



HOW DO I START MY ENROLLMENT?

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

- > Go to your online application portal/status page at [admissions.sjc.edu/status](https://admissions.sjc.edu/status)
- > Submit the reply form to accept your offer of admission.
- > Pay your non-refundable \$500 deposit online to secure your place in the Class of 2023. If you prefer to pay your deposit by phone using a credit card, call the admissions office between 9 am-5 pm MT. If paying by check, please make your check payable to St. John's College and mail directly to the campus.
- > If you applied for financial aid, sign and return your financial aid agreement.

WHAT DO I HAVE TO DO?  
AND WHEN AM I SUPPOSED TO DO IT?

Use this handy checklist to track important dates and deadlines and what items require action on your part.

Complete Enrollment Agreement & submit Enrollment Deposit	December 15
International Students: Submit documentation for the I-20	ASAP
Submit final transcript and/or other materials required for admission	January 11 (or upon completion of high school)
Start a tuition payment plan	December 1
Pay tuition balance if not using payment plan	December 1
Submit housing questionnaire	December 15
Submit health forms	December 15
Complete registration forms on your application portal	December 15
Housing Move-In	January 17
New Student Registration	January 17
New Student Orientation	January 17-20
Convocation	January 20
First Day of Classes (beginning with seminar)	January 20



*"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, and to question the world around us."*

— Maxfield Hubych, Class of 2018



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WHO DO I CALL IF I HAVE  
MORE QUESTIONS?

**SANTA FE**  
Office of Admissions  
Phone: 505-984-6060  
Toll Free: 800-331-5232  
[santafe.admissions@sjc.edu](mailto:santafe.admissions@sjc.edu)  
  
Financial Aid  
Phone: 505-984-6058  
[santafe.financialaid@sjc.edu](mailto:santafe.financialaid@sjc.edu)  
  
Residential Life  
Phone: 505-984-6925  
  
Student Accounts  
Phone: 505-984-6143  
  
Student Health Office  
Phone: 505-984-6418  
  
Student Life  
Phone: 505-984-6052

**St. John's College, Santa Fe**  
1160 Camino de Cruz Blanca  
Santa Fe, NM 87505



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# Congratulations!



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 visit 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](https://www.nytimes.com/2018/09/09/us/politics/st-johns-college-financial-aid.html)

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

Sincerely,

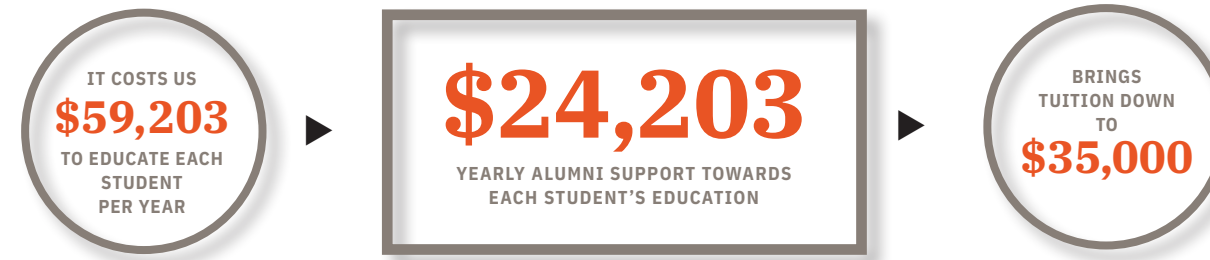
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“What a gift. What an education.”

—FRANK BRUNI, *NEW YORK TIMES*

LET US SHOW YOU HOW ALUMNI GIFTS ARE REDUCING  
THE COST OF A ST. JOHN'S EDUCATION:



## HOW DO I APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID?

We encourage all students to be actively involved in the financial aid process and understand how these decisions will affect them during and after college. We also understand that parents sometimes have additional questions and concerns in assisting students to make their education a reality. We are here to help! Need-based financial aid is awarded on a first-come, first-serve basis. It is in your family's best interest to file the financial aid application as early as possible. If applying for financial aid, please follow the steps outlined below.

**Step 1:** U.S. citizens and permanent residents: File the FAFSA at [fafsa.gov](https://fafsa.gov) as soon as possible to qualify for the 2019-20 school year. The federal code for St. John's College in Santa Fe is 002093.

If this is your first time completing the FAFSA, both students and parent will need to apply for an FSA ID at [fsaid.ed.gov](https://fsaid.ed.gov). This will serve as your electronic signature.

**International Students:** Visit [collegeboard.org](https://collegeboard.org) and complete the CSS PROFILE as soon as possible.

Students will be asked to create a username and password. Make sure to save them, because they will be needed to reapply for financial aid each year. Once signed in, the site will guide you through the appropriate steps to complete the PROFILE.

**Step 2:** Once the Financial Aid Office has received the FAFSA or CSS PROFILE, you will be notified. Examples of additional information we may need are copies of parents' and students' Federal Tax transcripts, W-2 forms, or verification of siblings' college enrollment.

If you have any questions regarding the financial aid process, please contact  
our Financial Aid Office in Santa Fe at 505-984-6058, [santafe.financialaid@sjc.edu](mailto:santafe.financialaid@sjc.edu).



## Visit

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

Visiting campus is the best way to determine whether St. John's is the right fit for you. Register for any of the visit opportunities at [sjc.edu/visit](https://sjc.edu/visit)

**Day Visit:** Take a tour, talk to current students, and meet with an admissions counselor. You can also sit in on a class, eat in the dining hall, and meet with a faculty member. Be sure to allow some time to explore Santa Fe.

**Overnight Visit:** In addition to the activities of the day visit, you spend the night in a residence hall and observe more classes, including seminar. The overnight provides an insider's view of life at St. John's College.

If visiting is a hardship, ask us about our Apply & Fly program, which provides financial assistance for travel expenses.

*“The way I read has  
drastically changed.  
I used to just take in  
information and  
regurgitate it. Now,  
I have a dialogue  
with the text.”*

~ Rodjinaé Brown,  
Class of 2016