UC Davis TAG Eligibility Criteria for Fall 2024 Transfer

A California community college applicant who:

- has completed 45 UC transferable quarter units by the end of summer 2023;
- has earned the following minimum grade point average (GPA) in all UC-transferable coursework by the end of summer 2023, and will maintain that GPA in all UC-transferable coursework for all subsequent terms:
  - 3.2 for the College of Letter and Science (all majors are open to TAG, except Data Science) and the College of Biological Sciences and the College of Agricultural & Environmental Sciences
  - 3.5 for the College of Engineering (all majors are open to TAG, except Computer Science)
- will complete one UC transferable math (UC-M) course required for admission with a grade of C or higher by the end of fall 2023;
- will complete two UC-transferable English (UC-E) courses required for admission with grades of C or higher; one UC-E must be completed by the end of fall 2023, the second UC-E must be completed by the end of spring 2024;
- will complete 90 UC transferable quarter units, with at least 45 of those units taken at a California community college, and will satisfy UC transfer eligibility requirements with a grade of C or higher in each course (see page 2), by the end of spring 2024;
- will complete all courses required for the selective major by the end of spring 2024 (see Selective Majors section) (if applicable);
- will have less than 120 transferable quarter units of combined university and community college coursework (after applying UC lower-division unit limitations and exclusions – see page 5 for details) (if applicable)

The following students are NOT eligible for the UCD TAG:

- former UC Davis students (not including summer sessions)
- former UC students who were not in good standing when leaving UC
- students who have earned a BA or BS (or higher) degree
- students who will graduate from high school after summer 2023
- students who are concurrently enrolled or planning to enroll at a college or university other than a CCC before transfer

* The College of Engineering will consider applicants with 120+ units on a case-by-case basis

☐ If you believe you are eligible for the TAG, read this 5-page document for TAG procedures and requirements. Compile all of your transcripts and (if applicable) Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) exam scores. (See pages 5 for details) Log-in to the UC Transfer Admission Planner (UC TAP) and enter your information. You will be applying for the TAG using UC TAP.  
  
  [https://uctap.universityofcalifornia.edu/students/](https://uctap.universityofcalifornia.edu/students/)

☐ Attend a UC TAG Workshop. (optional, but highly recommended) Registration is required. To view workshop schedule and register, go to the Transfer Center Website: [https://www.deanza.edu/transfercenter/transfer-events/workshops.html](https://www.deanza.edu/transfercenter/transfer-events/workshops.html).
- You may also speak with a De Anza counselor/academic adviser to address specific TAG questions. Entering your information into UC TAP prior to seeking assistance will optimize your session. See: [https://www.deanza.edu/counseling/](https://www.deanza.edu/counseling/) or [https://www.deanza.edu/transfercenter/](https://www.deanza.edu/transfercenter/) Staffing is limited during the summer and early fall. EOPS and ISP students should work with their program counselors/academic advisers.

☐ Review the information provided on the UC Davis TAG site: [https://www.ucdavis.edu/admissions/undergraduate/transfer/transfer-admission-guarantee/criteria](https://www.ucdavis.edu/admissions/undergraduate/transfer/transfer-admission-guarantee/criteria)

☐ Submit the UCD TAG Application online (within UC TAP): **September 1-30, 2023.**

☐ Check UC TAP (‘Messages’ tab) and your email for messages often through October 15, 2023. Respond to all requests promptly. Your TAG may be at risk if you fail to respond to requests. Review the information provided on the “TAG Decisions” page:  
  
  [https://www.ucdavis.edu/admissions/undergraduate/transfer/transfer-admission-guarantee/decisions](https://www.ucdavis.edu/admissions/undergraduate/transfer/transfer-admission-guarantee/decisions)

☐ Submit your UC Application for Undergraduate Admission: **October 1-November 30, 2023.**
  
  (Note: UCD encourages students to wait for TAG decisions before submitting the UC application)
UC Transfer Eligibility Requirements (see www.ASSIST.org for course options and limitations)  
(Note: EWRT 1B/1BH is not on IGETC)

