

I AM READY TO TRANSFER. WHAT'S NEXT?

UNIVERSITY
OF
CALIFORNIA

CSU The California
State University

Fall 2021 TRANSFER STEPS

1 APPLY FOR ADMISSION TO CSU AND/OR UC



- CSU and/or UC October 1 – November 30, 2026*
- UC Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG) (Sept 1-30, 2026)
- Visit the Transfer Center for assistance with the application, UC personal insight questions (PIQs), meet with CSU/UC admission representatives, etc.

2 APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID



- Submit the FAFSA or California Dream Act October 1, 2026 – March 2, 2027
- List all college options by rank order: first, then 2nd school choice, and 3rd, etc.

3 COMMUNICATE WITH CSU AND/UC THROUGH THEIR PORTAL SYSTEMS

- Create a portal account for each college as instructed and check communication regularly.
- When you are asked, please order official transcripts from Mt. SAC through your portal. If you attended other colleges or have AP/IB exam scores, order official transcripts and scores from each site individually. Visit the A&R site for more information.

4 APPLY FOR THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE FOR TRANSFER (AS-T/AA-T) AND/OR ASSOCIATE DEGREE (AS/AA)

Submit a Graduation Petition: inside.mtsac.edu, student tab, self-service #45

Deadline: Visit the Admissions & Records Office for information for submission information.

Final Reminders:

- Schedule a Counseling Appointment in Fall 2026 & Winter/Spring 2027
- Participate in the Commencement and Transfer Achievement Celebration.



*The priority application filing period may vary