Transfer and Reentry Center
How we support your student

Transfer Orientation
Introductions

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Welcome to the TRC

• Located in 1211 Dutton Hall between Financial Aid and the Cashiers Offices
• We strive to be a home away from home for your student
  • Quiet study room
  • New computers
  • Printing services (up to 5 pages per day)
  • Coffee Tuesday
What advisers and students tell us

- Adjusting to the quarter system: 18%
- Finding Community: 11%
- Social Transition: 8%
- Academic Challenges: 14%
- Financial Strain: 9%
- Knowing where to find resources: 10%
- Balancing outside responsibilities with home: 13%
- Utilizing Resources: 8%
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Easing the transition: adjusting to the quarter system

- Reentry Orientation
- Transfer Take Off Series
  - Social
  - Thrive Tuesday: Surviving at Davis
- Returning and Learning: The Reentry Student Experience
- The Importance of Networking
- First Year Aggie Connection
Addressing academic challenges

- Open advising appointments
- Career staff Transfer Adviser
- Referrals to campus partners
- Workshops specifically targeting the needs of transfer students:
  - Time management
  - Overcoming procrastination
  - Successful goal setting
Connecting to Resources

- Five Peer Advisers
- Transfer Fall Welcome
- Part of the Student Academic Success family
  - Success Coaching
  - Study Skills Workshops
  - Pre-grad and Pre-professional school advising
  - Writing Assistance
  - Math, Chemistry and Physics tutoring
Finding Community
It’s a team effort

• Your student will have a lot of support but we need your help
• Ask questions that show interest in their transition and progress:
  • Who’s your favorite professor and why?
  • How are you spending your down time?
  • What class(es) do you like the most?
  • What’s the biggest difference between Community College and UC Davis?
  • Tell me about your roommates.
Questions? Contact Us!

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