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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Create an account online at www.calstate.edu/apply
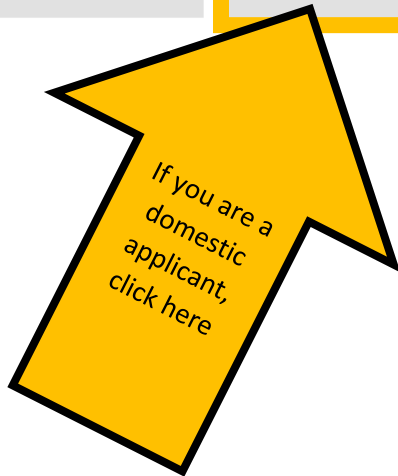
CAL STATE APPLY

Find your future at the California State University.
With 23 campuses and thousands of degree choices, the CSU is a great place to start your journey.
Explore your options below, and start your application today.

See Application Dates & Deadlines »

| Select a Term to Apply For ⌄ | Apply |

Choose the type of student you are to learn more about how to apply to the CSU:

| Freshman | Transfer | Graduate | International | Teaching Credential |

If you are a domestic applicant, click here

If you are an International applicant on an F1 or J1 visa, click here

CAL STATE APPLY

Graduate

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

Select from the drop down menu the term you are applying for

Select a Term to Apply For ⌄   Apply

Click "Apply" to Login-In or create an account

See Application Dates & Deadlines »

Graduate Student Application Checklist »

Cal State Apply Graduate Student Application Guide »

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

Extended Profile

Please provide some additional information in order to set up your application.

The information below is provided to your program's admissions offices. Provide complete and accurate information here.

* Indicates required field

1. 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 and Beyond (e.g. Master's, Teaching Credential, Doctoral)

Select: Second Bachelor's and Beyond

* Please select one or more of the following degree goals.

☐ 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

Select: Graduate

☐ Teaching and Service Credential Only (e.g. Single or Multiple Subject, Special Education, PPS, Librarian, Admin, CalStateTEACH)

☐ Certificate

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.

APPLICATIONS READY FOR SUBMISSION	TOTAL FEE(S)		I am Done, Review My Selections
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Select CSU Long Beach

Select the Start Term

Campus	CSU Long Beach ⌄	Start Term	Start Term ⌄
Source	Source ⌄		

Show ✔ Available Programs   ✕ Past Programs   ✕ Future Programs   Reset Filters

PROGRAM NAME   DEGREE TYPE   TERM   ACADEMIC YEAR   LOCATION   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"

Select the Programs to Which You Want to Apply

Select at least one program to start your application. You can add additional programs from the Add Program tab at any time before the submission deadline.

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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"
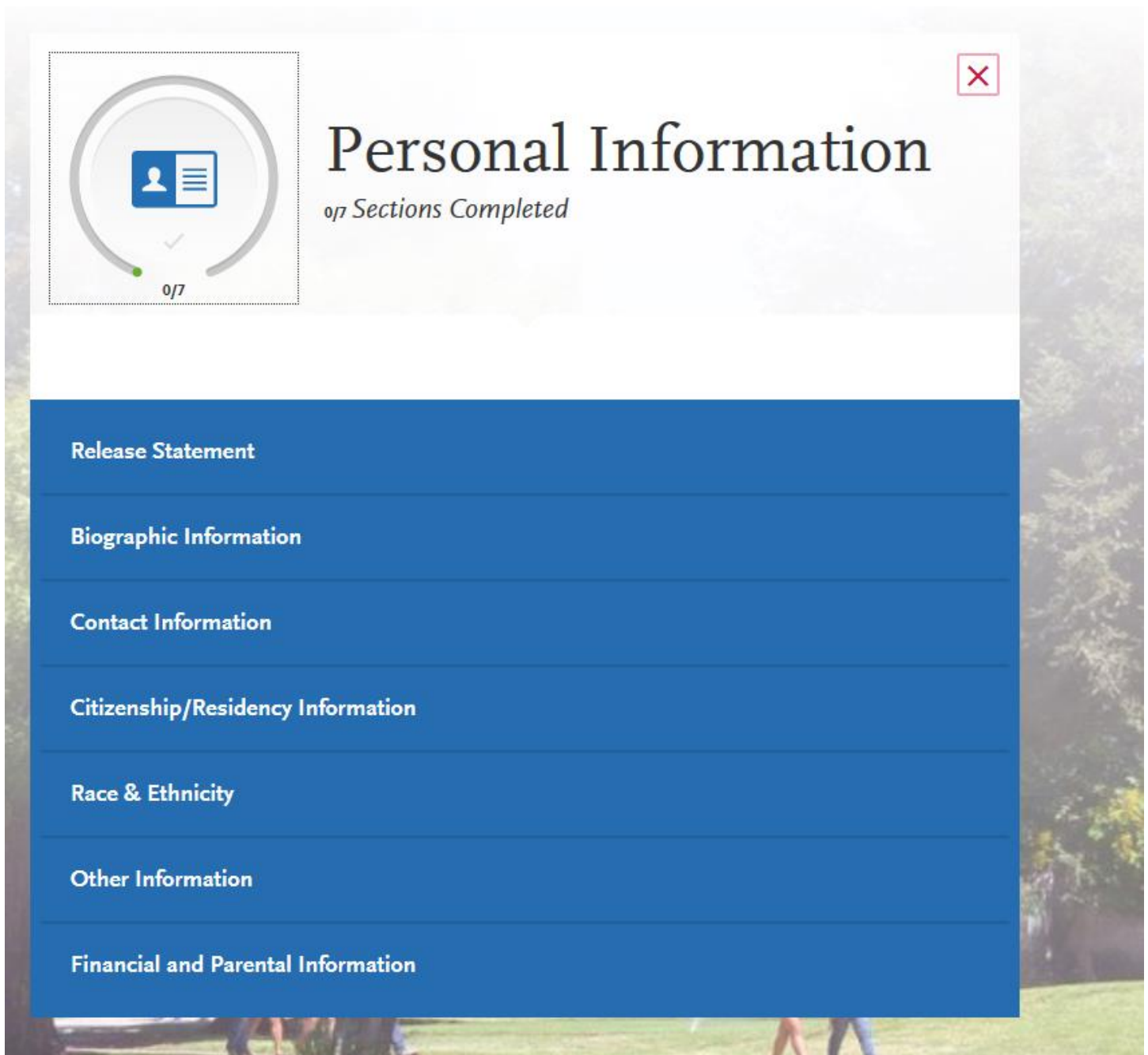
Continue To My Application ›

