application fees for some undergraduate programs may be waived based on eligibility. Once you have completed your application in full, please click on the Submit Applications tab to review your fee waiver status. For more information on application fee waiver eligibility, please click [here](#).

Programs with a Source of Extended Education are offered by Extended and Continuing Education on each campus.

The screenshot shows the application selection interface. At the top, there are two summary boxes: 'APPLICATIONS READY FOR SUBMISSION' with a value of '0' and 'TOTAL FEE(S)' with a value of '\$0'. To the right of these is a button labeled 'I am Done, Review My Selections' with a checkmark icon. Below these are two large yellow arrows pointing to specific dropdown menus. The first arrow, labeled 'Select CSU Long Beach', points to the 'Campus' dropdown menu which currently shows 'CSU Long Beach'. The second arrow, labeled 'Select the Start Term', points to the 'Start Term' dropdown menu which currently shows 'Start Term'. Below these dropdowns is a 'Source' dropdown menu showing 'Source'. Further down are three filter buttons: 'Show' (checked), 'Available Programs' (unchecked), 'Past Programs' (unchecked), and 'Future Programs' (unchecked). A 'Reset Filters' button is located to the right of these filters. At the bottom, there is a table header with columns: 'PROGRAM NAME', 'DEGREE TYPE', 'TERM', 'ACADEMIC YEAR', 'LOCATION', and 'DEADLINE (PDT)'.

Please select “CSU Long Beach” as your campus.

Please also select the appropriate start term.

After selecting CSU Long Beach and the start term, scroll down the page to select the one Master’s degree program you are interested in (you may only select one program at CSULB per admission cycle). They are listed in alphabetical order.

Once you have made your program selection, Click “I am Done, Review My Selections”

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APPLICATIONS READY FOR SUBMISSION  
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Click “I am Done, Review My Selections”

✓ I am Done, Review My Selections

< Add More Programs

## Review Your Program Selections

Below are the programs you have selected. If you are ready to start your application, click the Continue To My Application button below. Missing a Program? Click Add More Programs. You can add more programs at anytime.

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Click “Continue to My Applications”

