FAQS for Students That Are Transferring for Fall 2020 to a UC School

(Please make sure to read all responses below in their entirety.)

Can I take courses Pass/ No Pass (P/NP)

• (Yes) - Students can take courses P/NP during the Spring 2020 term even if it puts them above the 14-unit limit of P/NP course work.
• UCSD has suspended P/NP limit for spring and summer 2020.
• (Yes) - All GE (General Education) can be taken P/NP. Other considerations need to be taken. For example, if your GE course is also a major prep course.
• (Yes) - English and math can be taken P/NP, HOWEVER, International students applying to UCSD, UCLA, UCSC need letter grades for English courses.
• Please NO P/NP for courses needed for:
  o Graduate schools such as Chem 231 for Medical School or
  o Accounting for future accountants or
  o Courses needed for CSET Waiver for future teachers OR
  o Courses needed for pre-nursing majors OR
  o Course for TAG requirements for fall 2021 and later OR
  o UC preparation for major unless given permission by UC school
  o Check the graduate programs you are interested in applying to for other examples not listed here

Major preparation questions

• (No) - there is NO blanket policy to accept P/NP for the major prep for all UCs
• UCs accepting P/NP on major prep courses:
  o UCSD - Check-in with the department for your major
  o UCLA - Check-in with the department for your major
  o UCR - Yes for all major prep
  o UCI - Yes for all major prep
  o UCB - Yes for all major prep - UPDATED 4/24/2020

UC TAGs

• No updates yet. We should assume old rules will be in place

Units

• The UC system has not changed - min of 60 UC transferable units by the end of spring 2020.
• UCSD will offer some flexibility to students to complete 60 units in the summer if courses are GE, not major prep.
• If a student falls under the 60 units and has been admitted for fall, they need to contact the UC school and see if they will make an exception. Exceptions will be on a case-by-case basis (they may give the student the summer to complete the remaining units)
**UC SIR (Statement of Intent to Register)**

- The **deadline** for transfer students to **accept offers of admission for fall 2020** is June 1.
- For now, **no extension** has been given on this deadline.
  - For exceptions, the student needs to contact the UC School and see if they will make an exception on a case-by-case situation. Campuses will provide maximum flexibility to students who request extensions and deferment of deposits.
    - If the student received an application fee waiver, then their SIR fee is waived for now and included in their financial aid packet in the fall
    - If the student did not have a fee waiver, and still needs help - they need to contact the UC school and ask for help

**Financial Aid**

- If you have been admitted and your financial situation has changed, you MAY be eligible for more financial aid, make sure to check-in with the financial aid office at your transferring institution.

**Transcripts**

- **Deadline is not extended**
  - If a school cannot send the transcripts by the given deadline – students should contact the UC school and notify them
    - UC schools want E-transcripts except UCD.
    - UCD will only accept paper transcripts (They are trying to come up with a solution for this.)
    - UCSD – If a student cannot get transcripts sent in by July 1st from their transferring institution, UCSD will have some flexibility. They will accept transcripts up to the third week of September by the beginning of the 1st day of classes for Fall 2020. **Student must contact UCSD.**
  - IGETC certifications
    - This has been done by paper and mailed to each UC in the past
      - The UC schools are currently working on a solution, so we/they do not have to process paper
    - UCB will accept partial IGETC certification but only for admits to the College of Letters and Sciences (updated 5/4/20)

**For Admitted Students**

- The UC schools are working on the "next steps" + housing + transcripts, etc.
  - if you need to contact a UC School: [https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/counselors/campus-admission-contacts/](https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/counselors/campus-admission-contacts/)