



FOOTHILL COLLEGE

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Overview

The California State University Chancellor's Office and the University of California Office of the President released the numbers of community college transfers to the CSU and UC systems for 2012-13.

Some highlights:

- The transfer rate to the CSU system increased between 2011-12 and 2012-13 by 16%.
- The transfer rate to the UC system increased between 2011-12 and 2012-13 by 5%.
- The largest number of CSU transfers enrolled at San Jose State University (170), San Francisco State University (66) and Cal State East Bay (37). Out of these three institutions, only San Francisco State University experienced a decline in the number of Foothill transfer students from 2011-12 to 2012-13.
- White students represent over one-third of those enrolling in the CSU system in 2012-13 (37%), while Asian and Latino students each represent almost one-fifth of all CSU transfer students (17% Asian; 17% Latino).
- The acceptance rate to the UC system in 2012-13 is 76%.
- The largest number of UC transfers in 2012-13 enrolled at UC Davis (117), UC San Diego (79) and UC Berkeley (71). Out of these three institutions, only UC Davis experienced an increase in the number of Foothill transfer students from 2011-12 to 2012-13.
- UC Santa Barbara experienced the largest percentage rate increase in the number of transfer students between 2011-12 and 2012-13 (12 to 34 students).
- Compared to neighboring community colleges, Foothill transferred fewer numbers of students to the CSUs but a greater number to the UC system (except for De Anza).

In the past academic year, 349 Foothill students transferred to a CSU while 414 transferred to an UC institution. While the UC transfer numbers continue to be on an increasing trend since 2009-10, the CSU transfer numbers have fluctuated over the past four years (Table 1). However, the 2012-13 CSU transfers closely mirrors the 2010-11 number (349 vs. 346). As noted earlier, the changes in the annual CSU transfer rate may be partially explained by the revisions to San Jose State University’s local area guarantee and the CSU system not accepting any mid-year transfers.

Table 1. Foothill College California State University and University of California Transfers, 2009-10 to 2012-13.

System	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	Percent Change 2011-12 and 2012-13
California State University	227	346	302	349	16%
University of California	285	323	396	414	5%

Source: CSU, UC

California State University

Out of the 349 students transferring to a CSU institution, the largest representation was at San Jose State University (170), followed by San Francisco State (66) and Cal State East Bay (37). Cal State Long Beach (9) and Cal State Fullerton (8) represent the remaining top five CSU transfer destinations among Foothill students. Compared to 2011-12, the number of transfer students to these five institutions increased, with the exception of San Francisco State which declined by two students (-3%). Foothill continues to increase the number of transfer students enrolling at Cal State Humboldt, Cal State Los Angeles, Cal State Monterey Bay and Cal Poly Pomona (Table 2).

Table 2. Foothill College California State University Transfer Institutions, 2009-10 to 2012-13.

Campus	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	Percent Change 2011-12 to 2012-13
Bakersfield	0	2	1	1	0%
Channel Islands	0	0	1	1	0%
Chico	7	4	7	5	-29%
Dominguez Hills	2	2	0	0	0%
East Bay	37	34	24	37	54%
Fresno	0	3	5	1	-80%
Fullerton	2	0	0	8	800%
Humboldt	0	3	1	5	400%
Long Beach	1	4	8	9	13%
Los Angeles	3	1	3	4	33%
Maritime	1	1	3	1	-67%
Monterey Bay	2	1	4	5	25%
Northridge	6	9	6	4	-33%
Pomona	3	1	2	7	250%
Sacramento	11	9	9	7	-22%
San Bernardino	2	0	2	2	0%
San Diego	3	6	5	7	40%
San Francisco	48	73	68	66	-3%
San Jose	90	186	137	170	24%
San Luis Obispo	5	2	5	4	-20%
San Marcos	1	0	0	1	100%
Sonoma	1	1	8	4	-50%
Stanislaus	2	4	3	0	-100%
Total	227	346	302	349	16%

Source: CSU

Compared to 2011-12, Foothill transferred a higher number of students from all ethnic backgrounds, except for White students (-6) and those whose backgrounds included two or more races (-7). White students continue to represent the largest percentage among transferring students (35%) (note this percentage continues to decline from year to year), with Latinos and Asians at 17% each (Table 3).

Table 3. Foothill College California State University Transfer Students by Ethnicity, 2009-10 to 2012-13.

Ethnicity	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	Percent Change 2011-12 to 2012-13	Percent of 2012-13 Total
African American	6	12	9	10	11%	3%
American Indian	1	1	0	0	0%	0%
Asian	26	61	39	58	49%	17%
Filipino/Pacific Islander	8	10	5	10	100%	3%
Latino	37	66	52	59	13%	17%
White	87	125	128	122	-5%	35%
Multi-ethnic*	0	13	21	14	-33%	4%
Unknown	31	21	18	21	17%	6%
Non-Resident Alien	31	37	30	55	83%	16%

*Multi-ethnic is a category that was reported beginning in 2010-11.