Sort By   Deadline ▼

The new page will load your "My Application" dashboard, indicating which sections need to be completed: Personal Information, Academic History, Supporting Information, and Program Materials.

Click on each section and complete the information requested.
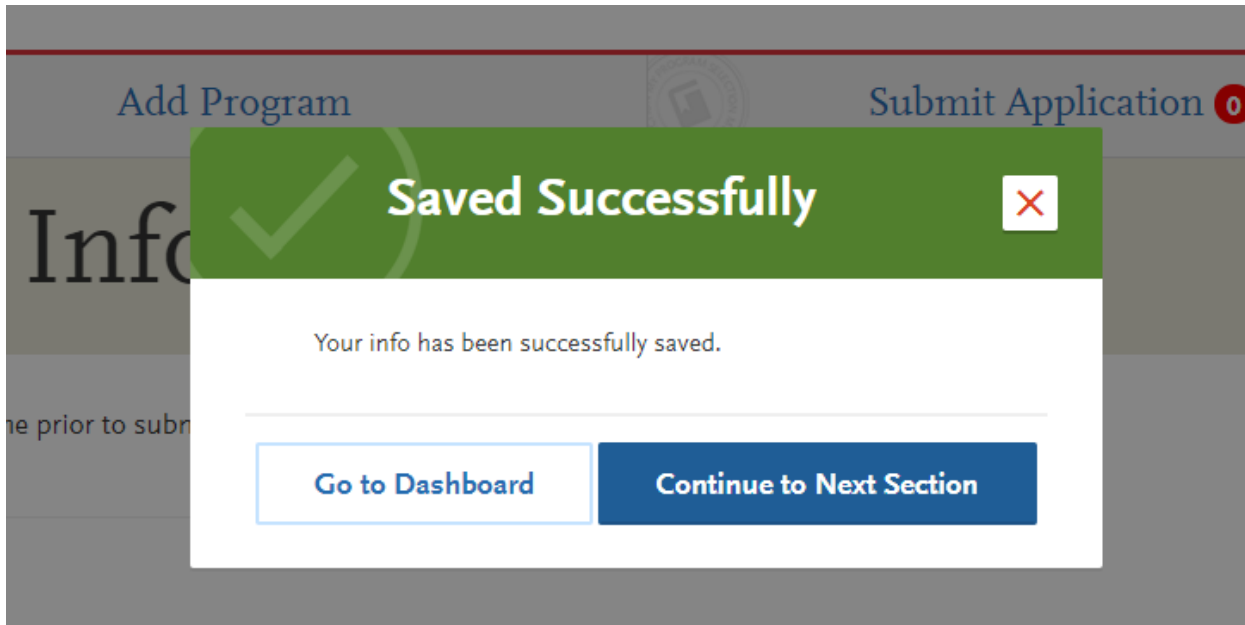
Personal Information Section:

Personal Information

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Release Statement

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:

Add Program   Submit Application ⓞ

Info

✓   **Saved Successfully**   ☒

Your info has been successfully saved.

