

Freshman v. Transfer



- 81,400+ Applicants
- Admitted by School
- \$12,685/year x 4 years
- Access to nearly 1,000 student organizations
- Access to Research and World-Class Faculty

UCLA Transfer Admissions

- 19,000+ Applicants
- Admitted by Major
- \$12,685/year x 2 years
- Access to nearly 1,000 student organizations
- Access to Research and World-Class Faculty

UCLA Transfer Students

➤ In fall 2011, new transfer students accounted for 35% of new undergraduates.

Of these, 96% transferred from California Community Colleges.

➤ 2011-2012: transfer students made up 27% of all enrolled UCLA
 Undergraduates, and 41% of bachelor's degree recipients in that same period.

Academic outcomes for transfer students are comparable to those for students who enter directly from high school; 93% return for their 2nd Fall Quarter and 92% graduate, with an average completion GPA of 3.17 in UC courses compared to 3.25 for freshman entrants.

Counselor / Teacher Role

- Motivate and encourage
- > Educate and provide resources
- > Speak positively about community college opportunities
- > Share success stories / personal experiences
- Get to know your local community college representatives and their services
- > Encourage visits to local community colleges
- > Concurrent Enrollment



Parents and Students:

How to engage around the transfer option



- "My kid is a great student. Why waste time at community college, instead of going straight to a 4-year institution"
- "Are you saying that my student isn't good enough?"
- "They are going to be with their High School friends and never transfer to a 4-year"



- Fiscal (financial aid, tuition, 2 year savings not being at 4year, etc.)
- > Smaller Environment
- Access programs
- > Explore majors
- Come into the University prepared to complete undergrad degree in two years



- Perception stigma of not being a strong student
- ➤ "Are courses given the same level of acceptance?"
- > "How will I be treated at the 4-year once I transfer?"
- > "People go to community because they couldn't get into four year school."



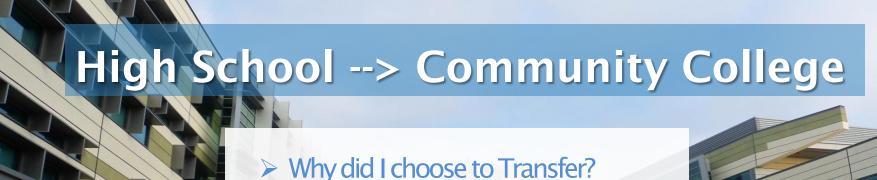
- Planning for College takes a lot of dedication:
- > Talk to counselors early
- > Know what it takes to go to college
- > Do your research on college admissions
- Don't slack off just because you are contemplating community college
- > There are still requirements for getting into community college



The Transfer Experience

- Applied from High School
- Attended Community College
- Resources
- Transferred to UCLA
- Graduated from UCLA!





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- My experiences / My resources
 - > Transfer Centers
 - > STOMP / Summer Programs
- > UCLA
 - Bridge Programs
 - Experiences





- > Plan ahead and meet deadlines
- ➤ Enroll Full-Time and continuously
- Prioritize completion of English & math courses
- > Take college success course
- ➤ Take summer/Winter sessions (if offered)
- ➤ Visit transfer centers & find out about transfer programs
- > Talk to University representatives about their institutions requirements



Stay Informed

College Board

http://advocacy.collegeboard.org/admission-completion/community-colleges

Student Transfer Outreach Mentor Program

www.admissions.uda.edu/stomp

Center for Community College Partnerships

www.cccp.ucla.edu

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California Public Schools Course Articulation (Assist.org)

www.assist.org



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