UC Application Workshop

For Fall 2022 Admission
Minimum UC Transfer Requirements

• 2.4 GPA (2.8 nonresidents)

• 60 UC-transferable semester units by the end of spring 2022

• English C101 & C102 or equivalents

• Transferable math class

• 4 classes selected from at least 2 of the following IGETC areas:
  • Arts & Humanities
  • Social & Behavioral Sciences
  • Physical & Biological Sciences
Student Preparation

• Start early

• Compile the following materials ahead of time:
  • Unofficial transcripts, test scores, awards & honors, activities outside of class, volunteer & employment timelines, and military service dates

• Research campuses and majors; apply broadly

• Work on your application in multiple time blocks

• Get feedback on your personal insight questions

• Check your email often and your spam filter
# Transfer Application and Admission Timeline

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https://apply.universityofcalifornia.edu

Application Deadline: November 30, 11:59 p.m. PST
Getting started

Do not select “Senior-level transfer” if all of your units are from community colleges, even if you have 90+ units.

When do you hope to start at the University of California? *

○ Winter Quarter/Spring Semester  2022
○ Fall Quarter/Semester  2022

Your application level: *

○ Freshman
  
  I’m currently in high school.
  
  - OR -

  I’ve graduated from high school, but have not enrolled in a regular session (non-summer) at a college or university.

○ Transfer

  I’ve graduated high school and am enrolled in a regular session (fall, winter or spring) at a college or university.

Please select what type of transfer applicant you are based on the number of college/university units you plan to complete before you enroll at UC:

○ Junior-level transfer
  
  I will complete 60-89 semester units or 90-134 quarter units by the time I enter UC.

○ Sophomore-level transfer
  
  I will complete fewer than 60 semester units/90 quarter units by the time I enter UC. (There are limited campuses/programs available at this level.)

○ Senior-level transfer
  
  I will complete 90 semester units/135 quarter units or more by the time I enter UC. (There are limited campuses/programs available at this level.)
It's your time to shine.

You've already done the hard part — spending countless hours studying, taking tests, and pursuing your passions and interests. Now comes the exciting part: You get to brag about it.

Start application

What to expect

The application is about us getting to know what makes you, YOU — which means there are no right or wrong answers. The more you tell us about yourself, the better picture we'll have of you.

Take your time: We know our application can be a long process, but you can fill it out in as many sessions as you want. Just remember to click “Save & continue” at the bottom of each page before you take a break.

Keep track of your progress: As you go through the application, you'll see checkmarks indicating which pages you've completed.

What you'll need

Household income & family information: You may need to ask your parents or legal guardians for help on these questions — that's OK!

Transcripts & test scores: As you fill out the “Academic history” section, you should refer to your transcripts to help you enter your grades. You'll also need to report scores from any exams you've taken or plan to take (like the SAT and ACT).

Personal insight questions

Want a copy of the personal insight questions emailed to you? It's a good idea to work on them before you enter them in the application.
Navigating the application

- Use the Navigation Bar to access all sections of the application
- The Application Status link shows all open or submitted applications
- Use the My Account link to view or edit your email address & password
- Use the Help link for guidance
About you
Citizenship & residency

What is your country of citizenship? 

Country *

Do you have a U.S. Social Security number or an Individual Taxpayer Identification Number (ITIN)?

If you apply for financial aid, we use the Social Security number or ITIN you provide to match your application to your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or California Dream Act application. See 'Help' for more information on the additional uses of the Social Security number.

○ No ○ Yes

Undocumented/DACA students can choose “No Selection”
Students who wish to be considered for a fee waiver must report family size and income.

**About you**

**Your household**

What was your total income earned last year (2020)?
(Include your spouse’s income, if relevant)

We may use this information to help us determine if you’re eligible for certain outreach programs, scholarships, and the application fee waiver. This information is not used for financial aid.

**Income**

$ .00

How many people were supported by this income? 📈

What was the total income earned in 2020 by your parents or legal guardians? 📈

We may use this information to help us determine if you’re eligible for certain outreach programs, scholarships, and the application fee waiver. This information is not used for financial aid.

**Income**

$ .00

How many people were supported by this income? 📈
You've qualified for a UC application fee waiver!
You can apply to 4 campuses for free.

If you apply to more than 4 campuses, each additional campus will cost $70, which you'll pay once you submit your application.

Apply to 4 campuses for free YOUR ESTIMATED COST: $0

Save & continue

Note: Eligible California residents and AB540 students could receive application fee waivers for up to 4 schools.
When you choose certain majors, information about supplemental applications may appear. Choose an alternate major whenever possible.
When we ask you to “rank” the colleges, we're asking you to state your preference for college assignment, should you be offered admission to San Diego. Learn more about UC San Diego's college system.

