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Endowed funds support
- Scholarships
- Graduate fellowships
- Faculty chairs
- Research
- Internships and field study
- Campus life programs
- Laboratory facilities
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- and more

$7.9 million in endowment payouts will benefit students, faculty, and programs in 2018–19

19,457 students were enrolled (17,577 undergraduates and 1,880 graduate students)

8.9% return on market investment in 2017–18

$200 million market value of UC Santa Cruz Endowment as of June 30, 2018

$4.3 million established 16 new endowed funds last year

$68 million market value of 206 endowed scholarships and fellowships as of June 30, 2018

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