

UC's new transfer program: A Dual Admission update

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UC Dual Admission background: AB132

Assembly Bill 132

The UC Dual Admission program is intended to increase access to the university for students, particularly those from underrepresented backgrounds and/or who are experiencing high school curriculum limitations, geographical constraints or financial challenges that can prevent an otherwise strong student from being eligible for UC freshman admission.





How is UC implementing this program?

Who: Ineligible freshman applicants

What: Dual admission offer to a future term via the Transfer Admission

Guarantee

When: Three initial cohorts will be identified starting with fall 2023 applicants, and each cohort will enter into a three-year agreement

Why: To increase access to the University of California



Established program criteria

UC Dual Admission parameters:

- ☐ California residents
- ☐ On track to graduate from a CA high school
- ☐ Apply for freshman admission for the fall 2023, 2024, or 2025 term
- Not be admitted to any UC campus to which they applied
- ☐ Have at least a 3.0 UC GPA at the time of application
- Be missing one or more A-G subject requirements at the time of high school graduation



Benefits and support for Dual Admission students

- Support from UCOP, UC campuses and other UC support programs
- An admission guarantee to one TAG campus
- Transfer admission advising and communication through a UC TAP account
- Access to UC Dual Admission resources for up to 3 years
- Preliminary information about financial aid



Student messaging – Invites and follow-up communication

Offers are sent via email and students are directed to their UC application for further details.

When accepting an offer, students must select:

- A participating UC campus TAG based
- A major from the available options at their chosen campus





First cohort: Details and status

| Campus | Davis | Irvine | Merced | Riverside | Santa Barbara | Santa Cruz | Total |
|-------------|-------|--------|--------|-----------|------------------|---------------|-------|
| Cohort size | 37 | 84 | 2 | 14 | 32 | 13 | 182 |

Fall 2023 cohort

- Invites were sent in late April and students had until June 1 to opt in
- Communication to students included emails, a post card, text messages and a live webinar
- Our first cohort is enrolling in community college and working towards meeting Dual Admission/TAG requirements



Advising your students

Students on track to meet first-year requirements

 Should be encouraged to complete those requirements and apply for admission.

Students not on track to meet first-year requirements

 If they have expressed interest in the Dual Admission program, they should be advised on what the program entails.

All students

 Regardless of A-G completion, all students have access to the Transfer Admission Guarantee at a California community college, regardless of Dual Admission.





Resources

Webinar recording



Counselor fact sheet





