



CONTACT INFORMATION

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TRANSFER ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

California University determines transfer admission based upon the following criteria:

A. Fewer than 12 credits of transferable credits (as determined by Cal U):

1. Cumulative GPA from all college transcripts must be a minimum of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale.
2. Official transcripts from all colleges/universities attended must be sent to Cal U Admissions Office.
3. High school transcripts and SAT scores must be sent to Cal U Admissions Office.

B. 12 or more transferable credits (as determined by Cal U.):

1. Cumulative GPA must be a minimum of 2.0.
2. Official transcripts from all colleges/universities attended must be sent to CalU Admissions Office.

MAXIMUM TRANSFERABLE CREDITS

Cal U does not set a maximum number of transferable credits. Students must complete at least 30 of the last 45 credits from Cal U. In addition, students must complete at least 50% of the major coursework within their department from Cal U. Courses with grades of "D" are not transferable unless they are completed as a part of an articulation agreement with California University.

SELECTION OF TRANSFERABLE CREDITS

Allegany College of Maryland works closely with California University to advise students in the selection of courses for transfer. Refer to the following resources for information:

- [College Transfer.Net](#) provides course equivalencies for many ACM courses that transfer to CalU.
- Visit the [Transfer Agreement page](#) on the ACM website to view articulated programs with CalU.
- Contact the Articulation and Transfer Evaluation Office at 724-938-5939 or by emailing transfer@calu.edu to see how easy it is to transfer to Cal U.
- Transfer advisors are available in Cumberland Campus Student Success Center and Pennsylvania Student Services Offices.
- California University Admissions Office staff visit the ACM campuses through the school year.

SUGGESTED GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES

The following is a suggested list of Allegany College of Maryland courses that will satisfy the lower-level General Education of California University. Additional ACM courses may satisfy the requirements. Consult your advisor or the [Student Success Center](#) or the Bedford County Campus Student Services Office for more information.

CalU General Education: Goals and Objectives)	Suggested ACM Courses
<u>Building a Sense of Community</u> (1 Credit)	Complete at CUP (students transferring 24 or more credits are exempt)
<u>Composition-Introductory Course</u> (3 Credits)	ENG 101
<u>Composition Intermediate Course</u> (0 to 3 Credits) Not required of all majors	ENG 102 or 112
<u>Public Speaking</u> (3 Credits)	SPCH 101
<u>Health and Wellness</u> (3 Credits)	PHED, 145, 152, 154
<u>Mathematics and Quantitative Reasoning</u> (3 Credits)	MATH 102, 105, 119, 200, 201, 202, 216, 217, 221
<u>Technology Literacy</u> (3 Credits)	COMP 218, 221
<u>Humanities</u> (3 Credits)	ENG 213, 223, 233, HIST 101-104, LANG 103, 104, PHIL 201
<u>Fine Arts</u> (3 Credits)	ART 111, 112, 121, 223, 224, 231, MUS 112
<u>Natural Sciences</u> (3-4 Credits)	BIO 145, 207, CHEM 101, 102, PHYS 101, 102, 105, 130, 202

<u>Social Sciences (3 Credits)</u>	CRIM 101, 205, ECON 103, 201, 201, GEOG 102, POSC 101, 102, 205, PSYCH 101, SOC 101, 102, 203, 211, 250
<u>General Education (12 credits)</u>	Additional course work from this list
<u>Special Experiences</u>	Complete at California University
<u>Writing Intensive</u>	Complete at California University
<u>Ethics and Multicultural Awareness (3 credits)</u>	ENG 233, GEOG 102, PHIL 202
<u>Laboratory Science (4 credits)</u>	CHEM 101, 102, PHYS 105, 202

- **Note:** Some majors at CUP may require specific General courses. Contact the CUP Transfer Evaluation Office at 724-938-5939 or transfer@cup.edu for additional information about the transferability of ACM courses.

OUTREACH PROGRAMS

California offers an outreach campuses at Allegany College of Maryland's Bedford County Campus. Students who have completed a prescribed set of ACM courses may transfer credits to California and complete a baccalaureate degree at the outreach center. Contact the Assistant Director of Admissions at 724-938-5834 or Burns_P@calu.edu for more information.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Students are encouraged to **apply early**. Students transferring in the spring are advised to apply in September and fall transfers are advised to apply between September and December. California has a rolling admissions policy so students could apply at any time prior to the start of a semester; however, for financial aid, scholarships, housing, and class scheduling purposes, students are encouraged to apply early.

- Submit a completed the [online application](#)
- Send in a \$25 application fee
- If required:
 - Mail an official high school transcript, which includes class rank or GED certificate and scores. (This requirement may be waived for students with an associate degree.)
 - Send SAT or American College Test (ACT) scores. (This requirement may be waived for applicants who have been out of high school for at least two years or have an associate, RN or baccalaureate degree.)
- Submit all official college transcripts.

SCHOLARSHIPS

<https://www.calu.edu/costs-aid/financial-aid/scholarships.aspx>

HAVE OTHER QUESTIONS ABOUT TRANSFERRING?

[Contact CalU](#) by e-mail or call 724-938-5939.

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