

TRANSFER CENTER

Helping You Get From Here to There!

USEFUL WEB SITES:

Saddleback College Transfer Center
www.saddleback.edu/transfer

ASSIST (Articulation Information)
www.assist.org

All California Universities
www.californiacolleges.edu

California State University
Information & Online Application
www.csumentor.edu

University of California
Information & Online Application
www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions

UC Transfer Website
<http://uctransfer.universityofcalifornia.edu>

Association of Independent
California Colleges & Universities
www.aiccu.org

Online Catalogs
www.collegesource.org

Financial Aid for Students
www.saddleback.edu/fao
www.fafsa.ed.gov
www.finaid.org
www.fastweb.com



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IMPORTANT
QUESTIONS TO ASK
COLLEGE REPS



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QUESTIONS TO ASK COLLEGE REPS AND CAMPUS TOUR GUIDES



ACADEMIC LIFE

- What are the most popular majors on campus?
- What is the average class size? Is it difficult to get the classes you need for graduation?
- What is the average time it takes for a student to graduate from this campus?
- Are the majority of classes taught by professors or teaching assistants? Will I work with teaching assistants? In what way?
- How late is the library open each day? Is it open on weekends? Are computers available?
- What is the undergraduate and graduate enrollment?

ABOUT YOUR MAJOR

- What courses do you require for a transfer student in my major? What is the GPA requirement for my major?
- What is the major prep? What general education pattern should I follow? Do I need to complete either or both?
- Is my major impacted? How does that affect me? Do I enroll in a pre-major if my major is impacted?
- Do I need to complete a supplemental application for my major? Are there additional requirements—auditions, letter of recommendation, portfolio, related work experience, etc...?

- Are there any major-specific selection criteria?
- Once I am enrolled in a major, can I change to any major on campus?
- Can I choose a minor from any majors on campus?
- Are there internship opportunities in my major? How do I get involved in research work associated with this major?

CAMPUS LIFE

- What percentage of students live on campus?
- Is there guaranteed housing for transfer students?
- What is the cafeteria food like? What food plan options are available?
- What is the average rent price for nearby apartments? Do you offer help to find off campus housing?
- How can I find a roommate off campus? Ads posted?
- Is there a housing office/center on campus?
- Is it difficult to find parking on campus? Cost of parking permit? Off-campus parking available?
- Do you have parking escorts at night?
- Is there a shuttle from campus to local community business/shopping areas and parking lots?
- Do you have a carpool program?



- What is social life like on campus? What clubs, athletic and recreation opportunities are available?
- Is there a fitness center on campus?
- Are there campus activities on the weekends, or do most students leave for the weekend?
- Does your campus have a job placement center to assist students?
- Are there student specific work opportunities available on campus?



BITS AND PIECES

- Why should I transfer to your campus? What is special about it? Strengths? Weaknesses?
- When should I apply? Deadlines? Fees? Fall only?
- Does your campus accept spring or winter admissions?
- Is financial aid available? What can I do now to secure financial aid before arriving on your campus? Grants? Scholarships?
- What have I forgotten to ask you that might be important for me to know later?
- May I have your business card? May I stay in touch with you while I prepare to transfer to your campus?
- Is there a counseling center available for students? How can I make an appointment?
- Are major advisors available?
- Does your campus have a childcare center? Waiting list? Costs?