| Go to Dashboard | Continue to Next Section |

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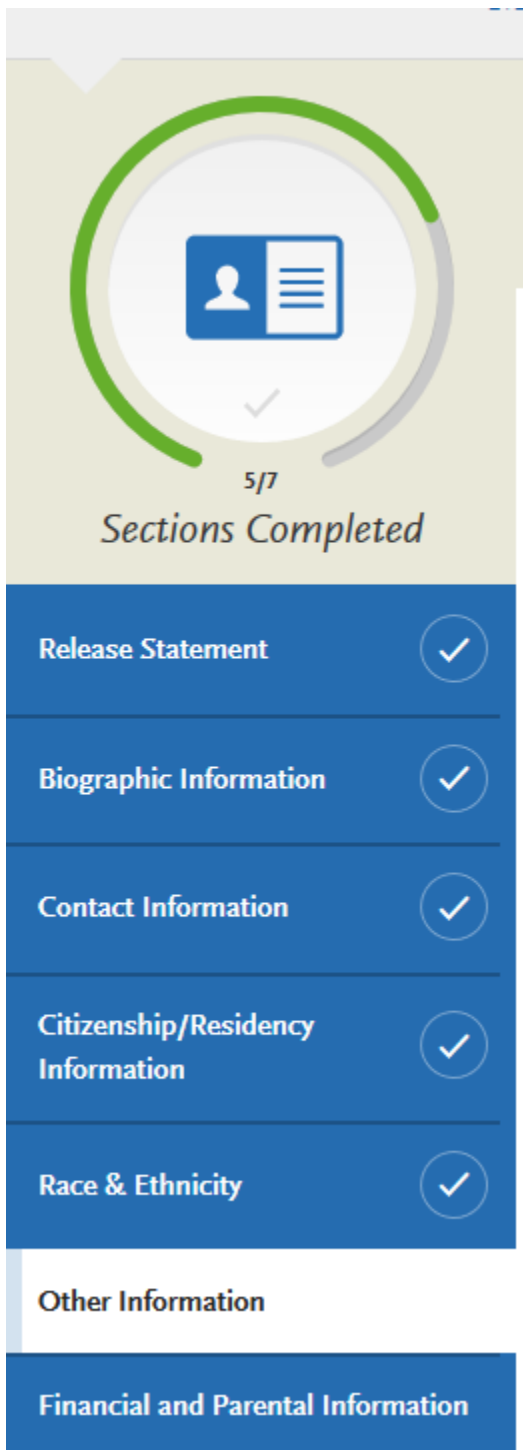
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Sections Completed

Release Statement ✓

Biographic Information ✓

Contact Information ✓

Citizenship/Residency Information ✓

Race & Ethnicity ✓

Other Information

Financial and Parental Information

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

Teacher or Other Education Credential Information

* Select your interest in obtaining your teacher or other educational credential.

Not interested in a credential program

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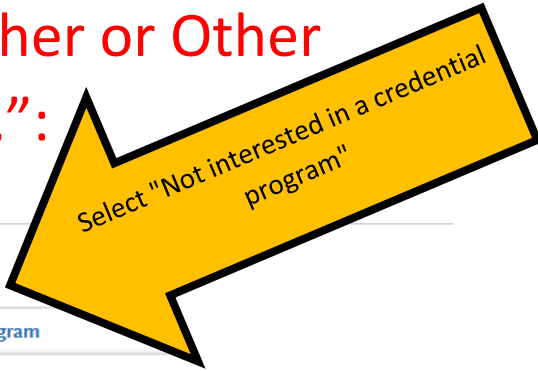
Select "Not interested in a credential program". If you are applying to a Master's + advanced credential program, you will receive both simultaneously and the Master's degree is the program you are applying to.

Continue to fill out the Personal Information Section. Once you have finished the sections, you will be naviagted to the "Academic History" Section:
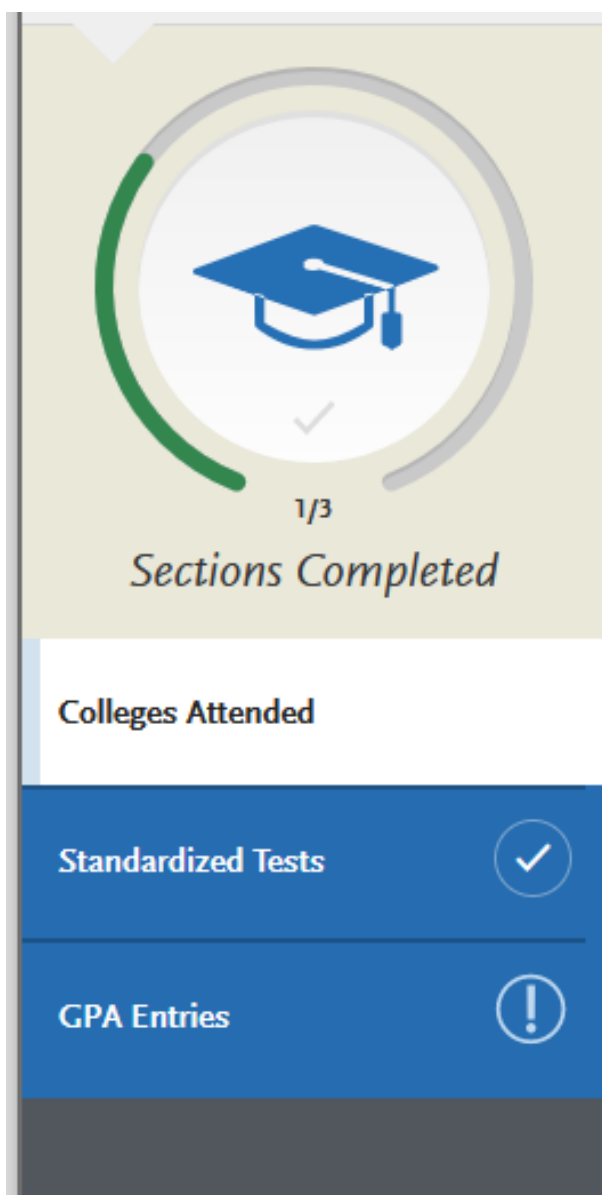
On the Standardized Tests section, click on "I Am Not Adding Any Standardized Tests".

Standardized Tests

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Sections Completed

Colleges Attended

Standardized Tests ✓

GPA Entries ⚠

You can self-report your standardized test scores or report tests you plan to take in this section. Some of the programs you apply to may require you to report certain test scores; be sure to check with your programs to ensure you are completing all requirements. Visit the Applicant Help Center for more information.

