**Santa Clara University - Transfer Policy**

Thank you for your interest in Santa Clara University. We know that transferring schools can be a time-consuming process. We hope to make it as smooth as possible for you.

**What We Want to See**

Santa Clara University reviews many factors when making transfer admissions decisions. These factors can be roughly divided into three areas: academic performance, standardized test scores, and nonacademic involvement on and off campus.

We look closely at your college grades and college recommendations. For nonacademic performance, we look to see if you have been involved at an extracurricular level. Considering these factors allows us to make an informed decision regarding your application. However, all decisions are contingent first and foremost upon space availability within a program.

**How to Prepare**

Be aware of the documents that you are required to submit to transfer to Santa Clara University. It is essential that you submit all requested forms, transcripts, statements, and scores. Your application cannot be completed until we have received all of the documents listed below. Late submission of any piece of your application can significantly affect our ability to provide you with a timely decision.

**Important dates**

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| January 7 | Engineering Transfer Express deadline |
| April 15 | Regular transfer deadline |

**Tip:** See our [transfer guides](http://www.scu.edu/ugrad/apply/transfer/requirements/index.cfm) for lower-division requirements of bachelor’s degree programs at Santa Clara. We have guides for many of the local community colleges. If you cannot find your school, use the general transfer guide.

**Required Documents**

* [Common Application for Transfer Admission](https://www.commonapp.org) and SCU Supplement
* Official transcript(s) from all colleges and universities you have attended
* One Instructor Evaluation
* SAT or ACT score if you have less than 30 semester or 45 quarter units
* High School transcript if you have less than 30 semester or 45 quarter units
* $55 application fee

**More Questions?**

Visit our [Frequently Asked Questions](http://www.scu.edu/ugrad/apply/transfer/Transfer-FAQs.cfm) page.

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