

November 19, 2025

Dear SJSU Parents and Guardians,

I am writing to let you know about an incident on campus and to share how we are responding to keep students safe. Earlier this week, hateful graffiti and a written threat were discovered in a restroom in one of our academic buildings. The graffiti has been removed, and the University Police Department (UPD) is conducting an active investigation.

Please be assured of the following:

- The campus remains open, and classes and activities are continuing as scheduled.
- UPD's current risk assessment is low; by "low risk assessment" we mean that, after an immediate review of the content, location, timing, and available information, law enforcement professionals do not have evidence indicating an imminent or credible plan to carry out violence on campus. This assessment reflects current facts and will be updated if new information emerges.
- The FBI has been notified and is available to provide investigative support as needed.
- We are asking the campus community for help identifying the person responsible. If your student has any information, please encourage them to contact UPD at 408-924-2222 or reporting through the [Spartan Safe](#) mobile app, or by using one of the following links:
- [Title IX-EO Reporting Form](#)
- [Student Conduct Incident Reporting Form](#)

We recognize incidents like this can be upsetting. Support is available for students through Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) at 408-924-5678 or [sjsu.edu/wellness](https://www.sjsu.edu/wellness).

Our priority is the safety of our students, faculty, and staff, and we are committed to transparent, timely communication as the investigation proceeds. If there are any further developments, we will update you again.

Thank you for your concern and for partnering with us to keep San José State safe.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Mari Fuentes-Martin".

Mari Fuentes-Martin, Ed.D.
Vice President for Student Affairs