- **Freshman Applicants: ACT and SAT test scores will not be used for any admission purposes and applicants are not required to submit these scores.** If you took the ACT or SAT and already sent your scores to a CSU campus, you can add your information and College Board or ACT ID number below. If you have not sent your scores to a CSU campus, no further action is needed at this time. If you are accepted and you elect to submit your SAT and ACT scores, these results will only be used as one of the measures to place you in the proper mathematics and English courses.

- **Transfer Applicants:** if you completed less than 60 transferrable units and took the SAT and/or ACT, report your results here. While SAT and ACT scores are not required, we encourage you to report any results here. If you do not plan to take the exams, click **I Am Not Adding Any Standardized Tests.**

- **Graduate Applicants:** report your GMAT and GRE results or the date you plan to take the tests. If you do not plan to take the exams, click **I Am Not Adding Any Standardized Tests.**

- **International Applicants:** report your IELTS and PTE results or the date you plan to take the exams, click **I Am Not Adding Any Standardized Tests.**
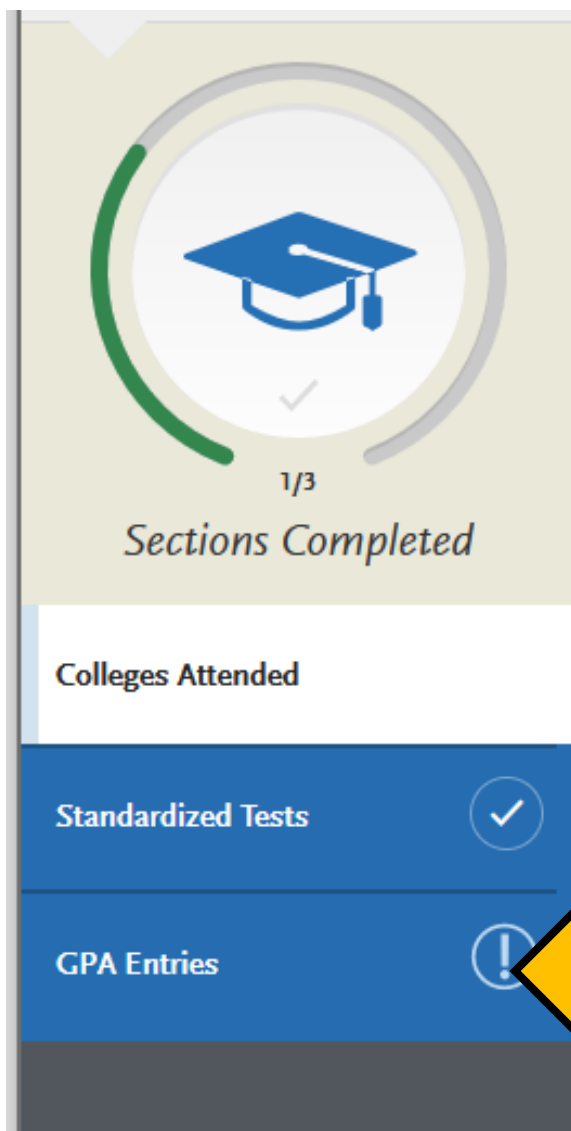
Once you submit your application, you cannot edit previously entered tests, but you can add new tests.

Note that self-reporting your scores isn't the same as providing official scores to your pro... ...Scores for more information.

I Am Not Adding Any Standardized Tests

Click this option

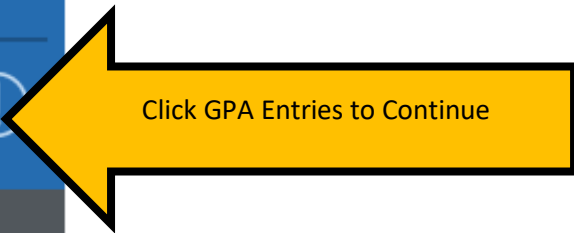# Click on GPA Entries to continue through Academic History section.

