Prepare for UC Riverside

Senior Year of High School

**August–September**
- Consider your transfer options. Most of our transfer students begin at a California Community College.
- Organize a college information file.
- Visit transfer.ucr.edu to learn more about UCR transfer admission, majors we offer and how you will be supported.
- Explore your financial aid options at finaid.ucr.edu.
- Plan your college finances with your family.

**October–February**
- Apply for financial aid by submitting a FAFSA (fafsa.edu.gov) or DREAM application (dream.csac.ca.gov) between Oct. 1 and March 2 (Add UCR school code 001316).
- Confirm whether your high school has filed your Cal Grant GPA verification form by the March 2 deadline. Learn more at csac.ca.gov.

**March–April**
- Apply for admission to the California Community College or university of your choice. Most operate on a semester system, but deadlines vary.
- Attend Highlander Day in April. Visit highlanderday.ucr.edu to find out more.
- Take the math and writing assessment.
- Meet with a counselor and express your interest in transferring to UCR. Develop a transfer plan including English and math courses that meet minimum UC eligibility and UCR selection requirements.
- Review options for completing a general education pattern (IGETC) if it's advisable for your major.
- Plan to enroll in a college career guidance course.

**May–July**
- Register for classes (for most California Community Colleges).

First Year of Community College or University

**August**
- Research your major at admissions.ucr.edu. Identify prerequisites and minimum GPAs.
- Use the online UC Transfer Admissions Planner (TAP) at go.ucr.edu/transfer to track your course work.
- Secure your future at UCR now! Meet with a counselor to discuss our Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG) program. Visit transfer.ucr.edu to learn more about TAG.

**September–December**
- Meet with a UCR counselor to develop an education plan specific to UCR and your desired major. Email transfer@ucr.edu or call (951) 827-3411 for an appointment.

**October–February**
- Reapply for financial aid by submitting a FAFSA (fafsa.edu.gov) or DREAM application (dream.csac.ca.gov) between Oct. 1 and March 2 (Add UCR school code 001316).
- Participate in extracurricular activities and internships.

**March–August**
- Meet with a UCR counselor to ensure you are on target with your transfer plan.
- Visit ASSIST.org to learn admission and selection requirements for your major.
- Complete 30 transferable semester units by the end of summer.
- Plan to complete 60 transferable semester units (90 quarter units) by the end of the next spring term.
- Plan to meet all prerequisites for your major.
- At the close of each term, update course work and grades in UC TAP (go.ucr.edu/transfer).

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Second Year of Community College or University

**August**
Start working on your application! Access your UC undergraduate application for admission Aug. 1 at go.ucr.edu/apply.

**September**
Complete your UC TAG application (optional) online at go.ucr.edu/transfer by Sept. 30 (one year prior to your planned enrollment).
Meet with a UCR counselor to ensure you are on target with your transfer plan.
Schedule a campus tour or take a virtual tour at visit.ucr.edu.

**October–February**
Reapply for financial aid by submitting a FAFSA (fafsa.edu.gov) or DREAM application (dream.csac.ca.gov) between Oct. 1 and March 2 (Add UCR school code 001316).
Attend Transfer Day in October (go.ucr.edu/transferday).

**November**
Apply to UCR! Submit your UC undergraduate application for admission online from Nov. 1–30.
Add UCR Undergraduate Admissions to your email safe list. All messages will be sent to the address listed on your application.

**December**
Contact ucinfo@application.net or (800) 207-1710 to check your UC application status.

**March**
If you submitted a UC TAG application, UCR will notify you of your TAG decision on March 1.
Notify UCR Undergraduate Admissions of any changes to your academic plan and/or any D or F grades you receive during spring term.
Admission notifications begin in March. Check your admission status at My.UCR.edu.

**April–July (If admitted):**
Attend Highlander Day in April.
Visit highlanderday.ucr.edu to find out more.
Submit your Statement of Intent to Register (SIR) by June 1.
Submit financial aid documents if requested.
Submit official transcripts to UCR Undergraduate Admissions by July 1.
Submit all other requested supporting documents to UCR Undergraduate Admissions by July 15.
Review and Accept or Decline your financial aid (if applicable).
Complete any financial aid requirements on R’Web by April 2 deadline.

**August**
Register to attend Highlander Orientation for Transfers by Aug. 1. Visit transferorientation.ucr.edu for details.

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