Welcome
TO ST. JOHN’S COLLEGE

“The St. John’s College program is a true education. So many institutions prepare one for a specific field of study, but not how to be a person, to hold one's own in conversation, to live virtuously and to question the world around us.”

— Maxfield Hubych, Class of 2018
Congratulations on your admission to St. John’s College.

As Presidents of St. John’s, we don’t just welcome new students into our college, we welcome the whole family. As you and your family consider joining the St. John’s community, we invite you to learn more about us. Read the materials we send in the mail, but also connect with admissions to speak with a student, faculty member or alum. Or contact us directly—we are always eager to converse with students, and their families.

As parents ourselves, we want to share with you three qualities that make St. John’s the best education in America.

First, we nourish the spirit of wonder in our students. We do this by placing many of the world’s most significant books and ideas at the center of our curriculum, and we encourage an ongoing conversation that does not stop at the classroom door. At no other college do students and faculty read and discuss with such intense passion authors such as Plato, Shakespeare, Austen, and Einstein.

Second, not only does this education create students who are deep thinkers, great writers, and good citizens, it prepares students for the future. We develop the skills that are essential for success in our dynamic, ever-changing world: critical thinking, collaboration, communication, and creativity. As a result, our alumni are leaders in business, science, law, journalism, government, education, and in nearly every field of human endeavor.

Third, we firmly believe that this Great Books education should be available to the best and brightest regardless of background. That is why we announced in 2018 that the college is raising $300 million toward financial aid, enabling St. John’s to reduce tuition for the first time in its history. The students we admit to the college are receiving about $24,000 from alumni in order to reduce tuition to $35,000. Many pay less with financial aid. Don’t take our word for it. You can read what Frank Bruni wrote in the New York Times in September 2018: sjc.edu/nyt

We are delighted to welcome you and your family to our community.

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HOW DO I KNOW IF ST. JOHN’S IS THE RIGHT COLLEGE FOR ME?

We know you have so many options in front of you. While we consider you an ideal Johnnie, we want to make sure you have examined us and asked every question before you make your final decision for the fall. Luckily we love questions!

- Take the time to chat with us. Your admission counselor has virtual appointments every week. They can answer your questions, review costs and next steps, and provide details on all that we can offer you this fall. Sign up at sjc.edu/admissions-staff.
- Take a virtual tour or check out our grounds tours to chat with a current student. Sign up at sjc.edu/visit.
- Join all of our spring and summer events including virtual book clubs, conversations with the dean and tutors, Saturday seminars, lectures and more. Check your email for invitations or register at sjc.edu/admitted.
- Join our Class of 2025 Facebook and Discord group to chat with future classmates. Join at sjc.edu/admitted.
- Dig into the reading list at sjc.edu/academics.
- Read about the success of St. John’s alumni at sjc.edu/career-success.
- Email us at admissions@sjc.edu if you want to chat more with a current student or tutor.
- If your family has additional questions, they are welcome to contact us, too!
HOW DO I APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID?

St. John’s makes college affordable for all students, but we know the financial aid process can feel daunting. We are here to help! Contact us at any time with questions. If you have not applied for financial aid, you should start that process as quickly as possible.

**Step 1:** Submit the CSS Profile to St. John’s College. The code for the Annapolis campus is **5598**, and the code for the Santa Fe campus is **4737**.

**Step 2:** You will be notified when the Financial Aid office has received your CSS Profile. At that time, we may request additional information.

**Step 3:** You will receive your financial aid offer on your application portal at admissions.sjc.edu/status. Review your offer with your admission counselor, and then accept your offer by signing the letter and submitting it to the Financial Aid office.

*If you have any questions, please contact Financial Aid.*

- **Annapolis:** 410-626-2502  
  annapolis.financialaid@sjc.edu
- **Santa Fe:** 505-984-6058  
  santafe.financialaid@sjc.edu
I’M READY TO BECOME A JOHNNIE! HOW DO I ENROLL?

We encourage students to begin the enrollment process online, as it’s the fastest and easiest way to submit the required materials.

We encourage you to complete these steps by May 1.

> Login to your application portal at admissions.sjc.edu/status
> Submit the reply form to accept your offer of admission.
> Pay your $500 deposit online to secure your place in the Class of 2025.
> If you applied for financial aid, follow the instructions on the financial aid letter to accept the offer.
> Obtain your F1 visa (if applicable). Upload required documentation to admissions.sjc.edu/status (beginning May 1).
> Submit your final high school and college transcripts by June 1.
> Submit housing, health, and registration forms no later than August 1 (available on MySJC in May).
> Finalize payment plans or make a fall payment by August 1.

Additional details about move-in dates along with fall orientation and registration dates for August will be sent later this summer.
WHO DO I CALL IF I HAVE MORE QUESTIONS?

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