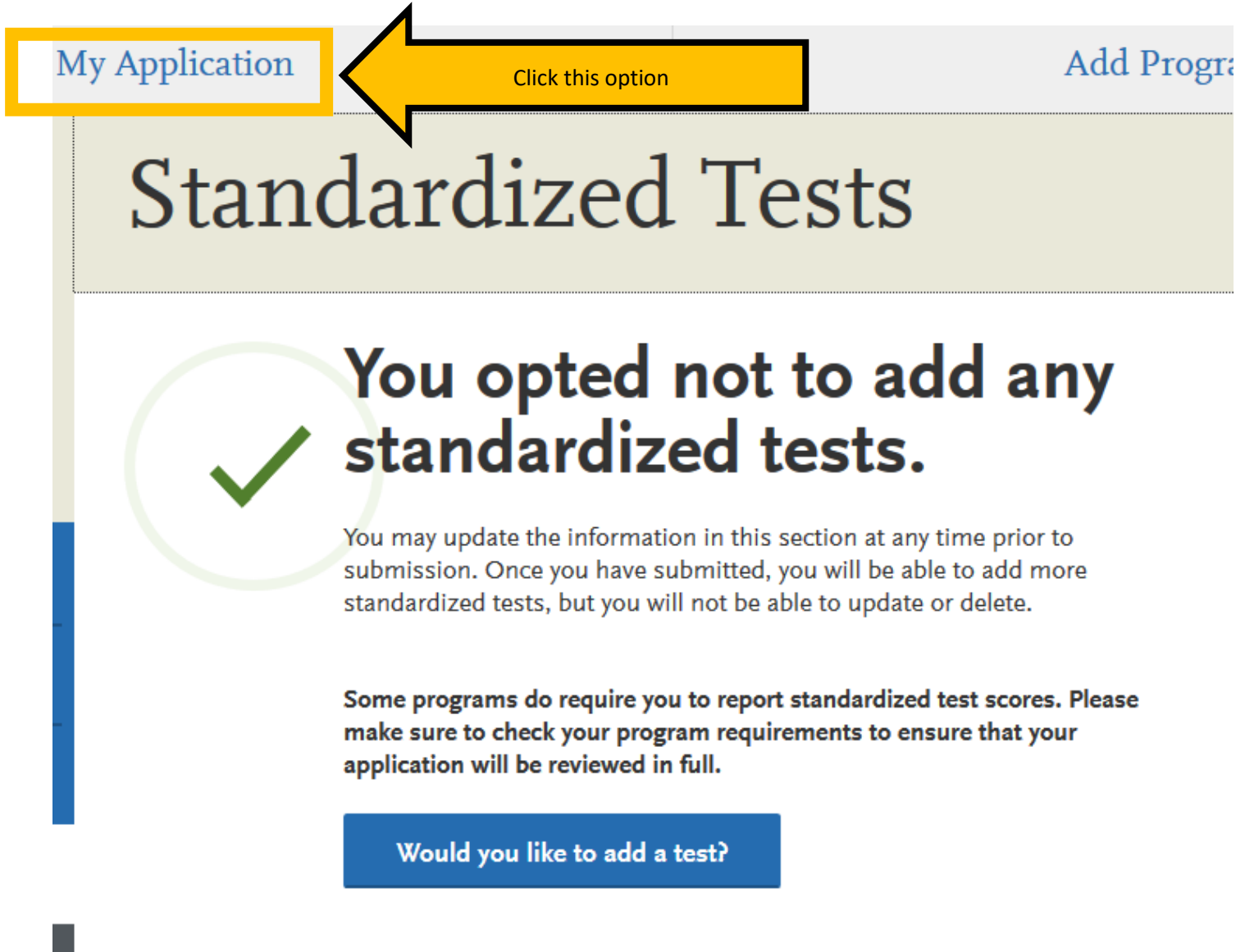**1/3**

Sections Completed

Colleges Attended

Standardized Tests ✓

GPA Entries ⚠

Click GPA Entries to Continue

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

My Application **Click this option** Add Progra

Standardized Tests

✓ # You opted not to add any standardized tests.

You may update the information in this section at any time prior to submission. Once you have submitted, you will be able to add more standardized tests, but you will not be able to update or delete.

Some programs do require you to report standardized test scores. Please make sure to check your program requirements to ensure that your application will be reviewed in full.

Would you like to add a test?

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"

Personal
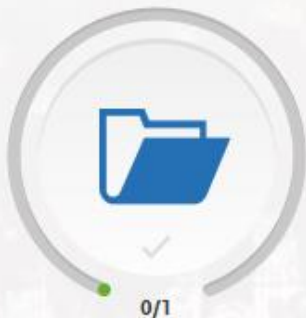Information

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Sections Completed

Academic
History

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Sections Completed

Supporting
Information

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Sections Completed

Click this option

Program
Materials

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Sections Completed

On the Experiences section under Supporting Information, click on "I Am Not Adding Any Experiences" as you will submit your experiences on via your Résumé in the Program Materials section.

Experiences

You may update the information in this section at any time prior to submis Experiences, but you will not be able to update or delete completed Experi of the application to determine if experiences are required for your progra

Enter your professional employment experiences in several categories, or t employer, if applicable. Do not include summer and part-time work not rel Help Center for more information.

Once you submit your application, you cannot edit previously entered expe

(+) Add an Experience

I Am Not Adding Any Experiences

Click this option

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Experiences

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 "Program Materials".

My Application	Add Program	Submit Application	Check Status

My Application

This dashboard is your application home providing access to each part of the application you need to complete and a high level overview of your progress.

Latest Notifications

- Your Cal State Apply application is ready for your review — Today
- We're transferring your Cal State Apply information — Today
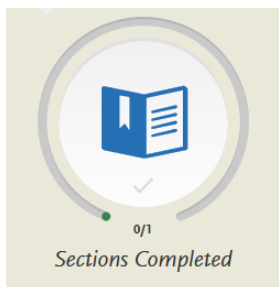
View My Notifications

Program Materials
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Counseling - School Counseling
Long Beach Graduate

Click on your selected program

Then navigate to the "Home" tab. This section will provide additional details about the program and required application materials that will be submitted in the "Documents" tab.

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Counseling - School Counseling
Long Beach Graduate

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Counseling - School Counseling   Deadline: 12/01/2021

| Home | Documents | Recommendations |

CSULB College of Education

The College of Education at CSU Long Beach is amongst the premier educator preparation institutions in the state, preparing teachers, counselors, administrators and community leaders to promote equity and excellence in education. The College of Education fosters an environment of rigorous learning, intellectual dialogue, and inclusivity that embraces its mission to prepare professional educators and practitioners who promote equity and excellence in diverse urban settings through effective pedagogy, evidence-based practices, collaboration, leadership, innovation, scholarship, and advocacy. Visit the College of Education website to learn more.

