# 10 Reasons to Participate

- Meet other college-bound students.
- Achieve success by learning to take control of your academic life.
- Get acquainted with the CSU Fullerton campus and university services.
- Meet university faculty.
- Prepare yourself for success in college.
- **6** Explore a variety of career options.
- Improve your problem solving abilities.
- Meet successful role models.
- Strengthen your memory and mathematics skills.
- Have FUN!



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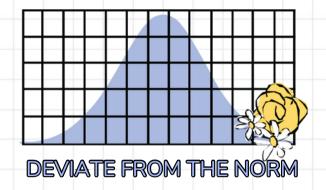
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MATHEMATICS INTENSIVE SUMMER SESSION

### What is MISS?

California State University, Fullerton (CSUF) sponsors an exciting program called the "Mathematics Intensive Summer Session" (MISS). The purpose of this program is to assist college-bound students to enhance their mathematical skills.

For the past thirty-four years, CSUF has offered this program to high school and middle school students, including many who will be the first in their family to attend college. The immediate goal of the program is to increase students' abilities to learn and use mathematical concepts, thereby supporting their achievement in high school college preparatory coursework. The long-term goal of the program is to increase the population of female students who choose careers in natural sciences, engineering, and mathematics (STEM).

MISS is a four-week commuter program, which will begin on Monday, July 8, 2024 and end on Friday, August 2, 2024. Students will attend six hours of mathematics class daily, Monday through Friday from 8:00 am to 3:00 pm. This enrichment program is intended to help students strengthen their foundational understanding of their next course of math.

Meals, books, materials, and supplies are provided at no cost to the student. Every first-time MISS student that successfully completes the program will receive a free graphing calculator.

#### What kind of mathematics will be taught?

The mathematics content to be taught this summer will be selected topics in Algebra 2/Math 3 and Pre-Calculus that relate to the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics.

To be eligible to participate in the MISS program, students must:

- Have completed one of the classes below with a "C" or better by June 2024.
  - Geometry/Math 2 to attend
     Preparation for Algebra 2/Math 3
     OR -
  - Algebra 2/Math 3 to attend
     Preparation for Pre-Calculus
- Be enrolled in college preparatory classes in high school or middle school.
- Be planning to attend a university upon completing high school.
- Be willing to work hard to improve mathematical skills.

## Criteria for Selection

All eligible middle and high school students are encouraged to apply. Project MISS does not consider gender, sex, or any other protected status as part of the application and selection process for the program.

## How to Apply

The application packet must include:



An admission application.



A recommendation form (must be filled out and emailed directly by student's math or science teacher or counselor).



A one-page essay on why you are interested in the MISS Program. In your essay, please include what you will contribute to the program and what you hope to gain.



A copy of your high school transcript (can be an unofficial copy; must show GPA and previous/current math classes).

To receive an application packet, visit our website at www.fullerton.edu/miss.

Submit completed application packets by email or mail to:

miss@fullerton.edu

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Applications must be submitted by Friday, June 7, 2024.

Informational orientation at CSUF on Friday, June 28, 2024.