EVC Transfer Pathways
California State University
University of California
Private Colleges
California State University or University of California
Which one is right for you?

Neither the U.C. nor the CSU system is better than the other-rather, students may be more suited to a particular system due to their academic and/or career goals.

CSU
- 23 campuses
- Less Competitive than UC
- Practical Applications Hands-On
- Non-Research-Oriented Careers
- Not as much advanced degrees
- No Essay required
- Tuition Yearly $5,472

UC
- 10 campuses
- More Competitive than CSU
- Research & Theory-Based Teaching
- Focus on How and Why things happen
- Many Professional & Doctorate Degrees
- Personal Inquiry required
- Tuition Yearly $13,200

Factors to Consider: Does the campus have my major? Do you want to live close to home and friends or experience a new life environment? Do you prefer a smaller campus or larger one? Live in a Rural, Urban, or Suburban area? How much will Financial Aid cover?
EVC offers 12 Transfer Degrees which Guarantee Admission to a CSU and provide a GPA bump when applying to an impacted campus

**Associate of Science for Transfer (AS-T)**
Administration of Justice
Biology
Business Administration
Mathematics
Physics

**Associate of Art for Transfer (AA-T)**
Child and Adolescent Development
Communication Studies
Economics
English
History
Music
Psychology

For more information utilize [http://www.adegreewithaguarantee.com/](http://www.adegreewithaguarantee.com/) and make an appointment with a counselor
The CSU system is one of the largest, most diverse, and affordable systems in the country

Twenty-Three Campuses to choose from!
How to Choose A CSU

Attend an EVC CSU Calstate workshop to learn how to compare CSU campuses, majors, admission requirements, and the cost to attend.

Utilize ASSIST
Find the CSU campuses that meet your requirements. Explore online information on CSU majors and course requirements.
www.assist.org

Familiarize yourself with Eureka
An online occupation resource designed to assist students with educational, career, and financial aid exploration.
www.eureka.org

Use EVC Site Code: xboylks

Join us for EVC Transfer Day
Hosted in September

Meet more than 40 recruiters to discuss transfer possibilities
CSU Minimum Transfer Requirements

- Complete 39 units from the CSU General Education pattern
- Complete 60 CSU Transferable units total
- Obtain a Minimum 2.0 GPA
- Good standing at the last community college you attended
- Complete “Golden Four” courses with a “C” grade or higher
  - A1 Oral Communications
  - A2 Written Communications
  - A3 Critical Thinking
  - B4 Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning
California State University
Apply online

APPLY to Multiple CSUs at the same time!
online at www2.calstate.edu/apply
No essay required, Fee $55 each CSU
Send official transcripts from all colleges and request a CSU G.E. or IGETC certification from EVC Admissions and Records office

CSU Application Filing Period
Fall October 1—November 30th
Winter June 1—30
Spring August 1—31
Summer February 1—28

Need help applying to a CSU? Sign up for a CSU Calstate workshop
Student Center SC-250 or Transfer & Career Center website
University of California Transfer

- There are 10 University of California campuses

- Application filing period
  November 1-November 30

- Apply online
  [http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/how-to-apply/apply-online/index.html](http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/how-to-apply/apply-online/index.html)

- Part of the application process is to complete the Personal Insight questions.

- Sign up for a Workshop Student Center room SC-250 or Transfer & Career Center Website
UC TAP

PLAN YOUR UC TRANSFER

Creating a Transfer Admission Plan

Start your transfer plan with a UC Transfer Admission Planner (TAP), an online tool designed to help you track your progress towards a University of California.

START TODAY!

Utilize: https://uctap.universityofcalifornia.edu

Click on New Student: Creating an account is easy! Start Now

Use your EVC Educational Plan to enter courses completed and planned.

TAP information can be easily downloaded to your TAG or UC Application when applying for admission.

Sign up for a UC TAP workshop in the Student Center SC-250 or Transfer & Career Website.
University of California
Transfer Admission Agreement (TAG)

Guarantee your transfer admission to a UC campus with a Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG) a written agreement guaranteeing admission to a UC

Six University of California campuses offer a guarantee transfer admission to students from all California Community Colleges

UCB, UCLA, UCSD, UCSF
Do not offer
Transfer Admission Guarantee
UC TAG

GUARANTEE YOUR ADMISSION
Creating a Transfer Admission Guarantee

Utilize: http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/transfer/guarantee/

You can only submit a TAG to one UC, however can apply to as many UC campuses as you like by submitting an application to each.

You must have 30 units completed at time of application.

TAP information can be easily downloaded to complete the TAG.

September 1 - 30: Submit your TAG

Must have 60 transferable units completed by the end of spring prior to fall admission.

Sign up for a UC TAG workshop in the Student Center SC-250 or Transfer & Career Website.
University of California
Minimum Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible for UC admission, students must fulfill both of the following:

1. Complete 60 transferable semester units of courses with a GPA of at least 2.4 (2.8 for nonresidents). No more than 14 semester units may be taken Pass/Not Pass.

2. Complete the following course pattern requirements, earning a grade of C or better in each course:
   - Two transferable college courses in English composition
   - One transferable college course in Mathematical concepts and Quantitative Reasoning
   - Four transferable college courses chosen from at least two of the following subject areas:
     - the arts and humanities
     - the social and behavioral sciences
     - the physical and biological sciences
UC Personal Insight Requirement

What happened to the Personal Statement?

The personal statement was replaced with the new personal insight questions for fall 2017 application (for students applying in fall 2016).