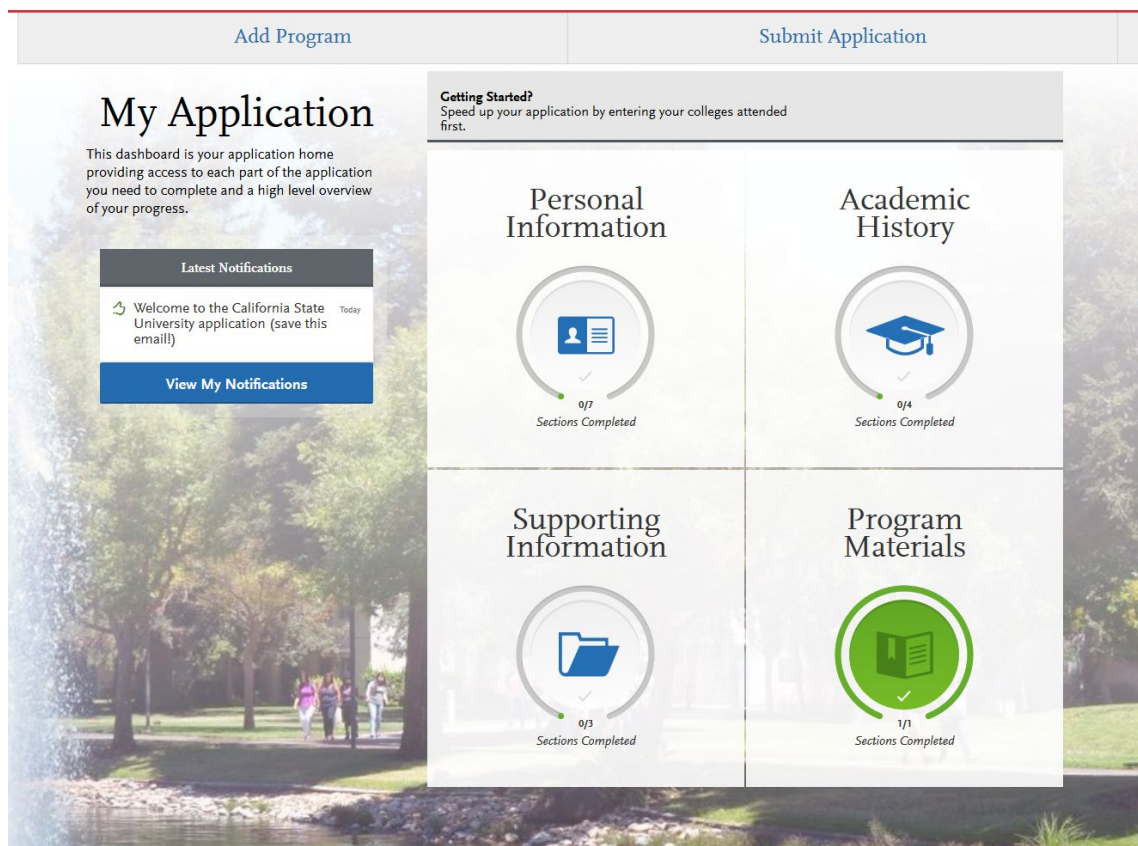
Continue To My Application >

Sort By Deadline ▾


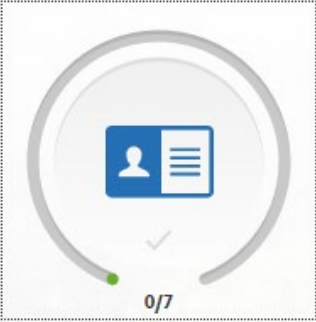


The new page will load your “My Application” dashboard, indicating which sections need to be completed: Personal Information, Academic History, and Supporting Information. Please note that the Program Materials section is shown in green with a green circle and indicates that you will not need to add anything in that section. The Program Materials are the [paper, program application packet](#) which you will submit to the Graduate Studies Office.

The other three sections are in blue and after you have added the necessary information, they will appear green. Click on each section and complete the information requested.



