



UC Campus Policies and Procedures for Evaluating California Community College Applicants

A qualified California community college student applying for admission to the University of California in advanced standing will be given priority admission over all other similarly qualified applicants if: 1) he or she was enrolled at one or more California community colleges for at least two terms (excluding summer sessions); 2) the last college he or she attended before admission to a UC campus was a California community college (excluding summer sessions); and 3) he or she has completed at least 30 semester (45 quarter) UC-transferable units at one or more California community colleges.

| UC Campus | MINIMUM TRANSFER ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS | | Are there other timing requirements or restrictions for major-preparation courses? | Are there other timing requirements or restrictions for GE/breadth coursework for certain majors? | Does your campus admit students to a specific major or to the campus? |
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| | Can the 60-transferable-unit minimum requirement be completed in summer prior to fall enrollment? ¹ | Can the required seven-course pattern be completed in summer prior to fall enrollment? | | | |
| Berkeley | No | No | Haas School of Business: All pre-requisites, at least seven of nine breadth courses, and the foreign language requirement must be complete by end of spring term prior to fall enrollment. Engineering: At least 80 percent of required major-preparation courses must be complete by end of spring term prior to fall enrollment. | For all schools and colleges, GE/breadth coursework must be complete by end of spring term prior to fall enrollment. | To major, <i>except</i> College of Letters and Science, which admits students to academic division in which major is located. Students are admitted to specific L&S majors only after enrollment and department approval of petition to declare major. |
| Davis | No | No | Highest priority for admission goes to applicants who complete UC eligibility, unit, GPA and selective major requirements by conclusion of spring term prior to fall enrollment. | No | To major |
| Irvine | Yes ² | Yes, except for the math and English courses, which students must complete by end of spring term. | Some majors recommend students complete major coursework by end of spring term prior to transfer. See www.admissions.uci.edu/ccc_selection2007.html . | No | To major |
| UCLA | No | No | For all majors, students should complete a significant amount of major preparation by end of spring term prior to transfer. Some highly selective majors require completion of most or all preparatory courses by end of spring term prior to transfer. See UCLA's Transfer Admission Guide at www.admissions.ucla.edu/prospect/Adm_tr/tradms.htm . | Students should complete IGETC, UCLA GE requirements or the breadth requirements of another UC campus prior to transfer. IGETC is not recommended for applicants to the School of Nursing and the Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science. | To major |

¹ Campuses that permit summer units generally allow students to complete no more than 6 units total in summer session.

² Admissions priority is given to applicants who complete the unit minimum by the spring term.

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Information accurate as of April 2007. Changes may occur without notice. Contact the Admissions Office at each campus for up-to-date information.

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| Merced | Yes | Yes, except for the math and English courses, which students must complete by the end of spring term. | No | No | To major |
| Riverside | Yes | Yes | No | IGETC must be certified for Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences majors no later than the first quarter after matriculation. | To major |
| San Diego | No | No | For majors that require lower-division preparation, students should complete courses by the end of spring term prior to fall enrollment. | No | To campus, based on campuswide selection criteria (see www.admissions.ucsd.edu). EXCEPTION: Students applying to all engineering majors are admitted to the campus, and then applications are sent to the department to be screened for admission to the major. |
| Santa Barbara | Yes | Yes, except for the math and English courses, which students must complete by the end of spring term. | For majors that require major-preparation coursework, students should complete courses by end of spring term prior to fall enrollment in order to be considered for admission selection. | No | To major. Campus does not admit transfer students as Undeclared. |
| Santa Cruz | Yes | No | All upper-division transfer students should complete as much lower-division prerequisite coursework as possible in their intended major before enrolling. | No | To campus, based on campuswide selection criteria. See selective majors on page 4. |

