CONGRATS ON BEING ADMITTED TO UC RIVERSIDE (UCR)!
WE’RE SO GLAD YOU’RE HERE!

Follow the next steps in this resource guide to say “yes” to UCR and take your place at the No. 1 Top Performer on Social Mobility (U.S. News and World Report, 2020-22)!

FIRST STEP  VISIT IAM.UCR.EDU

Go to IAM.UCR.EDU, an exclusive virtual destination to share your admission news, connect with the UCR community, and submit your Statement of Intent to Register (SIR) by June 1.

THEN SAY “YES” TO UCR!

While on IAM.UCR.EDU, look for and select the “SIR Today” button. This will take you to your admissions portal account on My.UCR.EDU. Check this account often for updated messages specifically for you, including financial aid awards, checklists, provisions of admission, and more!

Set up your MyUCR account: Check your inbox for an email containing your username and instructions for creating a password. This email was sent to the address provided in your UC Application. If you did not receive an email, please contact admissions.ucr.edu/ash.

SIR BY JUNE 1 TO BECOME A UCR HIGHLANDER!

NOW UNTIL JUNE

☐ Complete Transfer Provisions of Admission

Check your Transfer Provisions of Admission for your requirements for eligibility and be sure you’ve met them.

Complete the coursework you reported as “in-progress” or “planned” with minimum grades of C or better, unless stated otherwise on your Provisions of Admission.

☐ Gather Your Immunization and Tuberculosis (TB) Requirement Records

All students are required to complete their immunization dates and submit proof of their immunization records for the UC required vaccines in their patient portal (chconline.ucr.edu). You must take the TB Screening questions and complete any additional TB clearance requests if needed. Failure to comply will result in a registration hold.

CHECK OUT THESE IMMUNIZATION RESOURCES:

- Immunization requirements and exemptions, including COVID-19: studenthealth.ucr.edu/immunization
- UC’s Immunization Policy: policy.ucop.edu/doc/5000649/UC-ImmunizationPolicy
- COVID-19 clinic updates, campus testing, and more: studenthealth.ucr.edu/covid-19
- Latest COVID-19 news and updates: campusreturn.ucr.edu

PRIORITY DEADLINE: MARCH 2

(APPLICATIONS CAN BE SUBMITTED AFTER MARCH 2.)

☐ Apply for Financial Aid and View Awards

Apply for financial aid no matter what! You might be surprised to learn what kind of aid you’re eligible to receive. Fun fact: 86% of UCR undergrads who applied received some form of financial aid. (Financial Aid Office, 2020–21)

- U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents – Complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at fafsa.gov by March 2. School code: 001316
- Undocumented California Residents – Complete a California Dream Act Application at dream.ca.gov by March 2. School code: 001316

Visit financialaid.ucr.edu for important dates and deadlines. If you have already applied for Financial Aid, go to My.UCR.EDU to view your award notices. Preliminary awards are also noted in your UCR admission packet.

APRIL

☐ Register for Highlander Orientation for Transfers

☐ Submit a Campus Housing Application or Contract

If you’ve already submitted your SIR, you are eligible to live in our Residence Halls, Campus Apartments, and Family Housing (for students with families of their own). Campus housing is expected to be fully open and in high demand for fall 2022. It is critical to submit your application or contract early!

Visit housing.ucr.edu for options, applications, and contracts.
APRIL 18

☐ Fall 2022 COVID-19 Vaccination Requirements
To avoid a registration hold, SIR’d students must upload proof of full
vaccination via the patient portal by April 18, 2022. For students that SIR after
April 18, proof must be uploaded immediately. studenthealth.ucr.edu/covid-19

APRIL 30

☐ Attend Highlander Day for Transfers
Come to Highlander Day Transfer, UCR’s in-person open house for admitted
transfer students and their families. Visit highlanderday.ucr.edu to learn more and register.

BY JUNE 1

☐ Submit Your SIR by June 1
Say "yes" to UCR by submitting your SIR via My.UCR.EDU — then celebrate and share your UCR Highlander Pride @LifeatUCR!

☐ Deadline to Submit Financial Aid Documents
• The deadline to submit supplemental information or documents to UCR is June 1.
• The fall fee payment deadline is Sept. 15.
Visit financialaid.ucr.edu for important dates and deadlines.

JUNE 1 - Sept. 2

☐ Waive UCSHIP (If Needed)
All UCR students are required to have health insurance coverage and are
automatically enrolled in our university health insurance plan, UCCHIP. If you
already have comparable health insurance coverage, you can waive out of
UCSHIP. Visit studenthealth.ucr.edu/waiving-ship for details.

JUNE 15

☐ Submit Statement of Legal Residence (SLR)
Once you've submitted your SIR to UCR, you are required to submit the SLR by
June 15. Visit My.UCR.EDU to access the SLR. To learn more, visit registrar.ucr.edu
and select "Tuition and Fees." Then select "Residency for Tuition Purposes.

JULY 1-15

☐ Submit Official Academic Documents
• Official and final college transcripts are due by July 1.
• Official test scores for the AP/IB exam are due by July 15.

☐ Apply for University Honors by July 4 (Invitation Only)
If you received an invitation via My.UCR.EDU, submit your application via the
provided link by July 4. Visit honors.ucr.edu/admissions for program details.

☐ Log Into Your Student Health Services Portal
Access your student health portal (patient portal) at studenthealth.ucr.edu.
Please fill in all required dates for each vaccine. Complete your TB screening
and any additional TB testing if needed. Not all students will require
additional TB testing. Upload your immunization records that match your entry. Tutorials are available at studenthealth.ucr.edu/immunization.

AUG. 15 – 19 (HIGHLANDER ORIENTATION)

☐ Attend Highlander Orientation (Mandatory)
Highlander Orientation for Transfers takes place on Aug. 15-19 and is
a mandatory, one-day program for new students. Discover resources,
network with staff, faculty, advisers, and other transfer students, explore
student organizations, and get a head start on registering for classes.
Visit transferorientation.ucr.edu for details.

AUG. 29 – Sept. 2

☐ Get College Advising
Connect with college advisors from Aug. 29-Sept. 2 and learn what
classes are needed for your major.

SEPTEMBER

☐ Upload Your R’Card Photo
The UCR ID Card (R’Card) is your multi-functional campus identification card.
To get your R’Card, upload a selfie at myphoto.ucr.edu, submit proof of identity, and pick up your card at the Highlander Service Station on campus.

☐ Submit Summer Transcripts by Sept. 15
Be sure to submit any transcripts if you took summer 2022 courses by Sept. 15.

☐ Log Into Your Student Health Services Portal
Finish completing all mandatory non-compliant immunization and TB
screening/clearance items. Class registration will be held if all
requirements are not completely compliant. Make sure you are
responding quickly to any secure messaging from the immunization
mandate staff in your patient portal at chconline.ucr.edu.

FINANCIAL AID, COSTS, & FEES

The cost of attending UCR is extremely competitive with
private institutions and other UC campuses. View costs, fees,
and financial aid options at financialaid.ucr.edu/cost.
Visit admissions.ucr.edu/estimate to get an estimate of what
your full-time cost of attendance and financial aid package
could be at UCR.
Tuition Stability Plan: Beginning fall 2022, tuition will be
adjusted for each incoming undergraduate class but will
subsequently remain flat until the student graduates, for up
to six years. admissions.ucr.edu/tuitionstability