## Personal Information Section:



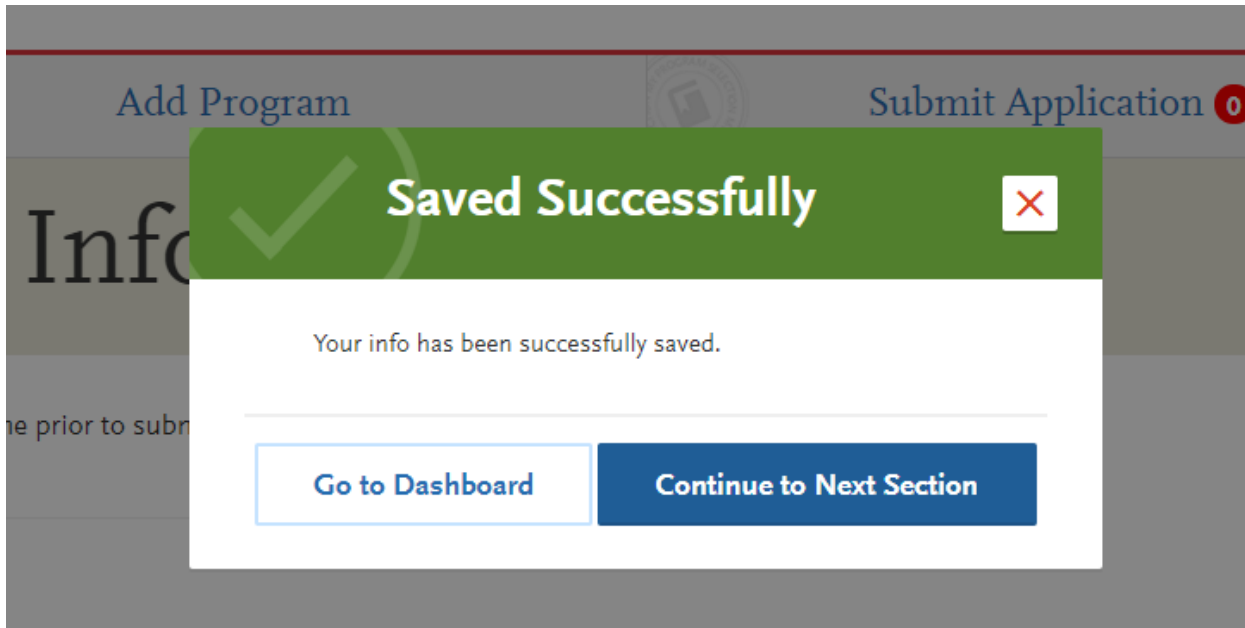
# Personal Information

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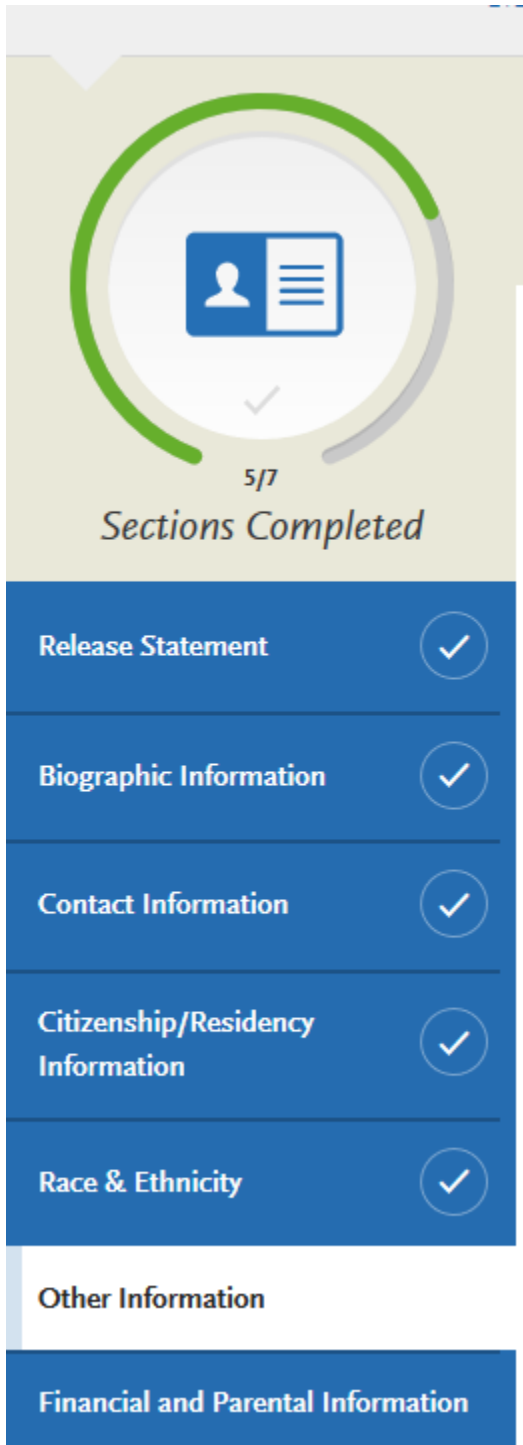
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Biographic Information
Contact Information
Citizenship/Residency Information
Race & Ethnicity
Other Information
Financial and Parental Information



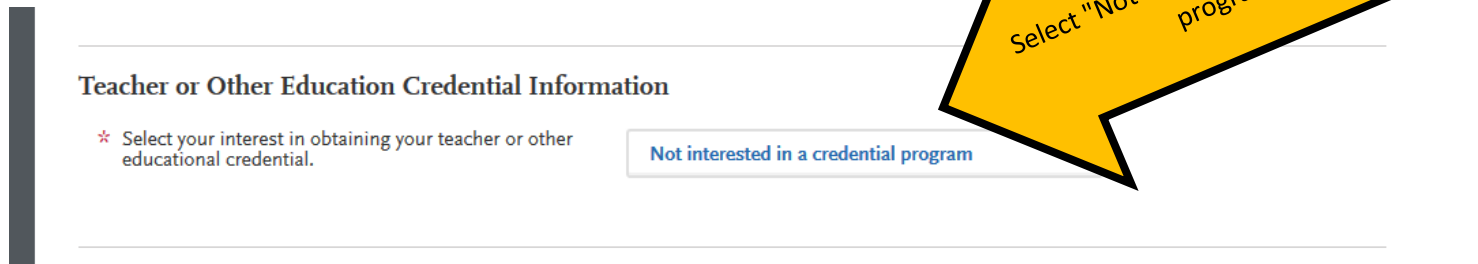
Note: As you complete each section, you will receive a pop-up letting you know you have completed a section and the information has been saved:



You will also be able to track the progress you have made completing the application on the left-hand side on the page:



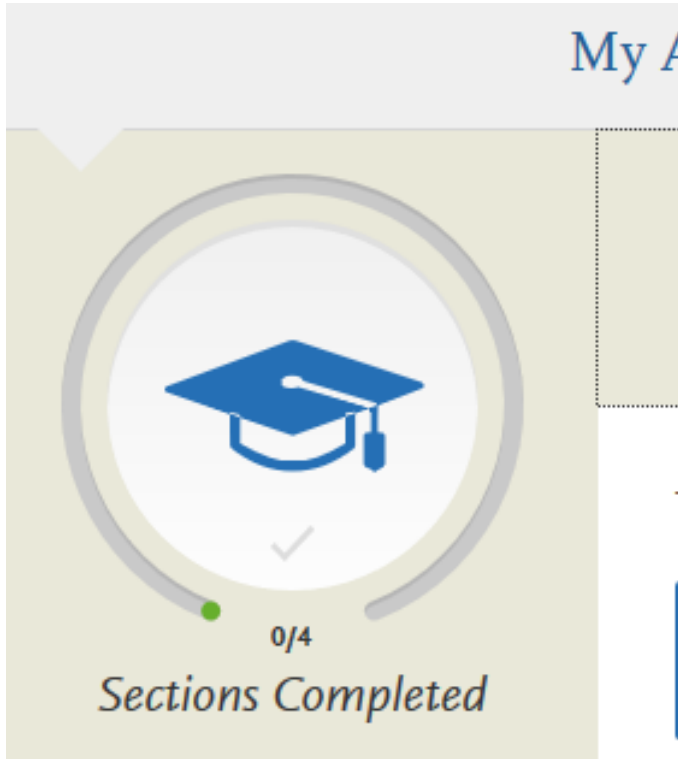
In the “Other Information” section of the Personal Information, you will find the “Teacher or Other Educational Credential Information,”:



