What is JUMP START?

JUMP START is a summer bridge program available to first year freshmen* at USC Sumter as a means of easing the transition from high school to college.

JUMP START provides students with college level academic experiences as well as strategies for academic success in a relaxed, low stress environment.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

• First generation college student
• Taxable income qualifier
• Student with a disability

*As determined by federal guidelines, qualifying in one or more of the above criteria may make you eligible for OSP.
Jump Start helped me transition from high school courses to college courses.

- Teleshia,
  Bachelor of Arts, Media Arts, 2018

Jump Start allowed me to get a head start on my college career and make long lasting friendships.

- Asia,
  Bachelor of Arts, Psychology, 2018

Incoming freshmen will be offered University 101 along with a review for college level Math and English for three weeks in the summer:

**UNIV 101**
July 20 - August 7, 2020
Monday - Friday
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Earned credit will be awarded at the end of the fall 2020 semester.

*Why choose JUMP START?*

- Experience an easier transition from high school to college
- Earn three college credit hours at no cost to you
- Refresh your skills in Math and English, the hardest subjects for new students
- Lighten your fall course load by taking 4 classes instead of five*
- Familiarize yourself with the USC Sumter campus
- Learn to balance your school, work and home life
- Boost your grade point average
- Make new friends for the fall semester
- Participate in community service projects

*Students must complete 12 hours minimum in the fall semester.