TRANSFER TO A 4-YEAR COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY

- Articulation Agreements with private and out-of-state universities and colleges
- Additional Resources
- Transfer Admission Agreements with the University of California
- Transfer 101
- Transfer Checklist

Other Useful Info:

- UC/CSU Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC)
- CSU Transfer Student Application Guide

Transferring to UC:

Transfer Admission Guarantees

A Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG), is a formal agreement between a student in attendance at Gavilan College and a receiving baccalaureate granting institution to which the student intends to transfer. The agreement guarantees admission to a transfer university a year in advance for a fall term admission. A TAG may also guarantee admission into a major. Because the requirements of universities vary, it is advisable that students consult a counselor for more detailed information. Counselors will help you determine your eligibility for a TAG and assist with the required documents.
Seven UC campuses participate in the TAG program and require an online TAG application. Planning is critical to ensure your TAG is complete, processed and approved.

**Determine Eligibility for TAG**

- review the TAG basic eligibility by accessing university links below
- read the university website (follow the links) for major preparation requirements
- collect all transcripts (Gavilan and any college attended)
- collect all test scores (Advance Placement, CLEP, IBB)
- calculate transferable units and transferable GPA and compare with minimum TA requirements

**After completing the above steps, schedule a counseling appointment to review UC eligibility and TAG.** You must hand-carry transcripts and test score information to your appointment. Counseling appointments can be scheduled online: www.gavilan.edu/counseling

**Transfer Admissions Applications:**

- **UC Required Online Application**

**University of California Eligibility Links:**

- UC Riverside
- UC Santa Barbara
- UC Davis
- UC Santa Cruz
- UC Irvine
- UC Merced

Students are limited to one UC TAG application.

* Please note: TAG Requirements are subject to change

Disclaimer: The final responsibility for successful transfer rests with the student. The information posted on this webpage is designed to assist you. The information is subject to change without notice which may subsequently impact your transfer admissions. You are encouraged to meet with your Gavilan counselor early in the planning process and often during the year prior to transfer.

UC Admission Application - My UC Application

- UC Transfer Pathways Guide Page: [http://pathwaysguide.universityofcalifornia.edu/college-pathways/0/0](http://pathwaysguide.universityofcalifornia.edu/college-pathways/0/0)
- UC transfer - This web site will identify the major preparations for transfer students interested in the UC system
  - [http://uctransfer.universityofcalifornia.edu/](http://uctransfer.universityofcalifornia.edu/) - admissions information, planning guides, and resources.

**Transferring to CSU**
Lower Division Transfer Program - This web site helps students who are planning to transfer to a California State University by providing academic road maps for the completion of lower-division major preparation.

CSU Admissions Application - Cal State Apply

- Cal State Application Guide for Transfers
- Cal State Application Guide for Transfer Credit Entry
- Cal State Online Programs
- Cal State Application Guide for Transfers
- www.ADegreeWithAGuarantee.com

Transferring to a private university

The Common Application - private or independent colleges

Articulation Agreements

Certain private universities have completed course agreements with Gavilan College to facilitate student transfer. The following universities have provided students with a course transfer pattern that would maximize the credits earned at Gavilan:

- Academy of Art University - San Francisco
- Arizona State University - Transfer Partnership: Online Programs
- Brigham Young University (Provost, Utah)
- Brigham Young University (Hawaii)
- Brandman University Transfer Guides
- Cogswell College - Articulated Courses
- CA College of the Arts
- Golden Gate University
- Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandise
  - FDIM courses accepted as CSU GE
- John F. Kennedy University
- Hawaii Pacific
- Heald College (GE Certification) Courses Accepted
- Humphreys College
- Loma Linda College (Nursing)
- Los Angeles College of Chiropractic
- Pacific Oaks College
- Palo Alto University
- Marymount University
- Mills College
- National University
- Notre Dame de Namur University (NDNU)
- Oregon State University
- Roseman University of Health Sciences – College of Nursing (addendum)
- Santa Clara University - Core Guide - (Transfer Agreement)
- San Joaquin Valley College - CSU Credit
- University of Hawai'i Manoa (HI)- equivalencies
- University of Maryland
- University of the Pacific
- University of Phoenix - campus
- University of San Francisco (USF)
- University of Southern California (USC)

35 participating universities

Out-of-State schools that accept IGETC
- University of San Diego
- CA Independent Colleges - who accepts IGETC or CSU GE Breadth
- Western Oregon University
- Western Governors University (WGU)
- WGU
- Western Undergraduate Exchange (WUE) - reduced tuition rate (IGETC or CSU GE acceptance)

Additional Resources

ASSIST - ASSIST is an online student-transfer information system that shows how course credits earned at one public California college or university can be applied when transferred to another. ASSIST is the official repository of articulation for California's public colleges and universities and provides the most accurate and up-to-date information about student transfer in California.


Articulation vs. Transferable - terms used often in college. Know the difference!

Gavilan College Career / Transfer Center - The staff can assist you with:

- Information on university majors and graduation requirements
- Assistance with filling out college applications
- Schedule meetings with university representatives
- Referrals to a counselor who will assist with educational planning
- CSU application fee waivers
- A library of current college catalogs
- A reference library of updated books on careers, internships, scholarships and occupational outlook
- Useful college and university internet sites
- Use the computerized career information program, EUREKA, which is designed to assist you in selecting a major or career.