The screenshot shows a form section titled "Teacher or Other Education Credential Information". Below the title is a text input field with a red asterisk icon and the text "Select your interest in obtaining your teacher or other educational credential." To the right of the text input field is a button labeled "Not interested in a credential program". A large yellow arrow with a black outline points from the top right towards the button, with the text "Select 'Not interested in a credential program'" written inside it.

Select “Not interested in a credential program”. If you are applying to a Master’s + advanced credential program, you will receive both simultaneously and the Master’s degree is the program you are applying to.

Continue to fill out the Personal Information Section. Once you have finished the sections, you will be navigated to the “Academic History” Section:



#### Colleges Attended

Transcript Entry
GPA Entries
Standardized Tests

On the Academic History section, there is an option for Transcript Entry. Click on “I am Not Adding Any College Transcripts.” Enrollment Services requires an official copy of all transcripts be sent to:

California State University, Long Beach  
Enrollment Services/Admissions  
1250 Bellflower Boulevard  
Long Beach, CA 90840-0106

The screenshot shows the 'Transcript Entry' page. On the left is a sidebar with a progress indicator showing '1/4 Sections Completed' and a list of sections: 'Colleges Attended' (checked), 'Transcript Entry' (selected), 'GPA Entries', and 'Standardized Tests'. The main content area is titled 'Transcript Entry' and contains instructions for entering course information. At the bottom of the main content area, there is a yellow button labeled 'I Am Not Adding Any College Transcripts'. A large yellow arrow points from the right side of the page towards this button, with the text 'Click this option' inside the arrow's tail.

## Transcript Entry

Enter course information exactly as it appears on your transcript from each individual institution. All courses must be included, even if you did poorly or later repeated the course.

After you enter transcript information for all colleges attended, you will be able to review your calculated GPA at the right side of the Transcript Entry screen. You may recalculate if you add additional courses after the initial calculation.

For details on entering repeated courses, academic renewal, Advanced Placement (AP), CLEP, or International Baccalaureate (IB) tests to satisfy general education requirements, review the [Transcript Entry Guide](#).

**First-time Freshman Applicants:** Report all college coursework while enrolled in high school. When all courses have been entered, return to the A-G Matching screen to match college courses to an A-G category.

**Lower-division, Upper-division and Associate Degree for Transfer Applicants:** Report all courses completed at all colleges attended.

**Returning Applicants:** If you are returning to the same CSU that you last attended and have not taken any college courses at another institution, select "I Am Not Adding Any College Transcripts." If you have taken courses at another institution, enter the coursework for that institution. If you are applying to an additional campus as a new applicant, you will need to enter all transcript information.

**Graduate and Credential Applicants:** Only enter courses that are in-progress or planned. Select "I am Not Adding Any College Transcripts" if you don't have in-progress or planned coursework.

**I Am Not Adding Any College Transcripts**

Click this option

You will receive the following message when you select “I am not adding any college transcripts”:

## Transcript Entry

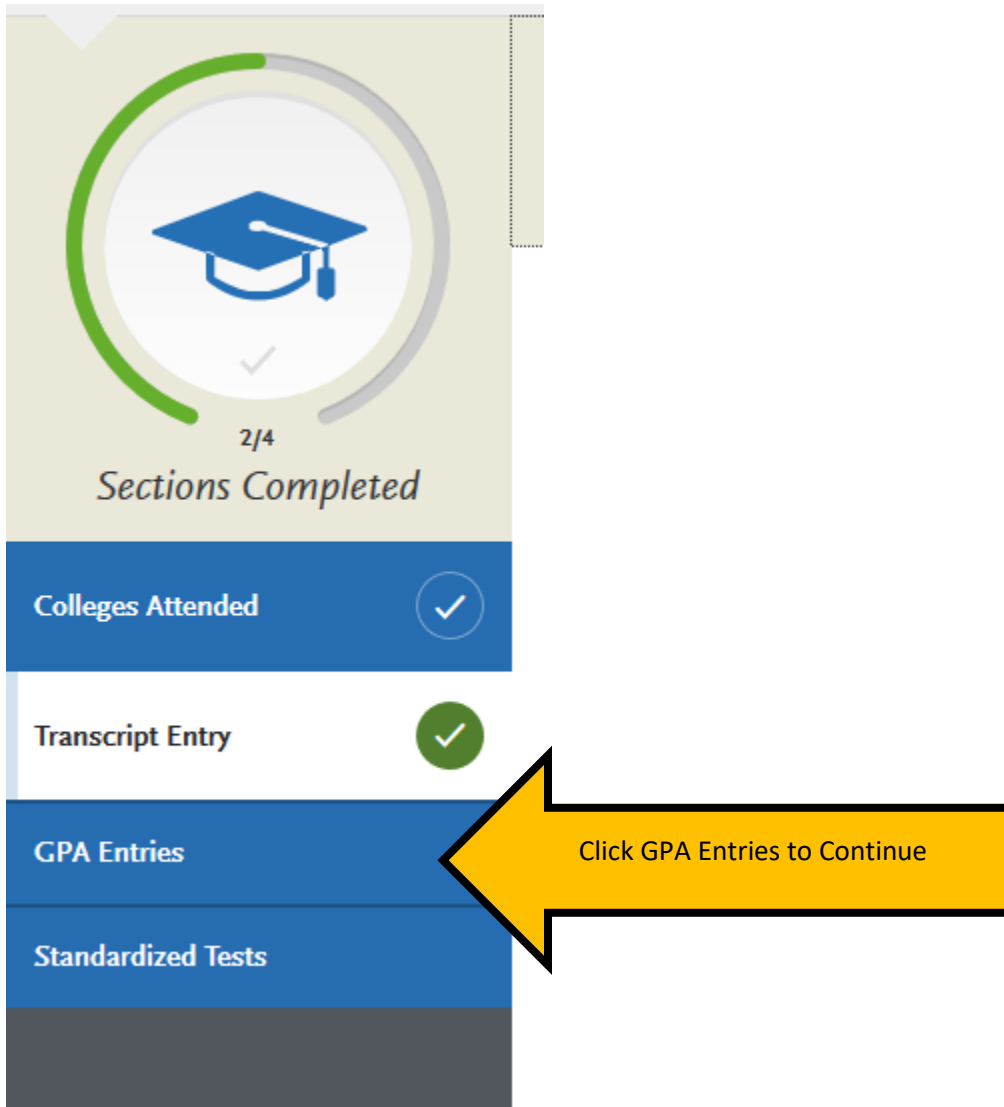


**You opted not to add any college or university transcripts, so there will be no transcripts**

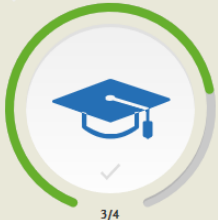
You can add college transcripts for colleges any time before submitting the application. Once the application is submitted, you will not be able to add any colleges and transcripts



Click on GPA Entries to continue through Academic's History section.



On the Standardized Tests section, click on “I Am Not Adding Any Standardized Tests”