Your rankings will **not** affect the evaluation of your application or your major selection.

Instructions: To re-order the list below, select a college and drag and drop it into a new position. You can also click on the arrows to reposition the colleges. Transfer applicants should not place Seventh College at the top of their college rankings.

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Academic history
Transfer Admission Planner

If you have entered your school and coursework information in the UC Transfer Admission Planner (TAP) and indicated you plan to apply to UC for Fall Quarter/Semester 2022, your information may be available for import into your UC application.

Please enter the login ID and email address used for your TAP account and click on "Import data from TAP" to copy your information. This will delete all previously entered academic history information.

Click "Save & continue" if you do not have a TAP account.

TAP login ID

TAP login ID

TAP email address

TAP email address

My UC TAP email address is the same as my UC application email address

Import data from TAP

Save & continue
Academic history
High school information
SOUTH BAY ADULT SCHOOL
REDONDO BEACH, CA

When did you attend this high school? *

Month *
Year *

Start date: Month *
Year *

End date: Month *
Year *

Degree, diploma, or certification received.

None *

When did you receive your degree, diploma or certification?

Month
Year
The college code for Cerro Coso is 004027.
When did you attend this college? *

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Is this your current or most recent college? *

- No
- Yes

What is this college’s grading system?

All CA Community Colleges use A B C D F grading system which include all letter grades, credit/no credit, pass/no pass, incomplete, withdraw, academic renewal, in progress and planned grades.

- A
- B
- C
- D
- F

During your attendance, did the college’s term system (quarter or semester) change? *

- No
- Yes

What level of degree, diploma, or certification did you receive or will be receiving?

- No degree
Click on a department to see the list of courses offered. Select the courses you took and the grades you received.

If your courses aren't listed, click "I don't see my courses" at the bottom of the page and enter them manually.

Please report all grades received for all courses you enrolled in, including withdrawals, incompletes and courses you may have repeated at a later date.

CERRO COSO COMMUNITY COLLEGE
ALL LOCATIONS, CA
College code: 004027

Grade Codes
AR - Academic Renewal
NC - No Credit
WF - Withdraw Failure
CR - Credit
NP - No Pass
WI - Withdraw
IN - Incomplete
PL - Planned
WU - Withdraw Unauthorized
IP - In Progress
PS - Pass

Fall 2013
Academic history

Minimum requirements * required

Prior to transfer, will you have satisfied the Entry-Level Writing Requirement? *

- Yes
- No

Prior to transfer, will you be certified for completion of the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC)? *

- Yes
- No

Transferable college courses

Prior to transfer, you need to complete the 7-course pattern. If these courses are completed with grades of C or better, you will fulfill the transferable college course requirement.

College / University mathematics

Prior to transfer, will you complete one transferable college course in mathematical concepts and qualitative reasoning? *

- In progress
- Planned
- None planned / not completed
- Completed with a grade of C or better

Please see a counselor if you are unsure about how to answer any of the questions in this section.
Academic history

Additional information * required

Have you ever been on academic probation? *

UC Transfer Pathway

If you followed a UC Transfer Pathway and completed all of the Pathway course expectations for your intended major, please indicate which Pathway.

California State Student ID number

If you know your California State Student ID, please enter it below. Your CA SSID can be found on your high school transcripts. If you need help finding it, please contact your high school counselor.

Additional comments

If there's anything else you want us to know about your academic history, you can do so in the space below. But remember, you should use this space only if you want to describe anything that you have not had the opportunity to include elsewhere in this section (for example: a break in attendance, poor grades in a particular course or year, specific information about your school environment or policies that affect your academic record or choices for classes).

International applicants: If you selected Other as your school's grading system, please explain the grading system here.
Similar questions are asked about IB exams, TOEFL or IELS test scores, and International Exams.

Test scores

AP exams

Do you have any AP exams (planned or completed) to report? *

- Yes
- No

Add AP exam

You can enter your AP exams (including those that you’re planning on taking) one at a time by clicking the “Add AP exam” button below. You’ll be able to enter information about each individual AP exam in the follow-up questions. When you have finished entering all of your scores, click “Save & continue.”

Add AP exam

Is this exam completed or planned? *

- Completed
- Planned

When did you take this exam? *

Month *

Year *
Activities & awards
Add activities & awards

You can enter your activities and awards one at a time. First, select a category from the dropdown menu below. Once you've selected a category, you'll be able to tell us more about the activity or award in the follow-up questions.