- Two UC-transferable courses in English composition (Area UC-E). De Anza courses include: (EWRT 1A/1AH or (EWRT 1AS & 1AT) or ESL 5 (ESL 5 must be taken fall 2021 or later)), EWRT 1B/1BH, 1C, 2/2H, PHIL 3, COMM 9/9H
- One UC-transferable course in mathematical concepts and quantitative reasoning (Area UC-M). De Anza courses include: MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, 1D/1DH, 2A/2AH, 2B/2BH, 10/10H, 11/11H, 12, 17, 22/22H, 23, 31/31H, (31A & 31B), 32/32H, 44; PSYC/SOC 15
- Four courses selected from at least two of the following Subject Areas:
  - Arts and Humanities (Area UC-H)
  - Social and Behavioral Sciences (Area UC-B)
  - Physical and Biological Sciences (Area UC-S)

SELECTIVE MAJORS BELOW – The minimum GPA and coursework listed below are required for admission. This information is based on articulation agreements between UCD and De Anza College and only articulated courses are shown.

For additional courses in your major, see www.ASSIST.org and https://admissions.ucdavis.edu/majorsGuide/ For the best transition and reduced time-to-degree, students should consider completing all lower division preparatory coursework for their intended major. If you attended, are attending, or plan to attend another CCC prior to transfer, you must check the college’s articulation with UCD. Review ‘Courses Offered by CCC’ policy on Page 4.

Courses must be taken for a letter grade and completed by the end of spring 2024. Selective major courses completed at the time the TAG is written must have C grades or higher; course repeats in-progress and planned will not be considered for TAG.

The information on selective majors below is based on TAG criteria available at the time of printing and limited to those courses offered at De Anza. You are advised to visit the UC Davis TAG Website (https://www.ucdavis.edu/admissions/undergraduate/transfer/transfer-admission-guarantee/requirements) and www.assist.org for possible updates before submitting your TAG.

NON-SELECTIVE MAJORS – For majors not listed below, see www.ASSIST.org and the latest agreement available at https://admissions.ucdavis.edu/majorsGuide/ for lower division major coursework.

For all majors, both selective and non-selective, the minimum GPA is required at the time the TAG is written and should be maintained throughout the remainder of all transfer work with no grade less than “C.”

- APPLIED MATHEMATICS: 3.2 overall UC transferable GPA. 3.0 GPA in the following courses with no grade less than “C” and must have 3.0 in the group of courses completed when the TAG is submitted. MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, 1D/1DH; MATH 2A/2AH, 2B/2BH.

- APPLIED PHYSICS: 3.2 overall UC transferable GPA. 3.0 GPA in the following courses with no grade less than “C” and must have 3.0 in the group of courses completed when the TAG is submitted. PHYS 4A, 4B, 4C, 4D; MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, 1D/1DH; MATH 2A/2AH, 2B/2BH.

- BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES, COLLEGE OF (ALL MAJORS): 3.2 overall UC transferable GPA. 2.5 GPA in each group of courses with no grade less than “C” and must have 2.5 in the course(s) in each group that have been completed when the TAG is submitted. (MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH); (CHEM 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH); (BIOL 6A/6AH, 6B, 6C/6CH). Recommended: CHEM 12A, 12B, 12C; PHYS 2B, 2C.

- BIOTECHNOLOGY: 3.2 overall UC transferable GPA. 2.5 GPA in each group of courses with no grade less than “C” and must have 2.5 in the course(s) in each group that have been completed when the TAG is submitted. (MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH); (CHEM 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH). Also required: BIOL 6A/6AH with a “B” or higher. BIOL 6ABC series completion is highly recommended as it is a prerequisite for many upper-division courses. If two courses or entire series are completed, a group GPA of 2.5, with no grade less than “C” is required. Recommended: CHEM 12A, 12B, 12C.