This new format will give you clearer guidance and more flexibility in the kind of information you want to share.

Personal Insight questions

The personal insight questions are about getting to know you better — your life experience, interests, ambitions and inspirations. Think of it as your interview with the admissions office. Be open. Be reflective. Find your individual voice and express it.

This section of the application is just one part UCs considers when making admission decision, it provides context for the rest of your application.
Transfers: Personal Insight Questions
What do you want UC to know about you

Directions
There is one required question you must answer.
You must also answer 3 out of 7 additional questions.
Each response is limited to a maximum of 350 words.
Which three questions you choose to answer are up to you.
Select questions most relevant to your experience that reflect your circumstances.

Keep in mind
All questions are given equal consideration in the application review process.
There is no advantage or disadvantage to choosing certain questions over others.
There is no right or wrong way to answer these questions.
It’s about getting to know your personality, background, interests and achievements in your own unique voice.
Apply to University of California

How to apply

Dates & deadlines
Check majors
Apply online
Personal statement
Application fees
After you apply

About applying online

We strongly encourage you to take your time filling out the application.

Be sure to have all the information you need close at hand. Review your responses and check for accuracy.

Still, we know mistakes can happen. If after applying you discover an error, you can make changes to your application.

What you'll need

It's a good idea to have everything prepared before you start your application so you're not trying to track down information at the last minute.
APPLY TO TRANSFER
Applying to a University of California

**August 1:** Access the application, enter information, save

**November 1-30:** Submit your fall application
One year before you plan to transfer to a University of California

Some UC campuses accept winter and spring applicants. Check with your counselor to determine which UC campuses are accepting during the college year

Apply to as many UCs as you like by submitting an application for each
However, you can only submit one Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG)

Apply online at:  [http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/how-to-apply/](http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/how-to-apply/)

Fee $70 each

Use UC TAP ID and email from UC TAP to import info to UC application

Must complete 60 transferable units by spring
California's nonprofit, independent colleges and universities are often referred to as "private".

California is home to more than 75 unique nonprofit, independent colleges and universities. They focus on the individual student. Because each nonprofit, independent college and university is unique, admission requirements vary.

Applicants for admission are evaluated for past achievement, future promise, and "fit" with the schools' missions and goals. All applications are treated as individuals and are personally evaluated.

See more information at: https://secure.californiacolleges.edu/college_planning/california_independent_colleges/Admission_Requirements/Admission_Requirements.aspx#sthash.LlLmOpoR.dpuf
Private University
Minimum Eligibility Requirements

- Must have 24-60 transfer units
- Minimum 2.0 GPA, each campus varies
  Santa Clara requires 3.5, Stanford requires 3.3-3.5
- Lower division requirements vary for each campus
- Six writing prompts

Advice for Transfer

- Complete English and Math requirements early
- Complete minimum admission requirements/major preparation courses
- Major preparation is particularly critical for science and engineering majors as well as for highly selective majors or campuses
- Many college departments will not admit you if you have not completed specific lower division courses for your major
- Complete all courses by end of spring quarter before transferring fall
Apply to Private Universities

The Common Application is a not-for-profit membership organization that, since its founding over 35 years ago, has been committed to providing reliable services that promote equity, access, and integrity in the college application process. We serve students, member institutions, and secondary schools by providing applications that students and school officials may submit to any of our over 500 members. Membership is open to colleges and universities that promote access by evaluating students using a holistic selection process.

SEARCH FOR COLLEGES

Type college name here

Sign In

The 2014-2015 Common Application will come offline on July 23, 2015. All current application accounts will be permanently removed from the system at that time. For more information, please click here to visit our Knowledgebase.

Applicants

Members

Recommended

Applicant Email Address

Password

Forgot your Password?

HELP CENTER

CREATE AN ACCOUNT

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Private College: Filing an Application

What you need to do:

- Visit the campus of your choice
- Meet with a counselor two semesters before transferring
- Have a copy of your Educational Plan (Ed plan)
- Bring Transcripts from all colleges
- Know your Transfer GPA
- Provide personal information, address, social security number if applicable, and annual income

Apply to more than one independent or private college

Application deadlines vary by campus
Fill out Common Application online at: http://www.commonapp.org/
Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) is for those students that are undecided and would like to consider the option of transferring to a CSU or UC.

Consider taking your IGETC courses while researching majors. Once you decide on a major, select a university then add major course requirements to your educational plan.

Certain students, however, will not be well served by following IGETC. Students who intend to transfer into majors that require extensive lower-division preparation, such as engineering or the physical and natural sciences, should concentrate on completing the many prerequisites for the major that the college screens for to determine eligibility for admission.

Follow admission requirements and deadlines to submit your application.
Filling out your Application: Resourceful Websites

Assist
www.assist.org

CSU Calstate Apply
www2.calstate.edu

UC Transfer Admission Planner
https://uctap.universityofcalifornia.edu/students/

UC Transfer Admission Guarantee
http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/transfer/guarantee

UC Application
http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/how-to-apply

Public and private college planning
https://secure.californiacolleges.edu/
Visit us!
Transfer & Career center
Located: Student Center SC-250

Sign up for workshops to learn how to choose a major, select a university, and apply to a university

Let us help you identify the university and major that is right for you

Learn course requirements for the campus of your choice

Schedule a meeting with a CSU, UC, or Private college recruiter to discuss transfer possibilities

For more information contact:
Transfer Coordinator: 408-270-6470
Counselor: Martha Hardin