



# San Francisco State University Self-Guided Campus Tour

## 1. Student Services

Home of the One Stop Student Services Center. Find out the status of your admissions or financial aid applications, order transcripts and more. This building houses bursar/cashier services, the Disability Programs and Resource Center (DPRC), Counseling and Psychological Services, Career Services and Leadership Development, OneCard services, the Registrar's Office, Undergraduate Admissions and Recruitment, and Veterans Services.

## 2. Burk Hall

This building is home to the Graduate College of Education, the Family, Interiors, Nutrition and Apparel Department and the School of Nursing. The student-run Vista Room restaurant is on the fourth floor.

## 3. Student Health Center

This medical clinic offers outpatient care for illness and injury, lab tests and X-rays, family planning, personal counseling and more. The student health fee covers most services.

## 4. Ethnic Studies & Psychology

This is home to the College of Ethnic Studies, which includes Africana Studies, American Indian Studies, Asian American Studies, Latina/Latino Studies and Race and Resistance Studies. The Psychology Department is on the third floor.

## 5. Gymnasium

Home to the Athletics and Kinesiology departments. The building features two gyms, an indoor pool, weight room and dance studios.

## 6. Thornton Hall

This is home to the College of Science & Engineering. Check out the fourth-floor planetarium and the roof observatory.

## 7. Hensill Hall

The Department of Biology and many of its programs, services and labs are here.

## 8. Science

The School of Engineering and the Marian Wright Edelman Institute, where students and scholars collaborate with community partners to address the needs of children, youth and families, are located here.

## 9. HSS

The main offices of the College of Health & Social Sciences are located

in this building, as are the Institute for Civic and Community Engagement (ICCE), TRiO Student Support Services, the Campus Academic Resource Program (CARP) and the Metro College Success Program.

## 10. Business

This is the home of the Lam Family College of Business. Students have access to a variety of resources, including Metro Academics advisors, the Career Services and Professional Development Center and a computer lab.

## 11. Administration

Many administrative and business offices and some student and academic services are here. They include Undergraduate Advising, a Bursar's Office service station, Information Technology Services, Graduate Studies, Human Resources, the President's Office and Undergraduate Education.

## 12. J. Paul Leonard Library

The Library is a state-of-the-art teaching and learning center housing its own Special Collections & Archives as well as the Sutro Library, Academic Technology and the Center for Equity and Excellence in Teaching and Learning. This fully accessible facility provides an environment for study and collaboration, including computing and other technology support, reservable rooms and a Digital Media Studio/MakerSpace.

## 13. Cesar Chavez Student Center

Named in honor of the late labor leader, this building — known for its many murals — houses the SF State Bookstore, restaurants, lounges, a multicultural center, pub, student art gallery and ATMs. This is also home to the Associated Students organization. An Information Desk can be found by the entrance closest to the Quad.

## 14. Garden of Remembrance

The Garden of Remembrance honors Japanese Americans — among them 19 SF State students — interned during World War II.

## 15. Fine Arts

The Fine Arts building features a film soundstage, an animation studio, recording and mixing rooms, film- and sound-editing labs, digital media labs, a

state-of-the-art collections preservation facility and various art studios. The offices for the School of Art, the School of Cinema, the School of Design and the Department of Anthropology can be found here. Classes and motion picture screenings are held at the 150-seat August Coppola Theater on the first floor. The Fine Arts Gallery and the Global Museum are on the second floor.

## 16. Creative Arts

This is home to the School of Music and the School of Theatre and Dance. Performances are held in the McKenna Theatre, Knuth Hall, the Studio Theatre, the Little Theatre and other spaces, and there are multiple set, costume and prop construction labs.

## 17. Humanities

This building houses the College of Liberal & Creative Arts and most of its departments as well as the Poetry Center, the American Poetry Archives and the American Language Institute.

## 18. Village at Centennial Square

The Village at Centennial Square is an apartment-style community that provides residents with a social/lifestyle experience by incorporating eating options, a convenience store and a number of different living communities. Furnished two- and three-bedroom apartments are available for first-time freshmen.

## 19. Mary Park/Mary Ward Residence Halls

Mary Park Hall and Mary Ward Hall are traditional residence hall communities for freshmen. These communities offer a wide variety of resources, support and programs designed to facilitate successful transition to the campus community.

## 20. Towers at Centennial Square

The Towers offers students an opportunity to feel more independent through full suite-style housing. Furnished one- and two-bedroom units are available for freshmen along with various Living Learning Communities designed to provide a more meaningful and connected experience. Adjacent to this building is the Towers Jr. Suites, which offers freshmen semi suite-style housing along with various themed living communities.

