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FULLERTON

## ENSURING A SMOOTH TRANSITION: A Checklist for New CSUF Transfer Students

**Congratulations on your admission to Cal State Fullerton!!!! Now that you've been admitted, these are the steps to take to ensure that your transition into CSUF is successful:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ **Titan Degree Audit (TDA):** You will receive a postcard notifying you that your Titan Degree Audit (or TDA) is available through **Titan Online** (accessible through the student portal at [www.fullerton.edu](http://www.fullerton.edu)). Your first TDA is a preliminary evaluation of your transferable coursework and will show you how your previously earned coursework will be used towards your bachelor's degree at CSUF. **Be sure to take this evaluation and copies of your transcripts with you when you meet with advisors at CSUF!**
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Obtain a CSUF Catalog and a Schedule of Classes:** from the Titan Bookstore or mini-markets located on campus. Although both of these guides are available through CSUF's website, having hard copies for easy reference are very helpful for students.
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Attend Transfer Student Orientation.** Even though you've attended another college, don't assume that you know how Cal State Fullerton's system works. CSUF's Transfer Student Orientation Program will enable you to learn about Cal State Fullerton's requirements, policies, and support services so that you will be able to complete your degree program successfully and in a timely manner. **Transfer Orientations will be mandatory for students enrolling in or after Fall 2007. For more information, contact New Student Programs at (714) 278-2501.**
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ **See Academic Advisors:** in both your major department and the Academic Advisement Center. Your major advisor will guide you through the requirements you need to complete your major. The advisors in the Advisement Center will assist you with your remaining General Education Coursework as well as other degree requirements. It's critical to meet with both advisors at least one each semester.
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Register for Classes through CSUF's TITAN Online or Telephone Registration System.** CSUF's Class Schedules provide detailed instructions on how to access and enroll in classes through the TITAN Online (<http://www.fullerton.edu/titanonline>) or TITAN Interactive Telephone Registration System. If you have problems or have questions About either of these registration systems, you may call (714) 278-7601. **Be sure to pay for your classes on or before fees are due or your registration will be cancelled.**
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Send your Final Transcript from your previous college(s).** As soon as your final transcript is available, be sure you send it to the University's Office of Admissions and Records. **General Education Certification** is strongly recommended if you have completed either the CSU General Education Breadth Requirements or the IGETC. For more information, contact your community college's admissions office.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Financial Aid:** If you are receiving Financial Aid, you can check the status of your application, award, and download any forms that are necessary for your financial aid to be disbursed through TITAN Online (also accessible through the student portal at [www.fullerton.edu](http://www.fullerton.edu)). If you haven't already applied for financial aid, you may obtain information about grants, scholarships and other forms of financial aid available to CSUF students at [www.fullerton.edu/financialaid](http://www.fullerton.edu/financialaid).

\_\_\_\_\_ **Titan Card:** If you were not able to attend a New Student Orientation, be sure to pick up your Titan Card (your student ID card) at the Pollak Library.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Parking and Transportation Services:** To purchase a University parking permit or to obtain information about bus service, Metrolink, and other transportation services, stop by the Parking & Transportation Services Office.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Pick up a CSUF Student Handbook and Planner:** The Office of New Student Programs publishes our Student Handbooks and they are packed with information that will help acquaint you with the University as well as a weekly planner that will keep you on top of your coursework.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Find Your Class Locations:** Before your first day of classes, walk around Cal State Fullerton's campus to find your classroom locations.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Titan Weeks of Welcome:** During the first week of each regular semester, the University holds "Welcome Weeks" which feature information about student services, student activities, as well as clubs and organizations available at CSUF. Drop by the Welcome Week tents or the New Student Programs Office for more details.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Be Patient and Persistent!!** If problems arise during the steps listed above or during your days as a student at Cal State Fullerton, remember that there are many people on campus who can help you through the occasional difficulties that occur as you are adjusting to a new campus. The last page of this transfer student guide provides you with many services that will help you succeed at the University.