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| UC Campus | CAMPUS SELECTION | | | What was the average GPA of transfer students admitted in fall 2006? | What departments or majors, if any, are students NOT allowed to switch into once admitted? |
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| | Which colleges, schools or majors require completion of specific major-preparation coursework? | What is the minimum GPA needed in UC-transferable courses for admission consideration by a specific college, school or major? | Which colleges, schools or majors are highly selective (where number of applicants greatly exceeds spaces available)? | | |
| Berkeley | All ⁴ | All majors in the College of Letters and Science and the College of Chemistry: 3.0 Colleges of Engineering, Chemistry, Natural Resources, and Environmental Design review all applications. | Haas School of Business and all social science majors, in particular: Psychology, Economics and Social Welfare; Computer Science | GPA range for middle 50 percent of admitted students was 3.53–3.88. | Major changes are solely at the discretion of individual departments or colleges. |
| Davis | Biological Sciences and Engineering: all majors; College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences: Biotechnology, Viticulture and Enology; College of Letters and Science: Communication, Psychology and International Relations. See admissions.ucdavis.edu/admissions/tr_select_majors . | Letters and Science: 2.8 or higher ⁵ Agricultural and Environmental Sciences: 2.8 or higher Engineering: 3.1 or higher Biological Sciences: 2.8 or higher ⁵ | Biological Sciences and Engineering: all majors; College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences: Biotechnology, Viticulture and Enology; College of Letters and Science: Communication, Psychology and International Relations. See admissions.ucdavis.edu/admissions/tr_select_majors . | GPA range for middle 50 percent of admitted students was 3.14–3.68. | None |
| Irvine | Biological Sciences: all majors; Engineering: all majors; Health Sciences: Nursing Science, Public Health Policy, Public Health Sciences; Information and Computer Sciences: all majors; Physical Sciences: Chemistry, Earth and Environmental Sciences, Mathematics, Physics; Social Sciences: Business Economics, Economics and Quantitative Economics ⁶ | Depending on major, minimum GPA ranges from 2.7 to 3.0. See the required GPA for each school for fall 2007 at www.admissions.uci.edu/ccc_selection2007.html . | See www.admissions.uci.edu/ccc_selection2007.html . | GPA range for middle 50 percent of admitted students was 3.08–3.64. | Applicants seeking to change major into Dance or Music must have passed respective auditions; applicants to Nursing Science must have completed UCI Supplemental Application for the program; for remaining programs, change of major is available based on completion of applicable prerequisites and program capacity. |
| UCLA | All majors. See UCLA's Transfer Admission Guide at www.admissions.ucla.edu/prospect/Adm_tr/tradms.htm . | Engineering and Applied Science: 3.2 Communication Studies: 3.5 Nursing-Generic/Prelicensure: 3.5 RN-BS/Postlicensure: 3.0 Theater, Film, and Television: 3.0 For more information, see www.admissions.ucla.edu/prospect/Adm_tr/tradms.htm . | All majors in the Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science; the School of the Arts and Architecture; and the School of Theater, Film, and Television. For highly selective majors in the College of Letters and Science, see www.admissions.ucla.edu/prospect/majors/lsmajor.htm . | See Fall 2006 Profile of Admitted Transfer Applicants at www.admissions.ucla.edu/stats/tr . | Majors in Business Economics, Economics, Economics/International Area Studies and Psychology. Also, majors outside the College of Letters and Science rarely, if ever, allow students to switch in from other majors. |

⁴ For information on selection procedures and required major prerequisites at UCB, consult admissions.berkeley.edu and www.assist.org.

⁵ Students typically must have GPAs higher than published minimums to be competitive for admission to their intended majors. The GPA required to obtain a TAG may be higher.

⁶ For more information on selection procedures and required major prerequisites at UCI, consult www.admissions.uci.edu and www.assist.org.

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| UC Campus | Which colleges, schools or majors require completion of specific major-preparation coursework? | What is the minimum GPA needed in UC-transferable courses for admission consideration by a specific college, school or major? | Which colleges, schools or majors are highly selective (where number of applicants greatly exceeds spaces available)? | What was the average GPA of transfer students admitted in fall 2006? | What departments or majors, if any, are students NOT allowed to switch into once admitted? |
| Merced | None at this time | None at this time | Not applicable | 3.11 | None |
| Riverside | Business Administration, and all majors in College of Natural and Agricultural Sciences and College of Engineering | Business Administration: 2.5 College of Natural and Agricultural Sciences: 2.7 Engineering: 2.8 College of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences: 2.4 | Not applicable | 3.16 | If selection criteria are met, admitted students may switch to any major that is offered. |
| San Diego | Applicants to all engineering majors in the Jacobs School of Engineering must meet specific screening criteria. Admission to campus is not affected by whether students are accepted into these majors. | 2.8 | Bioengineering, Bioengineering-Biotechnology, Biotechnology, Computer Science, Computer Engineering (CSE and ECE Divisions) | 3.42 | Bioengineering, Bioengineering-Biotechnology; Computer Science, Computer Engineering (CSE and ECE divisions). Exceptional admission is possible for Computer Science and Computer Engineering. |
| Santa Barbara | Engineering, Biological Sciences, Computer Science, Economics/Business Economics, performance majors in Dance, Music and Theatre (audition), College of Creative Studies (supplemental application) | College of Letters and Science: 2.8 Engineering: 3.0 | Engineering, Biological Sciences, Computer Science, Economics/Business Economics, performance majors in Dance, Music, and Theatre, College of Creative Studies | GPA range for middle 50 percent of admitted students was 3.07–3.63. | Engineering, Biological Sciences, Computer Science, Economics/Business Economics |
| Santa Cruz | Art and the Baskin School of Engineering screen for major preparation; Business Management Economics, Economics, Global Economics, Film and Digital Media, Psychology and Sociology perform additional review after student is admitted and before being allowed to declare the major. Admission to campus is not affected by whether students are accepted into these majors. | For admission to the campus: 2.4–2.69. ⁷ The following majors require specific GPAs for admission to the major: Psychology: 3.0 overall; 3.1 in major courses; Business Management Economics, Economics, Global Economics, Film and Digital Media, Sociology: 2.0–3.0 in specified courses. | All majors in the Baskin School of Engineering | 3.27 | All majors in the Baskin School of Engineering |