Master of Science in Counseling, Option in School Counseling plus

Pupil Personnel Services (PPS) credential

The School Counseling program culminates in a Master's degree and prepares students to receive a California Pupil Personnel Services (PPS) credential in School Counseling. The program prepares school counselors to implement an evidence-based comprehensive school counseling program aligned with the American School Counselor Association (ASCA) National Model. Emphasis is placed on addressing the academic, career and social/emotional development of all students. In addition, this program prepares school counselors to be leaders, advocates, collaborators, and systems change agents in K-12 school settings. The 60-66 unit program is designed to be completed in 2 years, which includes 2 years of full time (12-15 units per semester) coursework, 100 hours of practicum, and 800 hours of fieldwork. Please note that the practicum and fieldwork experiences require that students be available to complete hours during the typical K-12 public school day (8AM-3PM).

Please visit the program website to learn more.

How do I apply?
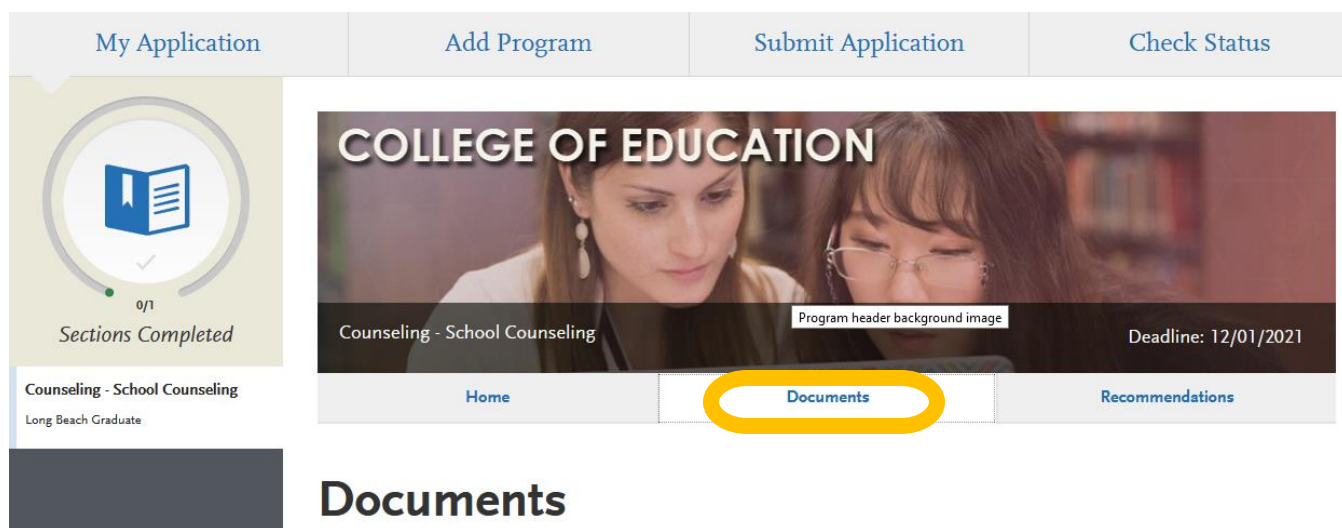
By the deadline listed above, you must complete this Cal State Apply application and submit the following:

- Upload the following on the '**Documents**' tab:

  ○ Statement of purpose (prompts provided on 'Documents' tab)

  ○ Résumé   Required documents

  ○ Upload Basic Skills Requirement Worksheet.

  ○ Unofficial Transcript(s)
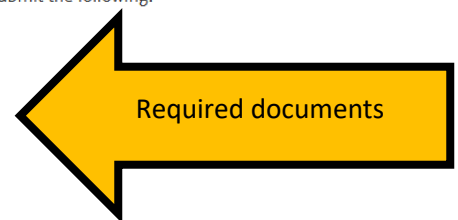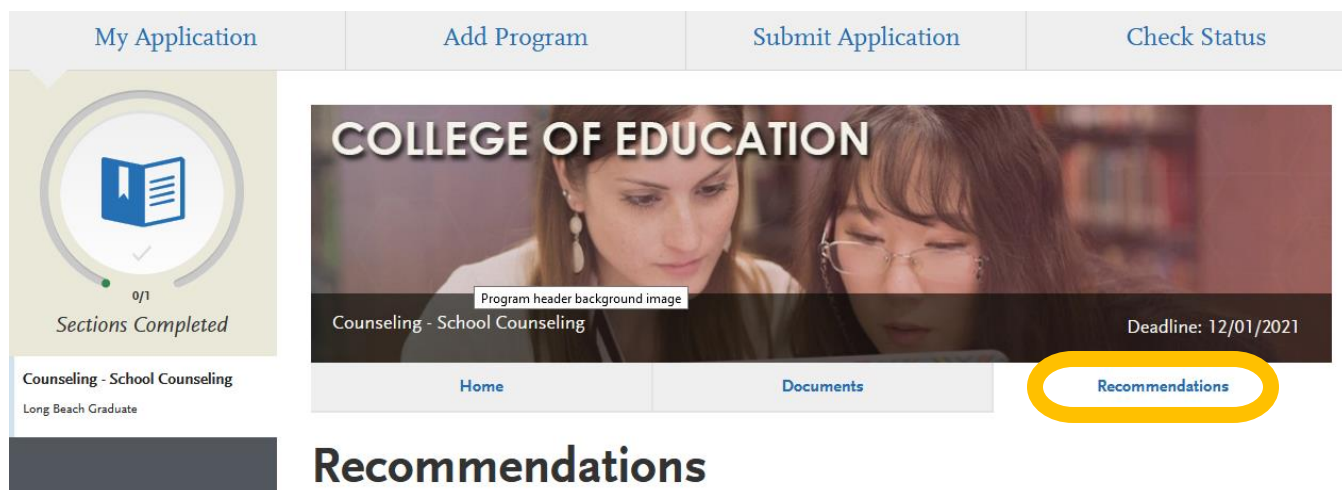
Next, navigate to the "Documents" tab. This is where you will upload your Résumé, Statement of Purpose, and any additional documents required for your program.

