

**Transfer Report**  
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**TRANSFER FACTS**

- Mt. SAC consistently ranks among the top 10 transfer community colleges in the state of California. For Fall 2019 transfer admissions and enrollment rankings:
  - 4<sup>th</sup> in the State for transfers to the California State University system (CSU); an improvement from a year ago when we were 5<sup>th</sup> in the state for transfers to CSU.
  - Remained in 7<sup>th</sup> in the State for transfers to the University of California (UC).
  - Remained in 5<sup>th</sup> in the State for transfers overall to CSU and UC.
- Cal Poly Pomona is the highest CSU campus for transfer students at 756.
- 55% of transfers to the CSU are Latinx students, an increase of 4% from a year ago.
- UC Irvine (116) and UCLA (111) are the two highest UC campuses for transfer students.
- Annually, an average of 2,358 students transfer to public and private universities within California and to other states.
- In a five year period, a total of 12,332 students have transferred from 2014-15 to 2018-19.

**Transfer Support Services**

- Courses are clearly articulated for transfer acceptance enabling students to enroll in the appropriate courses and complete transfer requirements seamlessly.
- Within the last six years, 15 additional counselors have been hired; and two additional transfer specialists have been hired to provide greater transfer support services.
- Annually, several thousand students are served through the Transfer Center, transfer workshops, and the annual transfer conference.
- Weekly, university representatives visit the Mt. SAC campus to individually meet with students.
- Over 50 transfer universities participate in the transfer fair.
- Over 200 students participate in university field trips throughout the year.
- The TRiO program Summer Science Transfer Program boasts a 99% success rate and have integrated the Counseling 7 – Introduction to the Transfer Process course as part of the Learning Community.
- Transfer Center was awarded the President’s Award for Excellence & Innovation in Teaching and Learning through Outcomes Assessment for Navigating the Road to Transfer Success: Northern California University Tours in 2019-2020.

## **Transfer Trends and Concerns**

- Transfer acceptances have fluctuated over time as California's budget has impacted both the UC and CSU.
  - Some years, CSU and UC do not accept mid-year (Spring or Winter term) transfers.
  - In Fall 2019, CSU and UC limited the number of acceptances because they did not receive funding for growth.
- Changes in transfer policies have seen a significant increase in acceptances to Cal Poly Pomona and a decrease in acceptances to Cal State Fullerton, Cal State Long Beach, and Cal State Los Angeles:
  - CSU prioritizes community college transfers based on geographic proximity, enabling more students to be accepted to Cal Poly Pomona over other CSU campuses.
- Transfer Achievement Guarantee (TAG) Agreements have enabled students to be automatically accepted to eight of the nine UC undergraduate campuses, including UCLA, UCI, and UCR.
- Associate Degrees for Transfer (ADT) have increased and guarantee an acceptance into a campus of the CSU, although not necessarily the student's prioritized choice.
- Transfer rates for Latinx students to CSU increased 4% from 2017-18 to 55% in 2018-2019.
- Transfer rates for Asian students to UC increased 2% from 2017-2018 to 47% in 2018-2019.
- Transfer rates for African-American/Black students to UC decreased 4% from 2017-2018 to 0% in 2018-2019.
- Transfer rates for White students to UC decreased 2% from 2017-2018 to 4% in 2018-2019.
- Acceptance rates for CSU and UC are high, 87% and 76% respectively.