⁷ Range does not include School of Engineering, which does not post minimum GPAs but determines them by department each term, based on the applicant pool.

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| UC Campus | Does the campus accept lower-division transfer applicants (fewer than 60 units)? ⁹ | What is the date applicants will be notified of their admission status for the fall 2007 term? | Does the campus use the personal statement in review of transfer applicants for UC admission? ¹⁰ | Do students receive a credit evaluation prior to enrollment in fall term? | Will the campus be accepting applications for winter and spring 2008 terms? ¹¹ |
|---------------|---|--|---|---|---|
| Berkeley | No | April 30 | Yes | No | Winter: N/A Spring: No ¹² |
| Davis | Only in some College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences majors | March 15–April 30 | No | No | Winter: Yes (Open to transfer applicants with pre-approved TAGs) ¹³ Spring: No |
| Irvine | Yes, when space allows | By April 30 | Yes | Yes, beginning July 15 | Winter: Yes Spring: No |
| UCLA | No | End of April | Yes | Yes, upon receipt of official transcripts, for all who attend orientation program | Winter: No Spring: No Generally UCLA accepts applications only for the fall quarter, but see www.admissions.ucla.edu/prospect/applying.htm for up-to-date information. |
| Merced | Yes | March 1–April 30 | Yes | Yes, if transcripts are received for orientation | Merced is on the semester system. Spring semester begins in January. Applications are accepted during the application filing period for spring semester/winter quarter (July). ¹⁴ |
| Riverside | Yes, with the exception of Undeclared majors | On a rolling basis beginning 2/1/2007 | No | Yes, beginning July 15 | Winter: Yes Spring: No |
| San Diego | No | Mid-March–April | No | Yes, for all who attend orientation program | Winter: TAG only Spring: TAG only |
| Santa Barbara | No | March 15–April 30 | No | Yes, for all who attend orientation program | Winter: Yes ¹⁵ Spring: No |
| Santa Cruz | Yes, when space allows | March 15–April 30 | No | No, but most students receive one by first week of quarter | Winter: Yes Spring: No |

⁹ To apply for admission, lower-division applicants must either have been UC-eligible at high school graduation or only had subject deficiencies that have been cleared.

¹⁰ While campuses vary in use of the personal statement, all use it to evaluate gaps in applicants' educational history or in the evaluation of applicants for certain scholarships.

¹¹ For all campuses, students should check the list of open majors before applying. Go to www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions/openmajors.

¹² UCB applicants admitted in spring term are students deferred from the fall applicant pool.

¹³ Open to junior/senior-level transfer applicants with an overall 3.00 transferable GPA, except: closed to all majors in Colleges of Engineering and Biological Sciences; closed to the majors Biotechnology, Viticulture & Enology, and Undeclared/Exploratory in the College of Agriculture & Environmental Sciences; closed to the majors Communication, Design, International Relations, Psychology, and Undeclared-all areas in the College of Letters & Science.

¹⁴ Open to all transfer students except nonimmigrant international students with visa type F1, F2, J1 or J2. Exceptions will be made for students with such visas whose last school was a California community college and who have at least 30 semester units from a California community college.

¹⁵ The College of Engineering and Computer Science within the College of Letters and Science are not open for winter quarter. The winter quarter application period is closed to international applicants.