Description of categories

**Award or honor:** We want to know about the awards and honors you've received that mean the most to you.

**Educational preparation programs:** Any programs or activities that have enriched your academic experiences or helped you prepare for college.

**Extracurricular activity:** These could include hobbies, clubs, sports or anything else you haven't had the chance to tell us about.

**Volunteering / Community service:** These are activities you've donated time and effort to without getting paid.

**Work experience:** This is for telling us about any paid jobs or paid internships you've had.

Activity/Award [1]

Category*

- Award or honor

What's the name of the award or honor? *
You can select any and all scholarship categories that apply to you!
Unlike the CSU system, there is no separate admission process at UC for students interested in EOP.
There is one required question you must answer

You will also need to answer 3 out of 7 additional questions

Which additional 3 prompts you answer are up to you

Each response is limited to a maximum of 350 words

All questions are given equal consideration in the review process

View this as a personal interview on paper

Compose responses outside of the application and request feedback from teachers, counselors, parents and/or friends
Required Question #1:

- Please describe how you have prepared for your intended major, including your readiness to succeed in your upper-division courses once you enroll at the university.
Select 3 from the following 7 questions:

1. Describe an example of your leadership experience in which you have positively influenced others, helped resolve disputes, or contributed to group efforts over time.

2. Every person has a creative side, and it can be expressed in many ways: problem solving, original and innovative thinking, and artistically, to name a few. Describe how you express your creative side.

3. What would you say is your greatest talent or skill? How have you developed and demonstrated that talent over time?

4. Describe how you have taken advantage of a significant educational opportunity or worked to overcome an educational barrier you have faced.

5. Describe the most significant challenge you have faced and the steps you have taken to overcome this challenge. How has this challenge affected your academic achievement?

6. What have you done to make your school or your community a better place?

7. Beyond what has already been shared in your application, what do you believe makes you stand out as a strong candidate for admissions to the University of California?
Use this space to describe a situation (personal or academic) that needs further explanation and is not captured elsewhere in the application.

Do NOT use this space to respond to an additional Personal Insight Question.
You have a chance to review all of the information you've entered in the application. If you've skipped or missed any required questions, you'll see a “To do” button next to the page.

Before you submit your application, you should review all the pages and sections below, even if they're marked as complete (indicated with a checkmark). Remember, we want to learn as much as possible about you as possible — so it's a good idea to fill out as much as you can and review all the information you'll be sharing with us.

quarter/semester 2022

About you

Campuses & majors

Academic history

Test scores

Activities & awards

Scholarships & programs

Personal insight
Sign & release

Before you can submit your application, you'll need to carefully read the information below. In the first section, you can choose to share certain information from your application with others (including UC organizations, parents, and counselors). The second section is required. You must read and agree to the statement (which serves as your electronic signature for the application) before you can move on to the next page.

Release authorizations

If you agree with a statement below, check the box next to it. These conditions are all optional and not agreeing will not affect your admission to the university. Not agreeing with a condition may have other consequences, so please read each one carefully. You may log back in to your application at any time to change these preferences.

Electronic signature and Statement of Integrity *

By submitting this application, you authorize the University of California to release application information, including copies of your application and test scores, to any UC campus for admission or scholarship consideration.
Billing summary

Please review your campus selections and application fees below.

The application fee is $70.00 for each UC campus.

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Fee waiver

You've qualified for a UC application fee waiver, which means you can apply to 1 more campuses for free.

Apply to more campuses

Would you like to accept the fee waiver? *

- Yes
- No

Continue to payment *

Application fees are not refundable. Once your application has been submitted, you are expected to pay for all your campus choices, even if you cancel a campus at a later date.

Before proceeding to the payment screen, you must agree to the following statement:

Do you need help?

If you have questions, you can contact the application helpdesk:

Email
ucinfo@applyucsupport.net

Phone within the U.S.:
(800) 207-1710

Phone outside the U.S.:
(925) 298-6856
You will see a confirmation page after paying or selecting your payment method.

Please make a note of your UC Application ID Number!

Print a copy of your receipt and application.

In January, you will be asked to:

- Update your grades and courses (deadline is January 31st!)
- Create an applicant portal for each campus you applied to.
UC Admissions Home Page
admission.universityofcalifornia.edu

Online Application
http://apply.universityofcalifornia.edu

Help Desk
ucinfo@applyucsupport.net
1-800-207-1710 (U.S. only)
1-925-298-6856 (outside U.S.)