

TAG, You're In!

Guaranteed Admission to a University

TAG assistance for students applying for fall 2018 Admission

TAG Kiosk, Workshop & Completed Application Review Information



TAG Informational Kiosk

MONDAY	TAG Kiosk	September 11, 18, 25	Noon — 2:00 pm	SS-Lobby
TUESDAY	TAG Kiosk	September 5, 12, 19, 26	Noon — 2:00 pm	SS-Lobby
WEDNESDAY	TAG Kiosk	September 6, 13, 20, 27	9:00 am — 11:00 am	SS-Lobby
THURSDAY	TAG Kiosk	September 7, 14, 21, 28	9:00 am — 11:00 am	SS-Lobby
POST TAG DEADLINE ASSISTANCE	TAG Kiosk	October 2, 3	9:00 am — 2:00 pm	Transfer Center

Interactive TAG Application Workshops*

TUESDAY	TAG App Wrkshp	September 5, 12, 19, 26	9:30 am — 11:00 am / 4:30 pm — 6:00 pm	SS-250
WEDNESDAY	TAG App Wrkshp	September 6, 13, 27	2:30 pm — 4:00 pm	SS-250
THURSDAY	TAG App Wrkshp	September 7, 14, 21, 28	2:30 pm — 4:00 pm	SS-250
SATURDAY	TAG App Wrkshp	September 16, 23, 30	10:00 am — 11:30 am	H-328B
SUNDAY	TAG App Wrkshp	September 10, 17, 24	11:00 am — 12:30 pm	H-328B
F-1 VISA Int'l Students Only	TAG App Wrkshp	September 14	12:30 pm — 2:00 pm	SS-250
LIVE STREAMING	TAG App Wrkshp	See Attached Schedule	See Attached Schedule	Online

*In lieu of attending a non-mandatory workshop, students may utilize the [online TAG tutorial](#) or simply apply for the [TAG online](#)

Drop-In Assistance for Completed TAG Application Review**

MONDAY	Completed TAG Application Review	September 11, 18, 25	8:30 am — 12:00 pm	Assessment Lab (SS-250)
ONLINE	Completed TAG Application Review	September 1 — 30	Dates/Times Vary	Online—sbcc.edu/tavirtual

**TAG application review sessions are for those students that attended a workshop or completed the online TAG tutorial

Prior to attending the workshop, the student should:

- 1) Read [TAG conditions](#) at your preferred University to determine initial eligibility;
- 2) Obtain transcripts from ALL previous colleges/universities;
- 3) Log in and create an [account](#);
- 4) Complete the [TAG application](#) to the best of your ability — academic history should **mirror** your transcripts, i.e. show all courses—non-transferable, D's, F's, W's, repeats, etc.; and
- 5) Please **be on time** for the TAG workshop as the information relayed takes the full class. If you expect to be more than 5 — 10 minutes late, please plan on attending another workshop. Remember to bring your transcripts and have your planned courses for spring 2018 (you may need to meet with an academic counselor prior to the workshop).

Students **applying fall 2019 and beyond** are encouraged to join the SBCC Transfer Academy (TA) by completing the online TA [orientation](#) this fall.

Please Note:

Each workshop is designed for UC transfers (except UC Berkeley, Los Angeles, and San Diego)

“The only thing better than a possibility is a Guarantee”

~SBCC Transfer Academy~

⇒ What is a Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG)?

Guaranteed Admission is more commonly referred to as a Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG) program. A TAG is a contractual agreement between you, SBCC, and a four-year college or university. Students who meet and maintain stated admission and major requirements are **guaranteed** admission to a specific four-year college or university. Six UC campuses offer guaranteed admission to California community college students who meet specific requirements. By participating in a Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG) program, you can ensure your admission to a specific campus, which offer an early review of your academic record, early admission notification, and specific guidance on major preparation and general education coursework. The 2018-19 [TAG matrix](#) provides a list of participating campuses, eligibility criteria, and campus-specific notes for fall 2018 admission. The TAG submission cycle for fall 2018 admissions is from **September 1, 2017—September 30, 2017**.

⇒ What are the benefits of submitting a TAG?

A TAG has many benefits. Meeting the conditions of the TAG will **GUARANTEE** an enrollment slot for the TAG admission cycle. The TAG provides prospective students with a specific plan of action to ensure they satisfy the admissions requirements. The TAG provides the participating universities with the student's contact information and as a result, the student will have direct access to university representatives and current information pertaining to their admissions or changes they should know about. Other benefits vary, please check with specific school.

⇒ Who is eligible to submit a TAG?

Criteria varies by four-year college or university, but in all cases a UC TAG is available only to students transferring directly from a California Community College are considered for a TAG, including international students (those with a visa). The University of California defines a CCC transfer student as one who has completed over half of their units at a CCC. All UC TAG campuses require students to meet this definition. The following persons are ineligible to submit a TAG:

- ◆ Students who have already earned a bachelor's degree, graduate degree, and/or professional degree cannot participate in TAG
- ◆ Students who have previously enrolled at a UC campus during a regular term (not including summer session) cannot submit a TAG application to return to that campus.

⇒ What is the process of submitting a TAG?

You **may** attend a TAG workshop, view the TAG tutorial, and/or submit the TAG directly to the UC TAG website without our assistance. Please follow the steps for TAG submission on page 1 or at SBCC.EDU/TAG.

UC & CSU Transfer Timeline for Fall 2018 Admission

ACCESS TO & BEGIN WORKING ON TAG	OPEN
UC APPLICATION PERIOD OPENS	AUGUST 1, 2017—NOVEMBER 30, 2017
UC TAG SUBMISSION PERIOD	SEPTEMBER 1, 2017—SEPTEMBER 30, 2017
CSU APPLICATION SUBMISSION PERIOD	OCTOBER 1, 2017—NOVEMBER 30, 2017
UC APPLICATION SUBMISISON PERIOD	NOVEMBER 1, 2017—NOVEMBER 30, 2017
UC APPLICATION UPDATE	JANUARY 1, 2018—JANUARY 31, 2018

⇒ May I submit more than one TAG?

Students can only submit one UC TAG. If applicable, students applying to a CSU and/or independent/private institution can submit a TAG for that system. In order to be considered for Guaranteed Admission at one of the six UC's in fall 2018, it is **imperative** that a TAG be submitted to the UC by September 30, 2017. In addition to submitting a TAG by September 30th, all students **must** submit a [UC Admissions Application](#). The CSU's and private/independent institutions have varying TAG deadlines. Please review the individual school information as listed above and/or meet with a counselor for additional information.

⇒ What if I change my mind and decide to transfer to a different school?

TAG schools and SBCC understand that goals change. Students who submit a TAG are not obligated to transfer to the four-year college or university. If you are accepted for admission with a TAG University and decide not to attend, no worries as you will not accept the offer of admission.

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