Cell Phones

In the US, there are a variety of cell phone carriers and plans for you to choose from. Most cell phone providers will ask for a cash deposit for new clients who do not have credit history in the U.S., and require you to sign a contract for up to two years. Some cell phone providers have no contract, month-by-month plans where you pay up front each month. The best way to find a company that fits your needs is to compare cell phone companies’ options and plans.

Cell Phone Providers Near CSUF

**AT&T**
(prepaid phones/annual contract)
1643 E. Imperial Hwy
Brea, CA 92821
www.wireless.att.com
(714) 672-0436

**T-Mobile**
(prepaid phones)
1065 Brea Mall Suite 1110 B
Brea, CA 92821
www.t-mobile.com
(714) 672-0780

**Metro PCS**
(prepaid phones)
205 E. Orangethorpe Ave.
Fullerton, CA 92832
www.sprint.com
(714) 730-2866

**Target**
(prepaid phones, monthly plan)
2920 Yorba Linda Blvd.
Fullerton, CA 92831
www.target.com
(714) 579-3090

Money & Banking

Once you have arrived and settled in, you should open a local bank account as soon as possible so that you can deposit money, write checks for bills, get access to a debit card and use automated teller machines (ATMs) to get cash on the go. Be sure to ask your bank about the services it offers, and to explain any terms, fees or procedures you don’t understand.

Banks Near CSUF

**US Bank**
Titan Bookstore (On-Campus)
(714) 446-1900

**Bank of America**
2516 E. Chapman Ave.
Fullerton, CA 92831
www.bankofamerica.com
(714) 778-7355

**Wells Fargo**
3330 Yorba Linda Blvd
Fullerton, CA 92831
www.wellsfargo.com
(714) 996-5505

**Chase Bank**
2569 E Chapman Ave #6a
Fullerton, CA 92831
www.chase.com
(714) 459-4630

**Union Bank of California**
3200 E. Yorba Linda Blvd.
Fullerton, CA 92831
www.unionbank.com
(714) 572-1125
Documents Needed to Open a Bank Account

If you have a Social Security Number (SSN) or International Tax Identification Number (ITIN):

- Student F-1 or J-1 visa
- U.S. Driver’s License or U.S. ID Card

If you don’t have a Social Security Number (SSN) or International Tax Identification Number (ITIN):

- Student F-1 or J-1 Visa
- Passport

Campus ATMs

If you need cash while on campus, there is a US Bank located inside the Titan Bookstore. There are also four ATMs located outside the food court in the TSU patio at the east entrance of the Titan Student Union.

The following ATMs are currently available:

- Bank of America
- Schools First Federal Credit Union
- Chase
- Wells Fargo

Driving in the U.S.

If you plan on driving in California, you must obtain a California Driver’s License from the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV). Before you apply for a driver’s license, you must complete the new student check-in process and consult with the ISS office to make sure your immigration record is updated. The closest DMV office is listed below.

Fullerton Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV)
909 W Valencia Dr.
Fullerton, CA 92832
(800) 777-0133

Because of long wait times, we highly encourage you to schedule an appointment in advance by visiting [www.dmv.ca.gov/portal.dmv](http://www.dmv.ca.gov/portal.dmv). Once at the DMV, you will need to present your passport, I-20 or DS-2019, and I-94 document. You will be required to take a driving and written test.

For more information, visit the Department of Motor Vehicles website: [www.dmv.ca.gov](http://www.dmv.ca.gov)

Shopping: Furniture & Appliances

Target
2920 Yorba Linda Blvd.
Fullerton CA 92831
(714) 579-3090

Walmart
2595 E. Imperial Hwy.
Brea CA 92821
(714) 529-0596

Goodwill (Secondhand store)
2430 E. Chapman Ave.
Fullerton CA 92831
(714) 446-0599

CORT Furniture Rental
2540 Main St.
Irvine CA 92614
(949) 852-0711

Steal-A-Sofa
1151 S Main St, Unit C
Los Angeles, CA 90015
(213) 223-6126
Shopping: Grocery Stores

Albertsons
1930 N. Placentia Ave.
Fullerton, CA 92831
(714) 792-2880

Dollar Tree
2465 E. Chapman Ave.
Fullerton CA 92831
(714) 626-0918

Smart & Final
2475 E Chapman
Fullerton, CA 92831
(714) 441-1069

Ralphs
3330 Yorba Linda Blvd.
Fullerton CA 92831
(714) 524-2041

Target
2920 Yorba Linda Blvd.
Fullerton CA 92831
(714) 579-3090

Shopping: Ethnic Grocery Stores

ABC Indomart
Indonesian/Asian market
345 N State College Blvd
Fullerton, CA 92831

Northgate Gonzalez Markets
Mexican/Latino Market
710 W Chapman Ave
Placentia, CA 92870

Little India
Indian Market
3167 Yorba Linda Blvd
Fullerton, CA 92831

International India Bazaar
Indian Market
717 S Harbor Blvd
Fullerton, CA 92832

Fullerton AR Market
Korean/Asian Market
1701 W Orangethorpe Ave
Fullerton, CA 92833

99 Ranch
Chinese/Asian Market
651 N Euclid St
Anaheim, CA 92801

H-Mart
Korean/Asian Market
5111 Beach Blvd.
Buena Park, CA 90621

Altayebat Market
Middle Eastern/Halal Market
1217 S Brookhurst St
Anaheim, CA 92804

Wholesome Choice
Persian/Mediterranean market
5755 E La Palma Ave
Anaheim, CA 92807