**CAL STATE FULLERTON'S MAIN WEB SITE ADDRESS IS:**

**[www.fullerton.edu](http://www.fullerton.edu)**

**UNIVERSITY OUTREACH'S WEB SITE ADDRESS IS:**

**[www.calstatefullerton.com](http://www.calstatefullerton.com)**

## WHERE TO GO FOR HELP AT CSUF

### STUDENT SERVICES:

Area Code: 714

Academic Advisement Center	UH 123	278-3606
Admissions & Records	LH 1 <sup>st</sup> . Floor	278-2370
Admissions & Records Service Ctr.	LH 114A	278-2300
Adult ReEntry Center	UH 205	278-3889
Assistant Deans:		
Arts:	VA 191C	278-3255
Business & Economics	LH 731	278-2211
Communications	CP 450	278-7083
Education	EC 1941	278-4161
Engineering & Computer Science	CS 501	278-2887
Human Devt. & Community Service	EC 612	278-4161
Humanities & Social Sciences	H 211	278-2969
Natural Sciences & Mathematics	MH 488	278-4158
El Toro Campus	ETC	(949) 582-4990
Associated Students	TSU 207	278-3295
Athletics	Titan House	278-3058
Career Planning & Placement	LH 208	278-3121
Center for Careers in Teaching	H-113	278-7130
Counseling & Psychological Services	HCA-116	278-3040
Dean of Students	TSU 235	278-3211
Disabled Student Services	UH 101	278-3117
Educational Opportunity Program	UH 231	278-2784
Health Services	Health Ctr.	278-2847
Honors Program & Scholars Center	PLN 120	278-7440
Housing & Residential Life	CRH Admin.	278-2168
International Ed./Study Abroad	UH 244	278-2787
Intersession & Open University	CP 100	278-2611
Library	Pollak Library	278-2633
Mc Nair Program	UH 179D	278-7315
MESA Engineering Program	CS 311	278-3114
New Student Programs	UH 178	278-2501
Parking & Transportation Services	T 14	278-3082
Student Retention Services	UH 143	278-2288
Student Support Services	UH 179	278-5210
Testing Services	PLS 182	278-3838
Titan Card	PLS 140	278-3555
Transfer & Visitor Center	UH 210A	278-2086
University Learning Center	MH 33 & 78	278-7325 or 2738
University Police	T 1200	278-2515
Veterans Services	LH 116	278-2373
Women's Center	UH 205	278-3928

## COLLEGE AND DEPARTMENT PHONE NUMBERS

**Unless stated otherwise, all numbers are in area code 714 and begin with 278-**

### COLLEGES AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS:

Arts	3256
Business and Economics	2592
Center for Careers in Teaching	7130
Communications	3355
Elementary & Bilingual Education	4736
Engineering & Computer Science	3362
Health Professions	3980
Human Development & Computer Science	3311
Humanities and Social Sciences	3528
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	2638
Pre-Law	3521
Secondary Education	3411
Special Major	3606

### MAJOR DEPARTMENTS AND PROGRAMS:

English and Comparative Literature	3163
Environmental Studies	3594
Finance	2217
Foreign Languages & Literatures	3534
Geography	3161
Geological Sciences	3882
Gerontology	7057
Health Science	3316
History	3474
Human Services	2255
Information Systems/Decision Sciences	2221
International Business Program	2211
Kinesiology	3316
Latin American Studies	2594
Liberal Studies	2794
Linguistics	3163
Management	2251
Marketing	2223
Mathematics	3631
Mechanical Engineering	3014
Military Science	3007
Music	3511
Nursing	3336
Philosophy	3611
Physics	3366
Political Science	3521
Psychology	3514
Public Administration	3521
Radio, TV, Film	7883
Reading Education	4023
Russian & East European Studies	3474
Science Education	2307
Secondary Education	4023
Speech Communication	3617
Theatre Arts	3628
Women's Studies	3888

### MAJOR DEPARTMENTS AND PROGRAMS:

Accounting	2225
Afro-Ethnic Studies	3848
American Studies	2441
Anthropology	3626
Art	3471
Asian American Studies/Asian Studies	2006
Biological Science/Biotechnology	3614
Business Administration	2211
Chemistry/Biochemistry	3621
Chicana and Chicano Studies	3731
Child and Adolescent Studies	2255
Civil and Environmental Engineering	3012
Communications	3517
Communicative Disorders	3617
Comparative Religion	2442
Computer Science	3700
Counseling	2255
Criminal Justice	3521
Dance	3628
Economics	2228
Educational Leadership	3411
Electrical Engineering	3013
Elementary/Bilingual Education	3411