

UC MERCED TAG

FALL 2017 TRANSFER ADMISSION GUARANTEE

AM I ELIGIBLE FOR A TAG?

__ You must meet the definition of a California Community College (CCC) student

- You have been enrolled at one or more CCCs for at least 2 regular terms (excludes summer sessions)
- You are attending a CCC as your last college before transfer (excludes summer sessions) and in good standing

__ You must meet the following unit requirements for fall 2017 admission:

- By the end of summer 2016: Complete 30 semester (45 quarter) UC-transferable units (may include AP/IB units)
- By the end of spring 2017: Complete 60 semester (90 quarter) UC-transferable units (30 units at one or more CCC's)

__ You must complete the following 7-course pattern by the end of spring 2017 for fall 2017 admission, earning a grade of "C" or better in each course:

- Two UC-transferable English Composition courses
- One UC-transferable Math course
- Four UC-transferable courses from two of the following three areas: Arts/Humanities, Social/Behavioral Sciences and Physical/Biological Sciences

HOW DO I APPLY FOR A UCM TAG?

__ Use the UC Transfer Admission Planner (TAP) at (<https://uctap.universityofcalifornia.edu>) to complete the online TAG application and self-report your full academic history from all colleges/universities you have attended

__ Submit an online TAG application between **September 1-30, 2016** (you can only apply for a TAG at **one** campus)

__ Submit a UC admission application to UCM at (www.universityofcalifornia.edu/apply) between November 1-30, 2016 (for the same major as the TAG application)

__ Check the UCM TAG box on the UC admission application

LIMITATIONS / ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

__ No unrepeatable grade(s) of "No Pass", "D" or "F" in UC transferable courses

__ No more than two total withdrawals in major preparation courses

__ Student must be enrolled at a CCC full-time for fall 2016 and spring 2017 prior to enrolling at UCM

__ Applicants can have no more than one major preparation course where grades of "No Pass", "D" or "F" were received even if repeated with passing grades through spring 2017

__ If you have taken any courses at a four-year university, you may not reach or exceed 80 semester (120 quarter) units of combined CCC lower division and four-year upper division units

__ TAG is available to International students with domestic and international coursework as well as AB540 students.

International students must also meet English proficiency requirements (<http://admissions.ucmerced.edu/international-transfer-applicants>) for UCM.

When English & Math courses must be completed	Majors that require specific major preparation **(Must see a counselor)**	Majors NOT AVAILABLE for TAG	Minimum GPA Requirement
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First English Composition and transferable Math course must be completed with a "C" or better by the <u>end of fall 2016</u> • Second English Composition course must be completed with a "C" or better by the <u>end of spring 2017</u>, prior to fall 2017 enrollment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All majors in the School of Engineering • School of Natural Sciences: Applied Mathematics, Biological Science, Chemical Science, Earth System Sciences and Physics • School of Social Science, Humanities and Arts: Anthropology, Cognitive Sciences (B.A./B.S.), Economics, History, Management & Business Economics, Political Science, and Sociology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English • Global Arts and Studies Program • Psychology • Public Health • Spanish <p>*Above majors not available at date of publication. Subject to change.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All majors in the School of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts: 2.8 (except Psychology which requires a 3.0) • All majors in the School of Natural Sciences: 2.9 • All majors in the School of Engineering: 3.0 <p>Note: Must meet the minimum GPA by the end of the summer 2016 term and maintain that GPA through spring 2017</p>