Dear Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in our Undergraduate Program in Speech-Language Pathology at California State University, Long Beach. Enclosed you will find an information packet that will help guide you if you choose to pursue a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Speech-Language Pathology (SLP).

ATTENDING CSULB

- Fill out a University application online at www.csumentor.edu
- For International Admissions, please call (562) 985-5476
- Prospective students choosing SLP as a major, please refer to CHHS Academic Advising and Resource Center (AARC) website to assist you in answering any questions you may have regarding admissions, transferring courses to CSULB, and major requirements: http://www.csulb.edu/colleges/chhs/academic-advising/advising/Prospective-Students.html

DECLARING THE SLP MAJOR

- The SLP Department is impacted. This means admission to the SLP Department is competitive and based on fulfillment of both GPA and course requirements PRIOR TO applying to the major. The admission procedure can vary depending on the current status of applicants, such as freshman, current CSULB students, or transfer students.

New Freshmen

- Prospective freshmen should visit: http://www.csulb.edu/depts/enrollment/admissions/freshmen.html for university admission information.
- New freshmen do NOT need to complete the application on the SLP website.
- Attending SOAR is required. For more information please refer Student Transition & Retention Services: http://www.csulb.edu/divisions/students/soar/
New Transfer Students

- Transfer students should visit:
  [http://www.csulb.edu/depts/enrollment/admissions/transfers.html](http://www.csulb.edu/depts/enrollment/admissions/transfers.html) for university and major admission information.
- New transfer students do NOT need to complete the application on the SLP website.
- There are no equivalencies to SLP 261 (Anatomy and Physiology of the Speech and Hearing Mechanism) and SLP 271 (Phonetics). Once you are admitted into SLP major, you will take both courses your first semester at CSULB.
- Attending SOAR is required. For more information please refer Student Transition & Retention Services: [http://www.csulb.edu/divisions/students/soar/](http://www.csulb.edu/divisions/students/soar/)

Current CSULB Students

- If you want to major in Speech-Language Pathology, you must meet major specific criteria:
- You must also be able to complete the major within the university’s unit cap, as per the Timely Graduation Policy
  [http://www.csulb.edu/depts/enrollment/graduation/bachelors/timely_grad_ugrad.html](http://www.csulb.edu/depts/enrollment/graduation/bachelors/timely_grad_ugrad.html)
- You must apply to the Speech-Language Pathology Department by completing the enclosed “Impaction Application” and submitting it to the AARC.
- Pre-majors should visit [http://www.csulb.edu/colleges/chhs/academic-advising/advising/Pre-Major-Advising.html](http://www.csulb.edu/colleges/chhs/academic-advising/advising/Pre-Major-Advising.html) for information about how to sign up for pre-major advising.

GE Courses Required For SLP Admission

- GE life and physical sciences:
  [http://www.csulb.edu/depts/enrollment/registration/ge_courses/cat_b/GE_main_catB.php](http://www.csulb.edu/depts/enrollment/registration/ge_courses/cat_b/GE_main_catB.php)
- GE social science courses:
  [http://www.csulb.edu/depts/enrollment/registration/ge_courses/cat_d/GE_main_catD.php#d2](http://www.csulb.edu/depts/enrollment/registration/ge_courses/cat_d/GE_main_catD.php#d2)
- Statistics:
  C/LA 250, HDEV 250, PSY 210, STAT 108, and SOC 250.

CONTACT INFORMATION

CHHS AARC: [http://www.csulb.edu/colleges/chhs/academic-advising/](http://www.csulb.edu/colleges/chhs/academic-advising/)
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Thank you again for your interest in our program