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- Assess and Prepare English/Math Plan
- Explore Special Programs (Honors, Engineering, Science, Liberal Studies, Nursing)
- Explore Career/Major (COUN courses, Career Transfer Center, ASSIST.org)
- Investigate Transfer Universities

This is when students make **CHOICES**...
- Choose a Major
- Choose 3 to 4 Transfer Universities
- Create Strategic Course Planning (Major and University Choice)
- Meet with College Representatives (Appointments, Tours, Transfer Days)
- Choose Internships/Work Experience / Networking in Major
- Set a Timeline for Educational Goal
- Establish a Professional Email Address

At this stage, students move **FORWARD**...
- Create a Resume/Personal Brag Sheet (Application, Scholarships)
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- Attend Workshops
- Meet Application Requirements/Deadlines
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- Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG)/Transfer Alliance Program (TAP)
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- Get GE Certification
- Apply for Scholarships (FASTWEB.com, Scholarship Office)
- Apply for Financial Aid, WICHE (FAFSA.ed.gov Submit in January, Cal Grants March)
- Get Letters of Recommendation (Scholarships, Private/Out-of-State)
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1. Start immediately completing your Math and English requirements. The UC places a high priority on students that complete transferable Math & English courses early in their academic careers. Take the Moorpark College online English assessment and obtain pre-requisite clearance from counseling for the appropriate transferable math.

2. The UC gives high priority to students that complete major preparation coursework early in their academic career. Meet with a counselor, visit the Career Transfer Center, or take a career planning course to help you begin to focus on a particular major. Use www.assist.org to explore majors and determine courses required for major preparation.

3. Complete 60 UC transferable semester units with a minimum of 2.4 GPA (2.8 for nonresidents) for minimum eligibility. The GPA for admission can be significantly higher due to the major, applicant pool and specific campuses. Along with Math & English, and your major coursework, you are required to complete at least 4 courses in at least 2 of the following areas: Physical/Biological Science, Arts/Humanities, Social/Behavioral Science (which will be satisfied if you complete GE Certification).

4. Complete your General Education (GE) requirements, usually by completing the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC). Exceptions may apply to high unit majors, such as Engineering and Science. See www.assist.org for exception details.

5. Investigate a TAG Transfer Admission Guarantee for 7 of the UC campuses. If you meet the requirements, apply for the TAG in September prior to applying for the UC campus in November. To apply for a TAG, go to https://ltcag.uci.edu/Tag/apply.html.

6. Apply on time! All UC’s accept for Fall/Winter/Spring, go to www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions.

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1. Start completing “The Golden Four” as soon as you can. Complete one transferable course in each of the four areas below:

- English Composition/Written Communication
- Critical Thinking
- Mathematical Concepts/Quantitative Reasoning
- Oral Communications

See the CSU GE or IGETC for a list of transferable courses that will meet the above four requirements.

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4. Apply on time! All Cal States begin accepting application in October for the following fall. The general deadline for Fall is November 30, but some CSU’s may extend their deadline. In addition, some CSU’s accept for Winter/Spring as well but that varies each year and you should not plan for it. But the sooner you apply, the better your chances are for admission. For details on application deadlines and to apply online, go to www.csumentor.edu

5. Complete the academic requirements to gain admission.

6. Complete courses for your major.

7. Earn and maintain a competitive GPA.

8. Apply on time.

Visit each college’s website for admission and major preparation requirements.

How to Transfer to Private or Out-of-State Colleges

Transferring to a private or out-of-state college is different than applying to a UC or CSU. The minimum requirements for transfer vary from college to college, and from major to major. Essentially, transferring to private or out-of-state colleges requires the following:

1) Complete a minimum amount of transferable units (usually 30). Unlike the UC and CSU systems, lower division transfers are accepted.

2) Complete the appropriate English and Math requirements.

3) Complete General Education courses.

4) Complete courses for your major.

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6) Apply on time.

7) Check special programs such as WUE Western Undergraduate Exchange www.wiche.edu/wue

Make sure you apply to multiple institutions in case you don’t get the financial help you need. Strategize your transfer options with a counselor.