- DATA SCIENCE: not available through TAG

- ECONOMICS: 3.2 overall UC transferable GPA. 2.5 GPA in the following courses with no grade less than “C” and must have the 2.5 in the group of courses completed when the TAG is submitted. ECON 1/1H, 2/2H; MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH. Recommended: MATH 10/10H or MATH 17 or PSYC/SOC 15.
ENGINEERING, COLLEGE OF: 3.5 overall UC transferable GPA. Must complete all lower division engineering courses required for admission by the end of spring 2024 with a 3.5 GPA and must have 3.5 in the group of courses completed when the TAG is submitted. Courses must be completed with a letter grade and with no grade less than “C.”(See www.assist.org and https://www.ucdavis.edu/admissions/transfer/major-requirements-college-engineering)

Aerospace Engineering: CHEM 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH; COMM 1/1H; ENGR 35, 37; MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, 1D/1DH; MATH 2A/2AH, 2B/2BH; PHYS 4A, 4B, 4C; (EWRT 1A/1AH or (1AS & 1AT) or ESL 5 (ESL 5 must be taken fall 2021 or later) or EWRT 1B/1BH or 1C or 2/2H or COMM 9/9H)#

Biomedical Engineering: CHEM 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, CHEM 12A, 12B; MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, 1D/1DH; MATH 2A/2AH, 2B/2BH; PHYS 4A, 4B, 4C; (EWRT 1A/1AH or (1AS & 1AT) or ESL 5 (ESL 5 must be taken fall 2021 or later) or EWRT 1B/1BH or 1C or 2/2H or COMM 9/9H)#

Chemical Engineering: CHEM 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, 1D/1DH; MATH 2A/2AH, 2B/2BH; PHYS 4A, 4B, 4C; (EWRT 1A/1AH or (1AS & 1AT) or ESL 5 (ESL 5 must be taken fall 2021 or later) or EWRT 1B/1BH or 1C or 2/2H or COMM 9/9H)#

Mechanical Engineering: CHEM 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH; ENGR 35, 37; MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, 1D/1DH; MATH 2A/2AH, 2B/2BH; PHYS 4A, 4B, 4C. Recommended: COMM 1/1H and (EWRT 1A/1AH or (1AS & 1AT) or ESL 5 (ESL 5 must be taken fall 2021 or later) or EWRT 1B/1BH or 1C or 2/2H or COMM 9/9H)#

Computer Science and Engineering: CHEM 1A/1AH (and CHEM 1B/1BH if CHEM 1A/1AH is taken after summer 2023); COMM 1/1H; (CIS 22A or 22B/22BH* or 26A or 26B/26BH* or 27 or 35A or 36A); CIS 22B/22BH* or 29 or 35A@ or 36B); CIS 22C/22CH%; CIS 21JA; ENGR 37; MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, 1D/1DH; MATH 2A/2AH, 2B/2BH; PHYS 4A, 4B, 4C, 4D; (EWRT 1A/1AH or (1AS & 1AT) or ESL 5 (ESL 5 must be taken fall 2021 or later) or EWRT 1B/1BH or 1C or 2/2H or COMM 9/9H)#. Recommended: familiarity with UNIX

Environmental Engineering: CHEM 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH; ENGR 35; GEOL 10; MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, 1D/1DH; MATH 2A/2AH, MATH 2B/2BH; PHYS 4A, 4C; (EWRT 1A/1AH or (1AS & 1AT) or ESL 5 (ESL 5 must be taken fall 2021 or later) or EWRT 1B/1BH or 1C or 2/2H or COMM 9/9H)#

Materials Science and Engineering: CHEM 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH; ENGR 35 or 37; MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, 1D/1DH; MATH 2A/2AH, 2B/2BH; PHYS 4A, 4B, 4C, 4D; (EWRT 1A/1AH or (1AS & 1AT) or ESL 5 (ESL 5 must be taken fall 2021 or later) or EWRT 1B/1BH or 1C or 2/2H or COMM 9/9H)#

Electrical Engineering: CHEM 1A/1AH (and CHEM 1B/1BH if CHEM 1A/1AH is taken after summer 2023); (CIS 22A or 22B/22BH* or 26A or 26B/26BH* or 27 or 35A or 36A); CIS 22B/22BH* or 29 or 35A@ or 36B); CIS 22C/22CH%; ENGR 37; MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, 1D/1DH; MATH 2A/2AH, 2B/2BH; PHYS 4A, 4B, 4C, 4D; (EWRT 1A/1AH or (1AS & 1AT) or ESL 5 (ESL 5 must be taken fall 2021 or later) or EWRT 1B/1BH or 1C or 2/2H or COMM 9/9H)#. Recommended: familiarity with UNIX

Computer Science: not available through TAG

The College of Engineering requires (or recommends for some majors) one English course as part of its lower division preparation. (AP English with a score of 4 or 5 may be used to fulfill this engineering course requirement). However, UC requires two English composition (UC-E) courses for admissions eligibility and both must be completed by the end of fall 2023 for the TAG.
CIS 22B/22BH is listed twice, but it can only fulfill one requirement.

