

## Directions to the Ensenada Campus

1. Make your way to San Diego. (Both the I-5 and I-805 converge on the San Ysidro border crossing)

**Crossing the Border:** go slow and stay alert—this happens very fast. Getting closer to the border traffic will be split into several lanes, the new international border will now turn you to the right, continue straight under the Mexico sign.

2. As you are passing you will either get a “green light” meaning you can proceed or a “red light” meaning you will have to pull over for secondary inspection. Politely answer their questions and submit to a quick vehicle search and you should be quickly on your way.

If you want to declare or are arriving as a group of vehicles, go all the way to the farthest right lane, put a truck or van in the lead and turn on the headlights of all vehicles. It is possible that this lead vehicle will have to go to secondary and all of your vehicles should follow it so that you can stay together. With your headlights on, the guard will know that you are together and will pass you through as a group.

3. After the green/red light booth, stay in the farthest right lane.

4. You will then take the first exit to the right the sign says “Playas de Tijuana/Rosarito-Ensenada.”

5. Follow this highway (which parallels the border fence on your right) for a couple of miles, and you will climb a steep grade and then the road will go downhill.

6. At the bottom of this hill (in the righthand lane) will be a sign that says Ensenada. Take this ramp to the right that merges onto another road. Just remember, until you get to Ensenada, you want to take all signs that lead to Ensenada and are the toll roads “cuota.”

7. Then get in the left lane (the right lane soon exits to Playas). In about 3 minutes you’ll be at the first tollbooth. It is about 90 kilometers to Ensenada from the first toll booth. Remember that in Mexico, left lane is for passing only and be aware of erratically changing speed limits that are posted in kilometers per hour (Most speedometers have a center ring of numbers that are in kilometers).



## Arriving to Ensenada

8. After the third toll booth, go about 5 miles. There will be a clock structure/fountain with “Bienvenidos” and a stop light.

9. Right after the stop light there is a “Y” in the road. Take the road to the right that says, “1 Zona Turistica/San Quintin”. About a mile ahead you will see another “Y” keep in highway 1 Ensenada.

10. Continue on for about 2 miles to the stop light (a big busy intersection). Veer to the right following the 1 San Quintin/Malecon and La Bufadora signs.



11. Go about one mile until you see a 7-11/PEMEX gas station on your left and an ASADERO ARGENTINO restaurant on your right, beside the restaurant is a Military base. Turn left at the traffic light St. Gral. Agustin Sangines. (Keep following La Bufadora signs)

12. Go 1/2 mile to the second signal light. There is a large store called SORIANA (and an Office Depot) on your immediate right. Turn right at corner.

13. You are now on the free part (libre) of Highway One, also known as “Reforma.” Go about 5 miles (passing two military bases on your right) you will see a bill board advertisement for Estero Beach, shortly after it will be a signal light with a large overhead green sign that says, “Estero Beach.” on the right a restaurant that says **Do\$ Hermanos, Carnitas** and also on the right, but across the street, will be yet another **Pemex** gas station, turn right at that stop light.



14. At the 3<sup>rd</sup> stop sign you will turn right, across the street you will find an **OXO** store and will be on a dirt road, follow that road.



15. At the 5<sup>th</sup> possible right turn you will see a small sign on the right that says **YUGO**. Turn left and go two blocks and then turn right. You have arrived.

**WELCOME!**