Source: CSU

University of California

In 2012-13, there were 733 Foothill College applicants to the University of California system, with 556 applicants being admitted, yielding a final enrollment of 414 (Table 4). There was a 76% acceptance rate with roughly three-quarters of those admits enrolling at an UC campus. The number of applications increased from 2011-12 by 7% (687 to 733).

Table 4. Foothill College University of California Applicants, Admits and Enrollees, 2012-13.

Applicants	Admitted	Enrolled	Percent of Applicants Admitted	Percent of Admits Enrolled	Percent of Applicants Enrolled
733	556	414	76%	74%	56%

Table 5 shows the UC institutions where Foothill students transferred. UC Davis enrolled the greatest number (117), representing 28% of Foothill students transferring to the UC system. Along with UC Davis, UC San Diego (79), UC Berkeley (71) and UCLA (69) represent the top UC transfer destinations.

Table 5. Foothill College University of California Transfer Institutions, 2009-10 to 2012-13.

Campus	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	Percent Change 2011-12 to 2012-13
Berkeley	47	65	73	71	-3%
Davis	66	81	85	117	38%
Irvine	10	13	13	14	8%
Los Angeles	55	58	81	69	-15%
Merced	1	1	1	1	0%
Riverside	6	7	6	3	-50%
Santa Barbara	19	16	12	34	183%
Santa Cruz	18	16	35	26	-26%
San Diego	63	66	90	79	-12%
Total	285	323	396	414	5%

Source: UC

Comparisons with Other Community Colleges

Here are the 2012-13 California State University and University of California transfer numbers from Foothill College along with some of the neighboring colleges. Compared to some these other institutions, Foothill transferred fewer numbers of students to the CSUs but a greater number to the UC system (Tables 6 & 8).

Table 6. 2012-13 California State University Transfer Institutions by Community College.

Campus	Foothill	Cabrillo	Cañada	College of San Mateo	De Anza	Evergreen	San Jose City	Skyline	West Valley
Bakersfield	1	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	2
Channel Islands	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Chico	5	12	2	6	10	4	2	2	6
Dominguez Hills	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1
East Bay	37	8	16	39	116	36	39	36	20
Fresno	1	4	2	3	0	3	2	0	1
Fullerton	8	3	1	2	11	0	0	0	4
Humboldt	5	17	4	3	04	1	1	2	7
Long Beach	9	10	2	8	20	1	4	3	5
Los Angeles	4	0	0	2	3	1	0	0	5
Maritime	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Monterey Bay	5	60	4	3	7	4	7	1	10
Northridge	4	3	1	2	16	0	2	6	4
Pomona	7	1	0	3	19	1	1	2	2
Sacramento	7	5	8	8	14	9	6	11	8
San Bernardino	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
San Diego	7	11	6	10	32	2	4	6	7
San Francisco	66	34	25	171	174	20	27	222	45
San Jose	170	184	23	53	778	278	166	27	258
San Luis Obispo	4	12	4	3	10	1	0	1	11
San Marcos	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sonoma	4	4	4	5	1	0	1	2	7
Stanislaus	0	1	0	4	7	3	0	3	1
Total	349	375	102	325	1,225	364	265	326	406

Source: CSU

Among the CSU transfer students, these institutions sent the majority of their students to San Jose State University, San Francisco State University, and Cal State East Bay. While 49% of Cabrillo College’s CSU transfers enrolled at San Jose State University, the proximity of Cal State Monterey Bay yielded its second highest CSU transfer destination (16%). Due to proximity and its feeder school relationships, over half of the CSU transfers from College of San Mateo and Skyline College enrolled at San Francisco State University (53% and 68%). At De Anza College, the majority of CSU transfers enrolled at San Jose State University (64%). Evergreen College, San Jose City College and West Valley also had a majority of its CSU transfer students attending San Jose State University (76%, 63% and 64% respectively).

Table 7 shows a comparison of CSU transfer students from neighboring community colleges disaggregated by ethnicity. As a reflection of the diversity in the region, most of these institutions had about one-third or less of its CSU transfer cohort composed of White students. Cabrillo and West Valley were the exceptions with Whites making up a little over half of its CSU transfer students (52% each).

Table 7. 2012-13 California State University Transfer Students by Ethnicity and Community College.