CIS 35A is listed twice, but it can only fulfill one requirement.

- **MANAGERIAL ECONOMICS**: 3.2 overall UC transferable GPA. 2.0 GPA in the following courses with no grade less than “C” and must have 2.0 in the group of courses completed when the TAG is submitted. ECON 1/1H, 2/2H; MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, MATH 10/10H or 17 or PSYC/SOC 15. Recommended: ACCT 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH; BUS 18; COMM 1/1H or 16/16H.

- **MATHEMATICS; MATHEMATICAL ANALYTICS & OPERATIONS RESEARCH; MATHEMATICAL & SCIENTIFIC COMPUTATION**: 3.2 overall UC transferable GPA. 3.0 GPA in the following courses with no grade less than “C” and must have 3.0 in the group of courses completed when the TAG is submitted. MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, 1D/1DH; MATH 2A/2AH, 2B/2BH.

- **PHYSICS**: 3.2 overall UC transferable GPA. 3.0 GPA in the following courses with no grade less than “C” and must have 3.0 in the group of courses completed when the TAG is submitted. PHYS 4A, 4B, 4C, 4D; MATH 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH, 1D/1DH; MATH 2A/2AH, 2B/2BH.

- **PRE-LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE**: 3.2 overall UC transferable GPA, be willing to arrange TAG for “Pre-Landscape Architecture” and apply in the Landscape Architecture (Pre-) category of the UC Application for Undergraduate Admission. After enrolling at UCD, a portfolio application will be required. Contact (530) 754-8628 or visit [http://humanecology.ucdavis.edu](http://humanecology.ucdavis.edu) for portfolio details. TAG does NOT guarantee admission to the major.

- **PSYCHOLOGY**: 3.2 overall UC transferable GPA. 2.9 GPA in the following courses with no grade less than “C” and must have 2.9 in the group of courses completed when the TAG is submitted: PSYC 1; MATH 10/10H or 17 or PSYC/SOC 15; BIOL 6B or (BIOL 10/10H and ANTH 1/1H) or (BIOL 10/10H and BIOL 40ABC).

- **VITICULTURE & ENOLOGY**: 3.2 overall UC transferable GPA. 3.0 GPA in the following group of courses with no grade less than “C” and must have 3.0 in the group of courses completed when the TAG is submitted. CHEM 1A/1AH, 1B/1BH, 1C/1CH; MATH 1A/1AH; PHYS 2B, 2C; BIOL 6B. Recommended: MATH 1B/1BH; if taken, the 3.0 GPA requirement also applies to this course.

^- The honors version of this course has not yet been approved for articulation with UC Davis at the time of this printing.

*^ For coursework taken spring/summer 2020 terms (ONLY), ‘Pass’ grades will be allowed in lieu of letter grades. Students must still meet GPA requirements for selective majors.

**UC Davis: Notes**

**Student Name**
You must use your full legal name on the UC TAG Application and the UC Application for Undergraduate Admission; consistent use and spelling of your name is crucial.

**UC Application**
If your TAG is approved, you must submit the UC Application for Undergraduate Admission October 1- November 30, 2023 for the same major on the TAG to keep your TAG. Information on the UC TAG Application and UC Application for Undergraduate Admission must match. (Note: UCD encourages students to wait for TAG decisions before submitting the UC application) You must also complete the UC Transfer Academic Update (TAU) see: [https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/how-to-apply/applying-as-a-transfer/after-you-apply/transfer-academic-update.html](https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/how-to-apply/applying-as-a-transfer/after-you-apply/transfer-academic-update.html) providing grades and course changes as directed, by the specified deadline.

**Courses Offered by California Community Colleges (CCC)**
You must take courses equivalent to UC Davis courses if they are offered at De Anza. Courses not offered at De Anza must be completed after enrolling at UC Davis. When [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) states that there is “NO COMPARABLE COURSE” or “NO COURSE ARTICULATED” UC Davis will waive that course requirement for the TAG. If a course is not offered at De Anza, UC Davis encourages you to seek comparable courses at another CCC when possible and to include comments in the TAG Application when unable to enroll in required courses.
Transcripts (domestic and outside of the US)

1) You must self-report online each college or university where you were previously (and are currently) enrolled/attended, including enrollment and attendance in English language programs. You must be prepared to provide UC Davis with transcripts verifying enrollment and attendance in English language programs upon request.