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Sections Completed

Colleges Attended

Transcript Entry

GPA Entries

Standardized Tests

## Standardized Tests

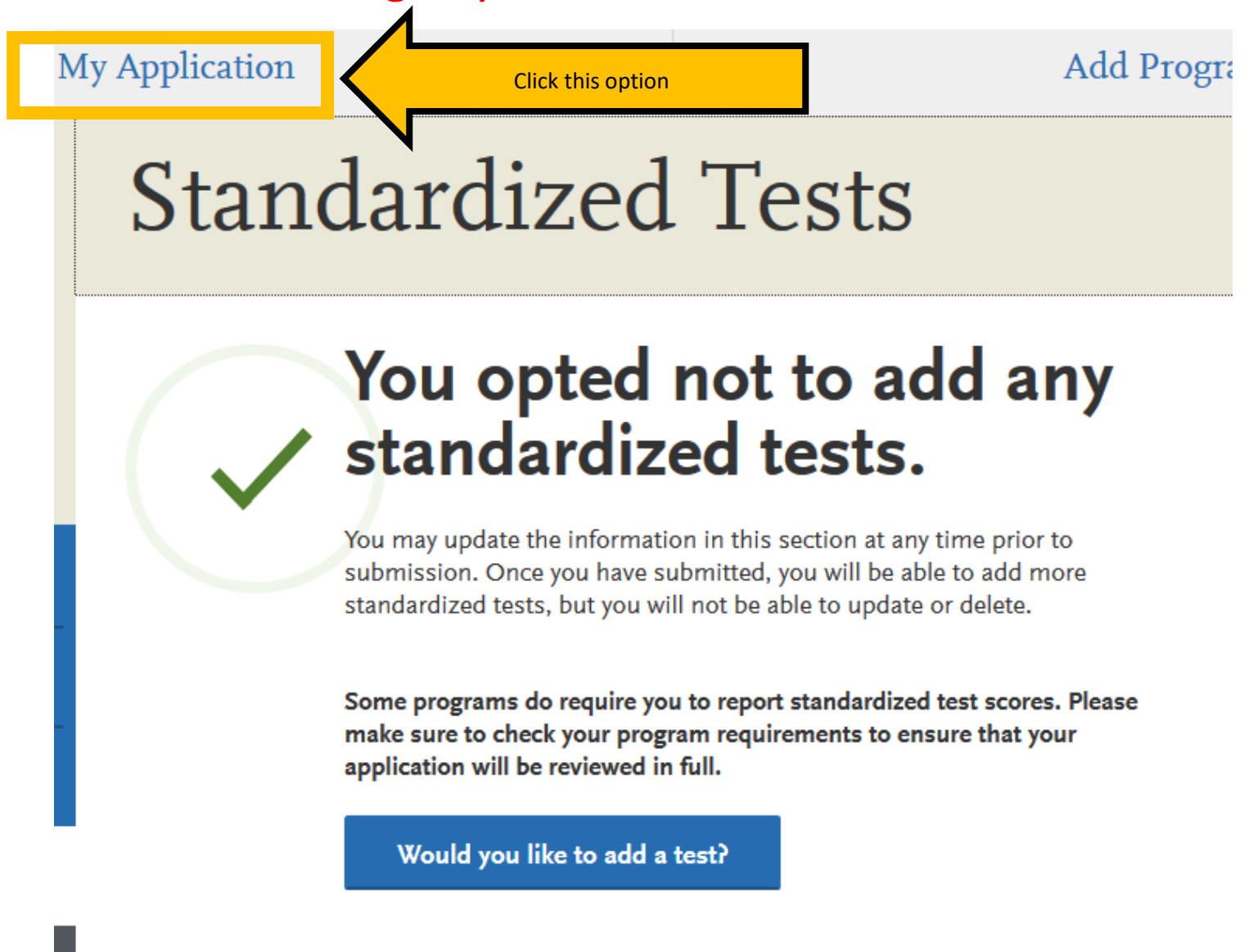
Please provide information about the tests you have taken or plan to take. You may add or update this information at any time prior to submission. Once you have submitted, you will be able to add additional tests as well as update the ones marked "plan to take", but you will not be able to update or delete completed tests.

- **Freshman Applicants:** Please report your SAT and/or ACT results or date you plan to take the test(s). If you do not plan to take the exams, please click on "I Am Not Adding Any Standardized Tests"
- **Transfer Applicants:** If you have completed less than 60 transferrable units, please report your SAT and/or ACT results. If you do not plan to take the exams, please click on "I Am Not Adding Any Standardized Tests"
- **Graduate Applicants:** Please report your GMAT or GRE results or date you plan to take the test(s). If you do not plan to take the exams, please click on "I Am Not Adding Any Standardized Tests"
- **International Applicants:** Please report your IELTS or PTE results or date you plan to take the test(s). If you do not plan to take the exams, please click on "I Am Not Adding Any Standardized Tests"