Ethnicity		Foothill	Cabrillo	Cañada	College of San Mateo	De Anza	Evergreen	San Jose City	Skyline	West Valley
African American	N	10	3	0	4	25	10	28	7	5
	%	(3%)	(1%)	(0%)	(1%)	(2%)	(3%)	(11%)	(2%)	(1%)
American Indian	N	0	1	0	2	2	1	1	0	2
	%	(0%)	(0%)	(0%)	(1%)	(2%)	(0%)	(0%)	(0%)	(1%)
Asian	N	58	6	4	67	432	120	55	77	33
	%	(17%)	(2%)	(4%)	(21%)	(35%)	(33%)	(21%)	(24%)	(8%)
Filipino/PI	N	10	4	4	27	92	38	7	63	5
	%	(3%)	(1%)	(4%)	(8%)	(8%)	(10%)	(3%)	(19%)	(1%)
Latino	N	59	108	46	71	184	127	82	79	80
	%	(17%)	(29%)	(45%)	(22%)	(15%)	(35%)	(31%)	(24%)	(20%)
White	N	122	194	33	106	234	25	49	60	210
	%	(35%)	(52%)	(32%)	(33%)	(19%)	(8%)	(18%)	(18%)	(52%)
Multi-ethnic*	N	14	21	4	14	69	17	16	15	24
	%	(4%)	(6%)	(4%)	(4%)	(6%)	(5%)	(6%)	(5%)	(6%)
Unknown	N	21	34	6	15	49	12	11	10	33
	%	(6%)	(9%)	(6%)	(5%)	(4%)	(3%)	(4%)	(3%)	(8%)
Non-Resident	N	55	4	5	19	138	14	16	15	14
	%	(16%)	(1%)	(5%)	(6%)	(11%)	(4%)	(6%)	(5%)	(3%)
Total	N	349	375	102	325	1,225	364	265	326	406
	%	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)

*Multi-ethnic is a category that was reported beginning in 2010-11.

Within the UC system, UC Davis, UC Berkeley and UC Santa Cruz represent the top transfer destinations among these local community colleges.

Table 8. 2012-13 University of California Transfer Institutions by Community College.

Campus	Foothill	Cabrillo	Cañada	College of San Mateo	De Anza	Evergreen	San Jose City	Skyline	West Valley
Berkeley	71	19	12	36	131	6	4	28	30
Davis	117	20	10	63	179	22	7	51	20
Irvine	14	0	1	4	40	3	1	8	2
Los Angeles	69	13	1	11	124	5	3	5	12
Merced	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	1
Riverside	3	1	0	3	12	3	0	3	2
Santa Barbara	34	17	2	6	57	1	2	3	8
Santa Cruz	26	126	6	16	53	17	14	14	19
San Diego	79	7	2	10	129	5	5	6	6
Total	414	203	34	150	727	62	36	120	100

Source: UC

Table 9 shows a comparison of UC transfer students from neighboring community colleges disaggregated by ethnicity. Asians compose the majority of UC transfer students from Foothill (64%), De Anza (77%) and Evergreen (74%), while White students represent at least half of those transferring from Cabrillo (67%), Cañada (50%) and West Valley (61%). Latino students compose about 40% of those transferring from San Jose City, which is the highest percentage rate represented among all neighboring community colleges.

Table 9. 2012-13 University of California Transfer Institutions by Ethnicity and Community College.

Ethnicity		Foothill	Cabrillo	Cañada	College of San Mateo	De Anza	Evergreen	San Jose City	Skyline	West Valley
African American	N	13	6	0	4	11	1	2	4	1
	%	(3%)	(3%)	(0%)	(3%)	(2%)	(2%)	(6%)	(3%)	(1%)
American Indian	N	1	7	1	0	2	0	1	0	1
	%	(0%)	(3%)	(3%)	(0%)	(0%)	(0%)	(3%)	(0%)	(1%)
Asian	N	264	8	5	72	559	46	15	53	15
	%	(64%)	(4%)	(15%)	(48%)	(77%)	(74%)	(42%)	(44%)	(15%)
Filipino/PI	N	6	2	1	10	19	1	1	20	2
	%	(1%)	(1%)	(3%)	(7%)	(3%)	(2%)	(3%)	(17%)	(2%)
Latino	N	18	33	9	19	27	6	14	14	19
	%	(4%)	(16%)	(26%)	(13%)	(4%)	(10%)	(39%)	(12%)	(19%)
White	N	102	136	17	40	96	5	3	22	61
	%	(25%)	(67%)	(50%)	(27%)	(13%)	(8%)	(8%)	(18%)	(61%)
Unknown	N	10	11	1	5	13	3	0	7	1
	%	(2%)	(5%)	(3%)	(3%)	(2%)	(5%)	(0%)	(6%)	(1%)
Total	N	414	203	34	150	727	62	36	120	100
	%	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)

Source: UC

Methodology

The transfer rate for 2012-13 is for the full academic year. In 2009-10 and 2011-12, CSU did not admit any spring semester transfers. Note that 2012-13 is the first time the UC Office of the President released any data regarding ethnicity of transfers by community college.

Sources

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