PLANNING TO TRANSFER?

1. **PLAN AHEAD**
   - Meet with an advisor or transfer specialist
   - Enroll in classes that will transfer and focus on classes relevant to your major. If you are unsure about your major, ask your advisor which general education requirements you should take that apply to all degrees.

2. **ENROLL FULL-TIME**
   - Research shows students who enroll full-time have a higher probability of transferring.

3. **RESEARCH**
   - Make a list of schools you would like to transfer to no later than the end of your first semester
   - Review each school’s transfer application process
   - Check if they accept your credits
   - Visit the campus
   - Talk to previous transfer students
   - Meet with a professor and/or sit in on a class

4. **GET INVOLVED**
   - Connect with faculty who can serve as references
   - Take advantage of the opportunities to get engaged on your campus

5. **APPLY EARLY**
   - Be aware of deadlines for financial aid
     - Complete the free application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and submit before the deadline. You can find state deadlines at [FAFSA.ED.GOV/DIADLINES](http://FAFSA.ED.GOV/DIADLINES)
     - If eligible, use the National Association for College Admission Counseling’s fee waiver form ([NACACNET.ORG/STUDENTINFO/FEEWAIVER](http://NACACNET.ORG/STUDENTINFO/FEEWAIVER))
     - Ask about transfer-specific scholarships like the Jack Kent Cooke Foundation’s undergraduate transfer scholarship ([JKCF.ORG/TRANSFER](http://JKCF.ORG/TRANSFER))