2) If you attended a college or university outside of the United States, the correct name and address of each international school must be reported online. You must be prepared to provide UC Davis with transcripts (with grading rubrics), course descriptions, AND word-for-word English translations of both documents upon request.

3) If you are admitted to UC Davis you must be prepared to submit official final De Anza transcripts to UC Davis by July 15, 2024. (Note, this extended deadline applies to Foothill-De Anza because we’re on the quarter system. All other official final transcripts (college, university, high school) must be submitted by July 1, 2024.) It is critical that coursework self-reported on the UC TAG Application (via TAP) and the UC Application for Undergraduate Admission matches with coursework on official transcripts.

Exam Scores
If exams were taken, you must self-report online scores from AP and IB Higher Level Examinations. Students admitted to UC Davis should be prepared to submit official exam scores to UC Davis by July 1, 2024. It is critical that scores self-reported on the UC TAG Application (via TAP) and the UC Application for Undergraduate Admission match the official exam scores. AP and IB exams with valid scores are acceptable when comparable to UC Davis course equivalencies. See UC Davis AP and IB info at: https://www.ucdavis.edu/admissions/undergraduate/transfer/transfer-admission-guarantee/criteria

Missing lower-level courses within series
If you completed advanced-level courses without completing corresponding lower-level courses within a series, be advised that you may be missing important subject matter considered comparable to UC Davis course content. Consult with UC Davis directly for possible transfer limitations/restrictions. Regarding sequential math and language other than English (LOTE) courses, advanced level course completed with a “C” or better validates the missing lower-level course. TAG applicants in selective majors requiring mathematics must still meet specified course group GPA requirements. Regarding sequential chemistry courses, TAG applicants in selective majors requiring chemistry who meet specified course group GPA requirements will be reviewed by the college on a case-by-case basis for an admission recommendation. Physics courses are NOT considered sequential.

Lower-Division Unit Limitations/Excessive Units
You will be granted up to 70 sem/105 qtr units of credit for lower division coursework completed at any institution or any combination of institutions. For units beyond the maximum, subject credit for appropriate coursework taken in excess of this unit limitation will be granted and may be used to satisfy requirements. If upper division coursework was completed, please check with a counselor or adviser to determine if you are at risk of being denied admission due to excessive units.

• Units earned through AP, IB, and/or A-Level examinations do not put applicants at risk of being denied admission due to excessive units.
• ALL units earned at any UC campus (extension, summer, cross/concurrent and regular academic year enrollment) are not included in the limitation. This means they will be added to the maximum transfer credit allowed and may put applicants at risk of being denied admission due to excessive units.

Reporting Coursework/ Gaps in Education
The UC Transfer Admission Planner System instructs you to list in chronological order ALL college and university courses (including summer session and extension courses) for all terms you have attempted or completed (including courses you repeated or in which you earned a D or an F, I for incomplete, or W for withdrawal), regardless of grade, length of attendance or whether you think the courses will affect your chances to qualify for TAG. Enter your grades exactly as they appear on your records. Refer to grade reports and transcripts; do not work from memory. Be sure to include courses that are currently in progress and planned for future terms. You must also report and explain any gaps in your education.

You will be reporting UC transferable courses completed at a CCC by selecting from a course-list displayed in UC TAP. All other courses must be manually entered. Transpose the course information exactly as it appears on the transcript, with the exception of campus identifiers (D=De Anza, F=Foothill) attached to Foothill-De Anza’s course numbers appearing on Degree Works and unofficial transcripts. Report the correct course number by dropping the campus identifier. Reminder: you should only be manually typing in CCC courses that are not UC transferable and courses taken outside of the CCC system.

Series Courses Should be Completed at the Same California Community College
Articulation agreements are California community college specific. Lower division courses taken at multiple California community colleges may articulate differently from what is indicated in the department or major agreements – see www.ASSIST.org Series courses should be completed at the same California community college.

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