Enter Student Assistant Time Worked

Student Assistants who are State employees enter their own time worked each month via CMS Student/HR self service. Students can use self-service functionality to:

- Enter time for the current pay cycle
- Enter time for prior period pay cycles for which no time has previously been reported
- Review time from current and prior pay cycles

NOTE:

- **Time format** must be either (a) in 24 hour format, or (b) include a for AM and p for PM.
- If you did not take a break, **do not** enter time OUT for the day under LUNCH. Just enter one IN (beginning of day) and one OUT (end of the day).
- **Click SUBMIT** after entering hours so that they will be submitted to your Timekeeper.
- **You need to click Sign Out** in the top right corner of the page to exit CMS Student/HR when you are done. If you fail to do so, others can access your records from the same computer.

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Sign in to CMS Student/HR

1. Sign in to CMS Student/HR.
   a. From any CSUMB web page click the MyCSUMB link.
   b. Log into MyCSUMB with your OtterID and OtterID password (a.k.a your network login and password.)
   c. On your MyCSUMB Dashboard page click the CMS Student/HR Login button.

⚠️ NOTE: If you don’t know your OtterID or OtterID password you can get help by following the instructions on the CSUMB Identification System pages.

Navigation:

MB Employee Self Service > Time Reporting > Report Time > Timesheet

![Figure 3: Select position to report time.](image)

1. If you have **multiple active jobs** on campus, you will see each of them listed (Figure 3). Select the job for which you wish to enter time by clicking on the Job Description (note that Department and Pay Rate are shown, to help you distinguish among jobs).

   If you have **only one active job**, the system will open the time entry page (Figure 4).
Enter Time

1. The View By field defaults to Week. You can change this if needed.

   **Pay periods beginning on the 1st of the month:** If you wish to enter time for the entire pay period (month), change the View By field from Week to Time Period (Figure 4), set the Date to the first day of the pay period (i.e. the 1st), and then click the Refresh button.

   **Pay periods beginning on the day before the 1st of the month:** Set the View By field to Week, and set the Date field so the first day of the pay period is the first day of the week (i.e. the 30th or 31st of the prior month), and then click the Refresh button. (Once you’ve entered time for the first week then change the View By field to Time Period, the Date field to the 1st of the month, click the Refresh button, and enter time for the rest of the month.)

   **For a particular week or day:** If you wish to enter time for a particular week set the View By field to Week, then set the Date field to the first date for which you want to enter time that week.

   ![Figure 4: View By Time Period to enter hours for an entire month.](image)

   **NOTE:** You cannot access dates on your timesheet prior to your hire date. To enter time for your first week set the View By field to Week and the Date field to your hire date. If you were hired in the middle of a week and need to enter hours for days worked (on your hire date or after your hire date), set the View By field to Week and the Date field to your hire date. If you were hired in the middle of a month, set the View By field to Week and the Date field to your hire date. Enter your hours worked during that first month a week at a time—rather than by trying to view the entire month at once.

2. Once you’ve set the View By and Date fields, click the Refresh button and the Timesheet displays the selected days (by Time Period or Week). You are ready to enter time worked into your Timesheet.
Timesheet Example 1

NOTE: Time format needs to either (a) be on 24 hour clock or (b) include a for AM and p for PM. For example, if hours worked are from 8 AM to Noon and from 1 to 3 PM, enter one of the following:

- In 8a, Lunch 12p, In 1p, Out 3p (Using a for AM and p for PM)
  OR
- In 0800, Lunch 1200, In 1300, Out 1500 (using 24 hour clock)

Figure 5: Enter hours in 24 hour time; the system will adjust to AM and PM

3. Enter time in and out for each day you worked. If you did not take a break during the day, enter your start time under In and your end time under Out. If you took a break during the day, enter the time that you took the break under Lunch and the time you resumed work after the break under the second In heading.

NOTE: If you did not take a break, do NOT enter time out for the day under Lunch. Doing so will cause your hours to be calculated incorrectly on your voucher.

4. Use the Previous Week and/or Next Week feature to verify that all time is correctly entered.

Timesheet Example 2

Figure 6 below shows how to enter more than 1 shift in one day; and how to enter a shift that ends at midnight.

In this example the actual hours worked by the student assistant are:

- 4 hours in one shift from 8:00 PM Sunday night through 12:00 AM Monday morning (midnight).
- 4 hours in one shift that included 2 hours from 10:00 PM Tuesday night through 12:00 AM Wednesday morning (midnight), and 2 hours from 12:00 AM Wednesday morning (midnight) through 2:00 AM Wednesday.
- 2 hours in a second shift on Wednesday afternoon from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM.
Figure 6: An example of time worked overnight, two shifts in one day, and a break between shifts, all on one timesheet.
Submit Time

To submit time for approval, click the Submit button at the bottom of the screen. This will enable your Timekeeper to approve your time. You must Submit time for your Timekeeper to see it.

NOTE: Clicking the button submits hours for the current View By and Date values that you see on the screen.

NOTE: You may Submit your time at various intervals throughout the month, or just once at the end of the month. Your Timekeeper will see your submitted time with a Needs Approval status and the Timekeeper will approve your submitted time. Only time reported in Approved status is paid by Payroll.

NOTE: If hours are displayed using your current View By and Date settings which were previously submitted, and were approved by your Timekeeper, they will be unapproved when you click the Submit button. Your Timekeeper will have to approve them again. Try not to resubmit hours for a day unless you have made changes to those hours.

NOTE: Do not use the Submit button to submit time if you have hours on the Timesheet page that are grayed out, because those hours have already been approved and paid by Payroll. This can occur when the View By field is set to Week, and the Date range for the week overlaps the ending of one pay period and the starting of another subsequent pay period. Instead, set the View By field to By Period and the Date field to the beginning of the new pay period for which you are entering time. Then Submit the time you have entered for the new pay period.

Confirmation

After you submit your time, you will see a confirmation screen similar to that in Figure 7.

![Timesheet Submit Confirmation](Figure 7: Submit confirmation.)

Sign Out

If you are not going to print your voucher at this time, click Sign out in the top right corner of the page to exit CMS Student/HR. If you are going to print your voucher, proceed to the next section of this document.

Please contact CMSQuestions@csumb.edu if you need further assistance.