

Cuyamaca College

2024-2025 Transfers to Four-Year Universities



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Methods

Data

The transfer data used in this report were provided by the National Student Clearinghouse. While every effort was made to ensure the accuracy of the data, slight variations may occur due to differences in data collection methods.

Definitions

Transfer Students

Transfer students are defined as individuals attending a four-year college for the first time. To qualify as transfer students, they must have completed at least 12 undergraduate units at Cuyamaca College within six years of their transfer term. For example, a student transferring in Spring 2018 must have completed 12 units between Spring 2012 and Fall 2017. In addition, transfer students must have actively attended Cuyamaca College within one academic year before their transfer. For instance, a student transferring in Spring 2018 must have attended between Summer 2016 and Fall 2017. Special admit students (e.g., students enrolled while in high school) are included in transfer student counts if they meet all the criteria.

Results

2024-2025 Transfers

The majority of students (399, 53.6%) who transferred from Cuyamaca College in 2024-2025 had completed greater than or equal to 30 units.

Table 1. 2024-2025 Transfers by Units Completed (Cuyamaca College)

Unit Groups	2024-2025 Student Transfers (Unduplicated)
Completed 12 to 29.5 units	346
Completed 30+ units	399
Total	745

Students' most likely transfer schools in 2024-2025 were schools local to San Diego: San Diego State University (408, 54.4%) and University of California-San Diego (68, 9.1%). Of note, California State University – San Marcos which is about 30 miles from San Diego had the third largest number of transfers (49, 6.6%).

Table 2. 2024-2025 Transfer College Counts by Units Completed (Cuyamaca College)

Transfer College	Number of Transfer Students		
	12 to 29.5 Units	30 or more units	Total
San Diego State University	158	250	408
University Of California-San Diego	27	41	68
California State University - San Marcos	28	21	49
University Of California-Los Angeles	7	8	15
Point Loma Nazarene University	7	8	15
National University	9	5	14
Arizona State University	8	5	13
University Of California - Berkeley	6	3	9
Grand Canyon University-Traditional	5	3	8
University Of California-Santa Cruz	4	3	7
University Of California - Riverside	5	2	7
California State University - Fullerton	2	5	7
University Of California-Davis	1	5	6
California State Polytechnic University Humboldt	5	1	6
Western Governors University	4	2	6
University Of California-Santa Barbara	3	2	5

Transfer College	Number of Transfer Students		
	12 to 29.5 Units	30 or more units	Total
University Of California - Irvine	2	3	5
Grand Canyon University	2	3	5
California State University - Chico	1	3	4
University Of San Diego	3	1	4
California Polytechnic State University	3		3
University Of Arizona	3		3
California State University - Long Beach	2	1	3
California State University - Monterey Bay	2	1	3
California State University Channel Islands	2	1	3
Oregon State University	3		3
Boise State University	2		2
Middle Tennessee State University	1	1	2
University Of Nevada Las Vegas	1	1	2
California Baptist University -Undergrads	2		2
Colorado State University	1	1	2
California State University - Los Angeles	2		2
Broward College	1		1
University Of South Carolina		1	1
University Of Nebraska-Lincoln	1		1
California State Polytechnic University Pomona	1		1

Transfer College	Number of Transfer Students		
	12 to 29.5 Units	30 or more units	Total
Davis & Elkins College	1		1
Hampden-Sydney College		1	1
University Of Cincinnati		1	1
Hawaii Pacific University	1		1
University Of Pennsylvania	1		1
Indian River State College	1		1
California State University - San Bernardino		1	1
La Sierra University	1		1
California State University - East Bay	1		1
Liberty University	1		1
Eastern Oregon University	1		1
Chamberlain University	1		1
University Of Illinois Chicago		1	1
Minot State University	1		1
University Of New Haven-Semesters		1	1
Mount Saint Mary's University		1	1
University Of Portland	1		1
Xavier University Of Louisiana		1	1
University Of Wisconsin - Whitewater		1	1
Chapman University-Grad Health Sciences	1		1

Transfer College	Number of Transfer Students		
	12 to 29.5 Units	30 or more units	Total
Columbia Southern University	1		1
Western Colorado University		1	1
University Of California - Merced		1	1
Western New Mexico University	1		1
Dean College		1	1
Ohio University	1		1
East Carolina University	1		1
Clarke University	1		1
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University - Arizona		1	1
Vanguard University Of Southern California	1		1
University Of Hawaii At Manoa		1	1
Bowdoin College	1		1
University Of Massachusetts Global	1		1
Purdue University Global		1	1
Florida Gulf Coast University	1		1
Brigham Young University	1		1
University Of North Texas		1	1
San Francisco State University	1		1
University Of Phoenix	1		1
San Jose State University		1	1

Transfer College	Number of Transfer Students		
	12 to 29.5 Units	30 or more units	Total
George Washington University	1		1
Southern New Hampshire- 09Week	1		1
University Of Tennessee	1		1
St Mary's College Of California		1	1
California State University - Sacramento	1		1
The University Of Arizona Global Campus	1		1
Pennsylvania Western University		1	1
Northern Arizona University		1	1
California Lutheran University	1		1
Northern Michigan University	1		1
New Mexico Highlands University	1		1

**If students transferred to multiple colleges at the same time a transfer is counted for each college at the college level, but only once in total*