Hello Aztecs!
Welcome to the '21 - '22 Academic Year!

The A.S. Newsletter provides you with information on upcoming events, deadlines, and other subjects that will help you have a successful academic year.

Newsletters are posted every first week of the month on Blackboard, and on our Associated Students Website. Please feel free to share your ideas and concerns with us, your A.S., and/or A.S. Staff.

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Fall 2021 Semester Start
Monday, August 23, 2021

Greetings Aztecs,

Welcome to your university! After almost two years of studying from either the kitchen or the living room, it is finally time to sit in the classroom and listen to a lecture. It is also time to develop ourselves personally and professionally in a physical mode, without a chat box, a microphone muted or a camera off. It is time to meet each other and live a real college life. I am excited for the days to come, for the events that will happen, the conferences and visits of prominent people, the shuttle between campuses, the great advocacy of student leaders and the service of our staff and faculty at Imperial Valley. With the same excitement, it is also a turning point in our community’s condition, and so, I do acknowledge that in order for us to remain without virtual constraints, we need to be mindful of carefully reviewing state regulations and guidelines and abide by them. It is very easy to continue coming back to class and interacting with one another daily, it all takes wearing a mask properly and being cleared by the University. “Coming back” is really the phrase of the moment, being able to meet peers that we virtually met during a class or getting rid of email threads and having in-person talks. I am very sure that we share the same excitement and are ready to behave properly as per the conditions we are passing through. I am thrilled to meet everyone and to create bonds of mentorship, friendship and professional networking. Let us rise and shine together! Let us come back safely and stay in campus safely!

En Comunidad,
Carlos A. Fitch
Associated Students-Imperial Valley President

ATTENTION
Fall 2021 Welcome Backs will be held in Mid-September, stay tuned!
Your Imperial Valley Associated Students encourages you to be engaged and make the most of your college experience. You can do so by joining campus student organizations.

If you have any questions, please contact your current A.S. Executive Vice President, John Moreno Jr. at j.moreno.jr.as@gmail.com

**Student Organization Info.**

**Social Media**

Facebook
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**Aztec Of the Month**

Virginia Gallardo Reyes

“I started at SDSU-IV in 2019. It has been a challenging journey because that is how universities are and because I learned English at an older age. However, I have had a great experience so far. I have met extremely professional instructors, and I have been able to learn from them. Definitely, I have gained a lot of experience and grown academically, professionally, and personally. I am thankful for that, and I hope to be able to share that knowledge when I start my career.”

Graduation Year: 2022

Major: Spanish

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**A.S. Official Meetings**

Fall 2021 A.S. Official Meetings will be held on Tuesdays from 10:45am to 11:45am.
You may join us at the Nogales Conference Room that is located in the Administration Building. You may also join us through zoom using the code: 86994166411

Hope to see you there!