My Application	Add Program	Submit Application	Check Status

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Counseling - School Counseling   Program header background image   Deadline: 12/01/2021

Home	Documents	Recommendations

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Counseling - School Counseling
Long Beach Graduate

Documents

Next, navigate to the "Recommendations" tab.

My Application	Add Program	Submit Application	Check Status

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Recommendations

In this section you will be required to enter the names and e-mail addresses of two unique recommenders. The system will automatically send an email to your recommenders. You will be able to enter a deadline date by which you would like your recommenders to complete the recommendation request, and instructions for the recommendation. You will receive an automated email once the recommendation has been completed.

My Application	Add Program

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Recommendations

Enter the names and e-mail addresses for **two** recommenders below. ...tions are preferred from a supervisor in a professional setting, a university faculty member, or s...eone... ...city that can speak to your qualities and character that will make you a good candidate for the program... ...sion. Recommendations should not be submitted by family members or personal friends. We encoura... ...possible letters regardless of the source. Therefore, we suggest speaking with your recommenders before...

When specifying the Due Date, enter 12/1/2021.

Deadline date

You may complete and submit your Cal State Apply before your recommenders submit their letters.

Lastly, please copy and paste the instructions below to include in the email request to your recommenders.

Instructions for recommenders

Please provide an accurate assessment of the applicant's skills, strengths, and areas in need of improvement relevant to being successful in graduate school and in a career in school counseling. Your candid comments will enhance our ability to more effec... evaluate the applicant's file and are greatly appreciated.
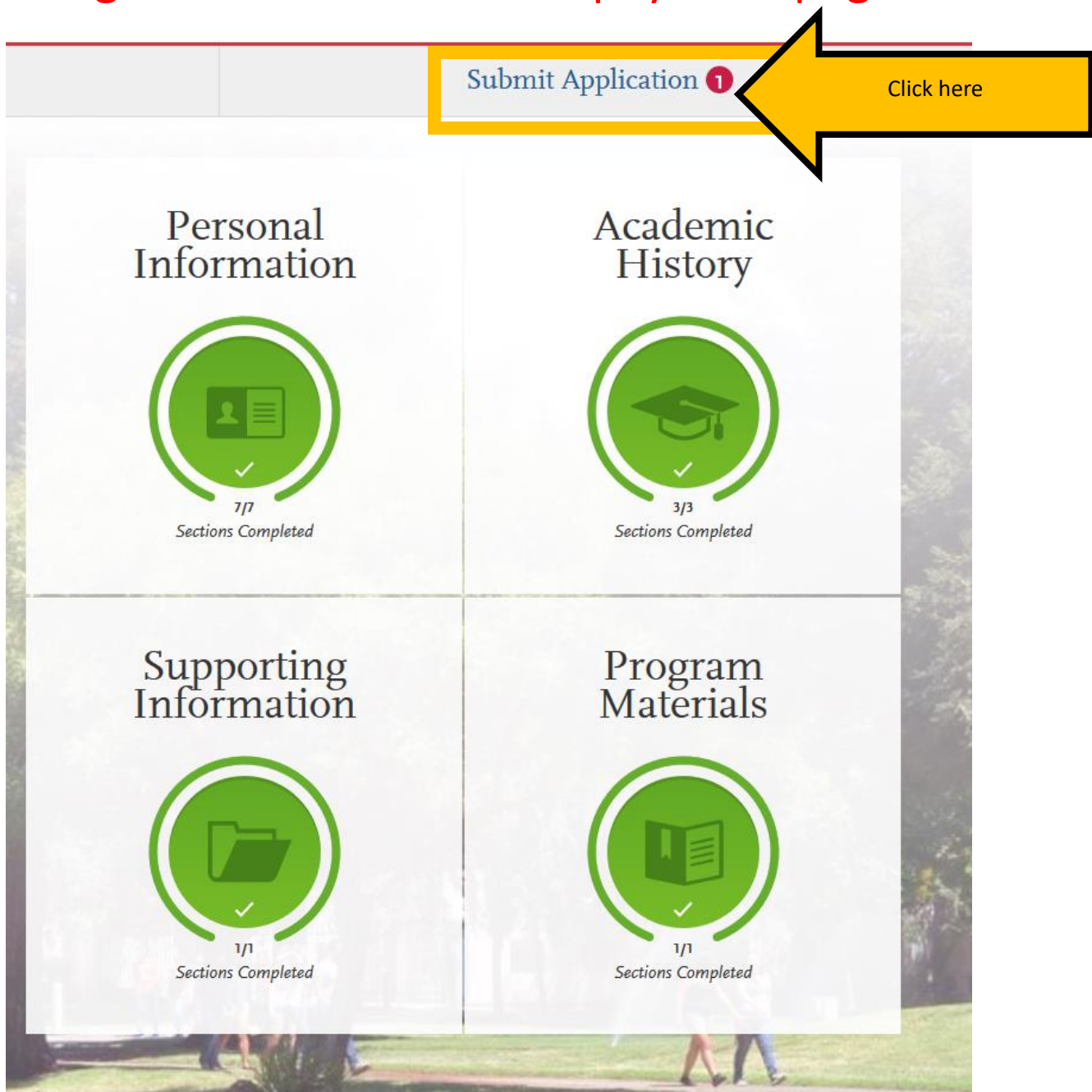
Once you have saved an electronic recommendation, an email request will automatically be sent to the recommender on your behalf. Please advise your recommender to look for this email in their inbox, as well as their spam or junk-mail folder, as emails do occasionally get filtered out.