## 21. Mashouf Wellness Center

This student-driven facility features a climbing wall, exercise studios, gymnasium spaces, an indoor pool facility with spa and sauna, a jogging track, racquetball/squash courts and more. The center offers recreation and wellness programs and activities including game nights, outdoor trips, wellness workshops, personal training, intramural and sport clubs, group fitness classes and more.

## 22. Marcus Hall

The newest addition to the campus is the home of Broadcast and Electronic Communication Arts (BECA) and is outfitted with cutting edge multimedia labs and classrooms.

## 23. Manzanita Square

Located just steps away from campus, this state-of-the-art building includes residential apartments, a spacious outdoor courtyard, retail, student support spaces and laundry facilities.

## 24. University Park North

## 25. University Park South

These communities provide independent apartment living for transfer students, returning residents and students with families. They are conveniently located next to campus and provide a variety of housing options.

### Questions about this tour?

Visit Undergraduate Admissions in the Student Services Bldg., #104 or the Cesar Chavez Student Center Information Desk.

**Note:** The facilities on this tour are generally accessible for persons with disabilities. Some buildings have areas that merit special consideration for wheelchair users. For more information on accessible pathways, power-door entrances, building elevators, accessible restrooms and limited-access facilities, consult SF State's online campus map ([sfsu.edu/~sfsuamap](http://sfsu.edu/~sfsuamap)) or pick up a campus access guide and map brochure in the lobby of the Student Services building.



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# Looking for inspiration for your Instagram? Here are a few ideas!

Remember to upload your picture to Instagram, tag @sfstateadmissions and #SelfNaviGATOR and pick up some swag at the Admissions Welcome Center. It is located in the Student Services Building, Room 104 (Location #1 on the self-guided tour map).



- 1  
Snap a pic of all the hidden Gators you can find. A few clues:
- The window Gator at the J. Paul Leonard Library
  - The Gator log in front of the Gymnasium
  - The Gator shrub in front of the Creative Arts Building

2  
Climb to the highest point on campus and enjoy the 360 degree, bird's-eye view of the University with a clear shot to Ocean Beach. Don't forget to take that selfie!

3  
A tradition for all seniors — taking their photo dressed in their graduation regalia underneath the San Francisco State University sign. Start a new tradition and take yours when you step on campus.  
*Clue: It's near the entrance of the campus at 19th and Holloway Avenues.*



4  
Take a photo in front of the building that houses the nation's first College of Ethnic Studies, established after the historic student strike of 1968.

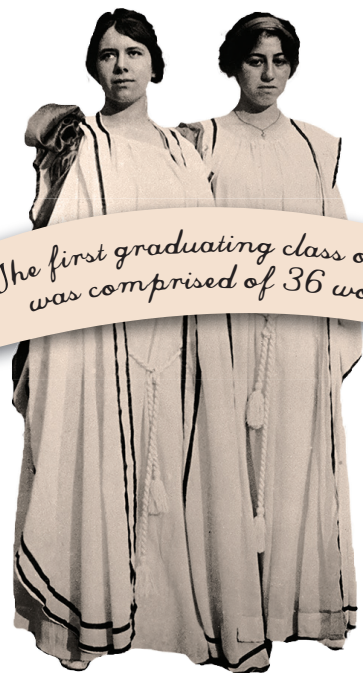
5  
Snap a pic by the LOVE Tree on the lush Quad. San Francisco Beautiful called SF State's landscaping efforts "more in keeping with a private garden or a public park than an institution."

6  
Take your photo with the 10-foot bronze "Guardian Gator," a gift of the graduating class of 2015. Try to find SF State's three core values cast in the bronze.



## SF State Fun Facts

The first graduating class of 1901 was comprised of 36 women.



SF State has over

# 200

student organizations and clubs on campus

SF State has a fine-dining establishment, the Vista Room, located on the fourth floor of Burk Hall.

The restaurant serves as a hands-on lab for students interested in hospitality management and dietetics and a lunchtime getaway for anyone on campus.



Once upon a time, SF State had real baby alligators named Oogie and Albert as mascots. They were donated to a private zoo in 1947 after school officials realized that baby alligators grow up.



In 1931, the student body voted on the Golden Gators as the official mascot of SF State. Now our official mascot is Alli, the Gator.



The hallways of the Fine Arts Building are lined with posters from films and television shows that SF State students and alumni have worked on.

SF State has a planetarium — free and open to the public