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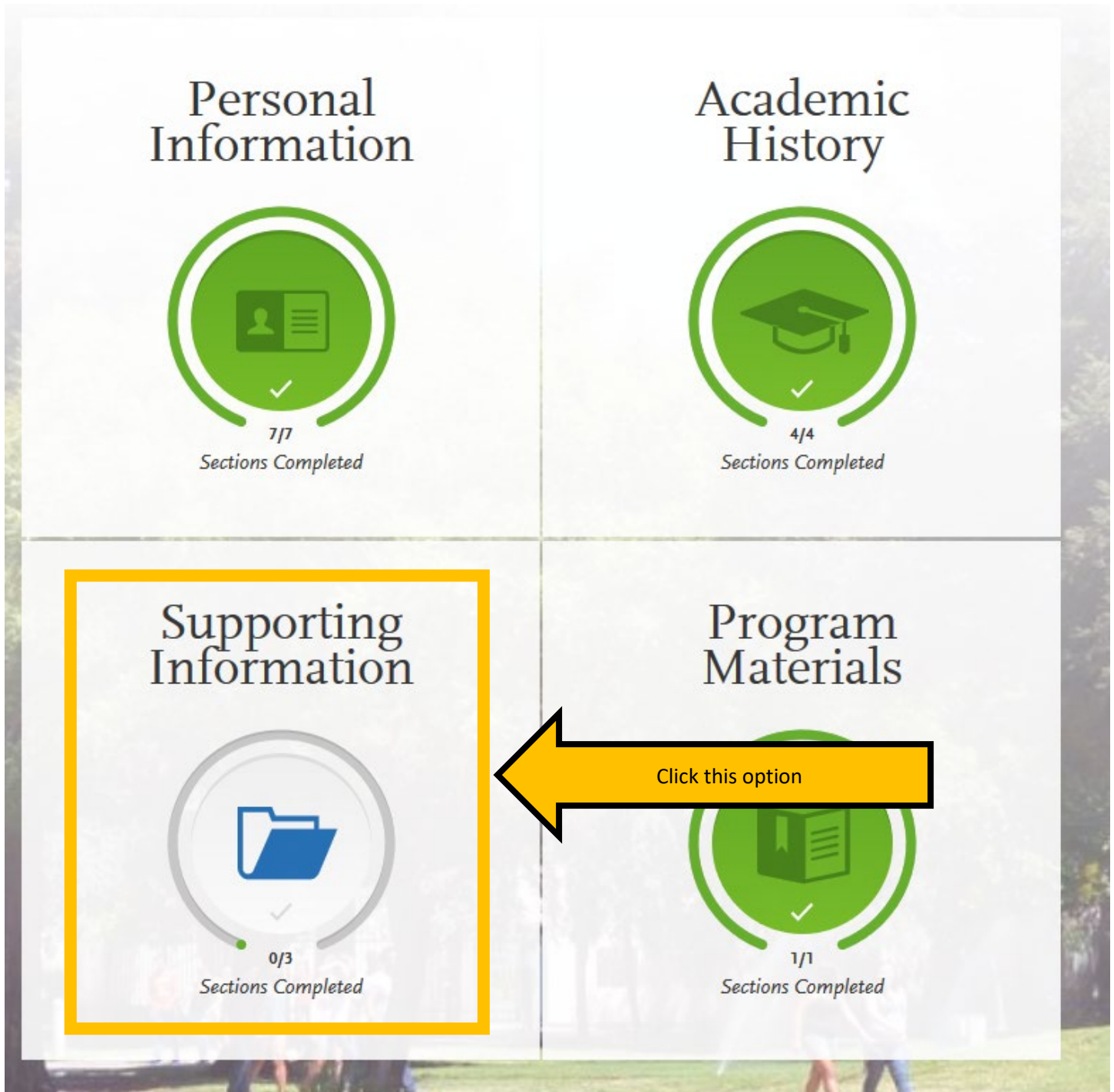
Click this option

You will receive the following message when you select “I am not adding any standardized tests”:



To continue filling out the application, select the “My Application” link at the top of the page to return to the application menu.

Next, select “Supporting Information”



On the Experiences section under Supporting Information, click on “I Am Not Adding Any Experiences” as you will submit your experiences on the [paper, program application packet](#).

**Experiences**

You may update the information in this section at any time prior to submitting your application, but you will not be able to update or delete completed Experiences after the application is submitted. You may use the Experiences section of the application to determine if experiences are required for your program.

**List all applicable employment.** Include military service but omit summer employment. Indicate your present employer, if now employed.

**Experiences**

**Achievements**

**Statement of Purpose**

**+ Add an Experience**

**I Am Not Adding Any Experiences**

Click this option

On the Achievements section under Supporting Information, click on “I Am Not Adding Any Achievements” as you will submit your achievements on the [paper, program application packet](#).

**Achievements**

You may update the information in this section at any time prior to submitting Achievements, but you will not be able to update or delete completed Achievements.

**For Undergraduate applicants:** Achievements reported will not be used for admission decisions.

**Experiences** ✓

**Achievements**

**Statement of Purpose**

**+ Add an Achievement**

**I Am Not Adding Any Achievements**

Click this option



On the Statement of Purpose section under Supporting Information, please write “I am submitting my statement of purpose with my program application packet”. Click on “Save and Continue” as you will submit your Statement of Purpose (Personal Statement) with the [paper, program application packet](#).

## Statement of Purpose

You may update this information at any time prior to submission. Once you have submitted, the information on this page cannot be edited.

Since your statement of purpose is sent to all the programs you apply to, keep it general. If you plan to apply to only one program, you should still keep your statement general in case you later apply to additional programs.

\* Indicates required field.

### Statement of Purpose

\* Write a brief statement of purpose describing reason(s) for pursuing graduate or post baccalaureate study. Include any additional information concerning your preparation that is pertinent to the objective specified