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.

Submit Application ❶   Click here

Personal Information

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Sections Completed

Academic History

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Sections Completed

Supporting Information

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Sections Completed

Program Materials

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Sections Completed

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

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TOTAL FEE(S)

$70

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Long Beach Graduate

Counseling Psychology ℹ

Click Submit

Submit

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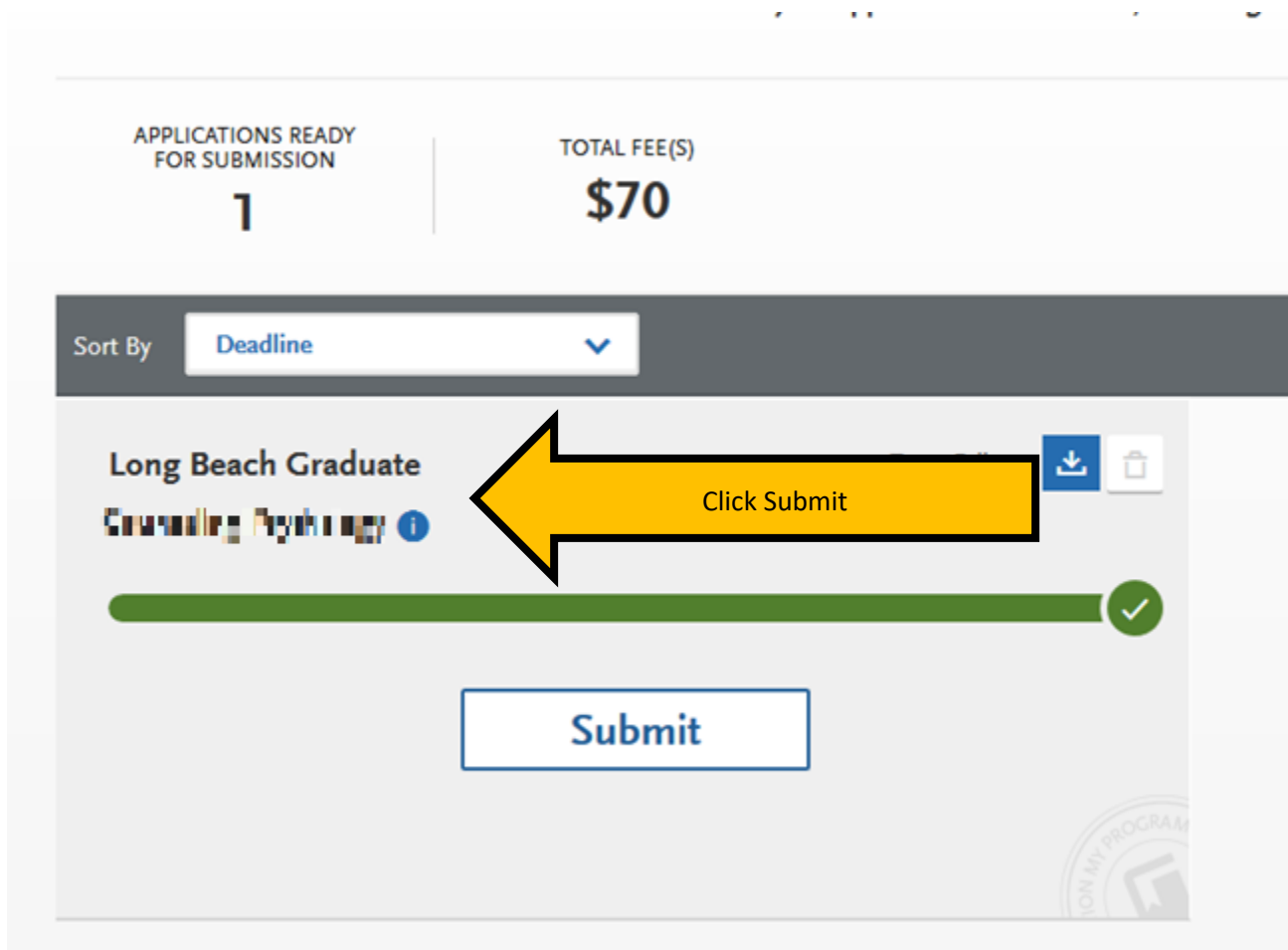
You will be recorded as an applicant to CSULB only after you pay the application fee and receive an email confirmation from Cal State Apply. The application fee is $70.