I am submitting my statement of purpose with my program application packet. |

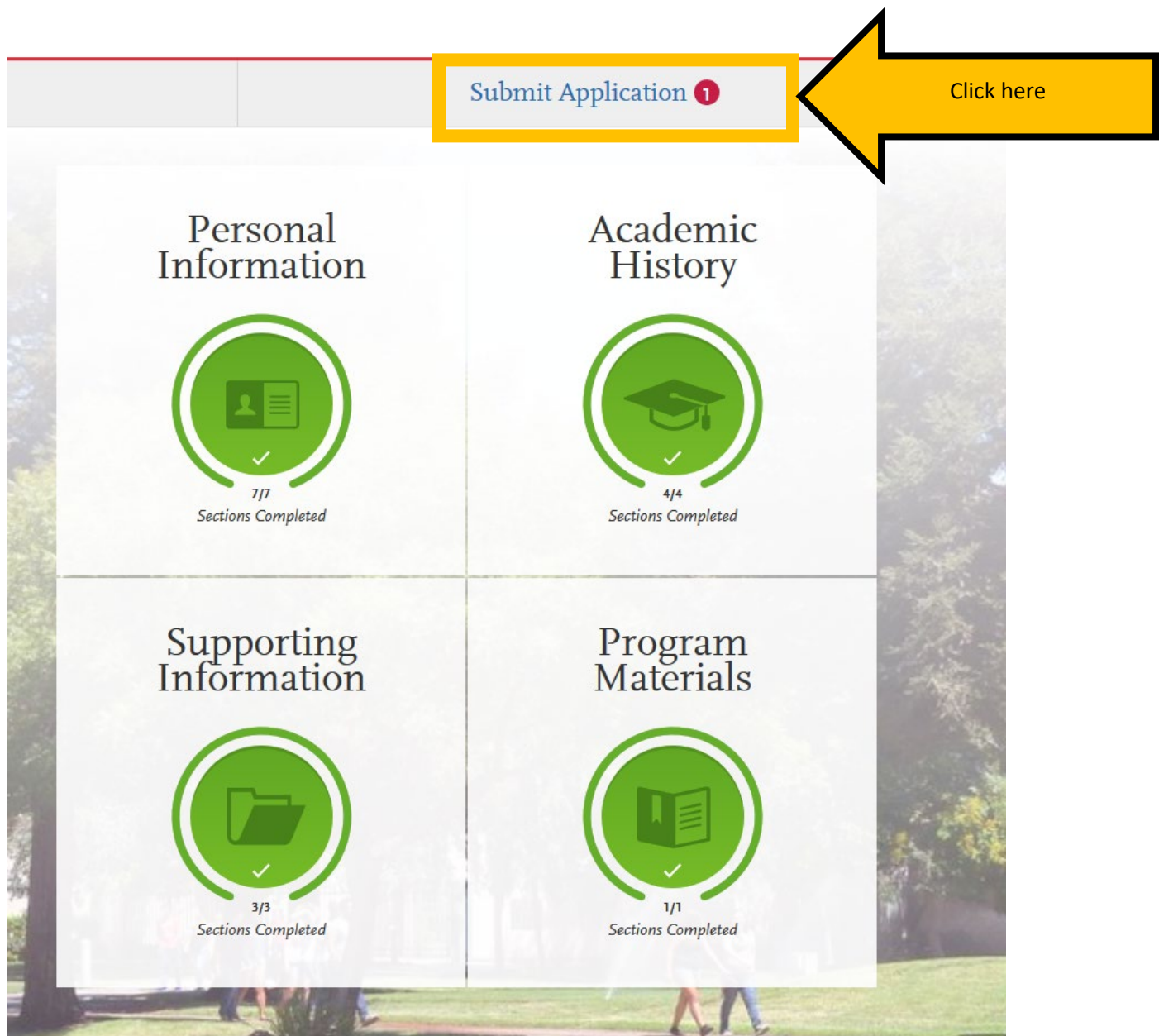
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Save and Continue

Once you have completed all of the sections of the university application, you will see the 4 sections are now entirely in green and the “Submit Application” button is now available.

When you are ready, click “Submit Application” to navigate to the submit and payment page.



Review the information and confirm the progress bar is entirely green When you are ready to submit your university application, click “Submit.”

Review your program selections here, check on status of individual program tasks, and pay for your programs selecti

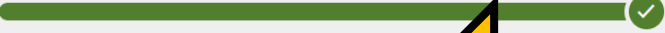
Once your application is submitted, no changes or refunds can be made.

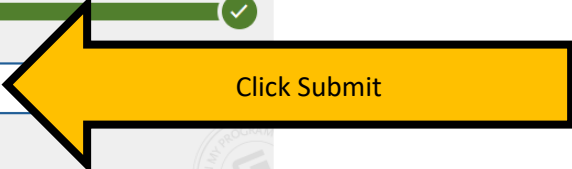
APPLICATIONS READY FOR SUBMISSION	TOTAL FEE(S)
1	\$55

Sort By Deadline

Long Beach Graduate

Education - Dual Language Development i Deadline 10/01/2017



Submit 

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You will be recorded as an applicant to CSULB only after you pay the application fee and receive an email confirmation from Cal State Apply. For Spring 2020 admissions the application fee is \$55. For Fall 2020 admissions the application fee is \$70.