Transfer Tips!

Questions for Admission Counselors

Where Do I Start?

- Try to narrow down a major, program, or career you may be interested in learning more about
- Start to think about what you're looking for in a transfer school. Do you want to be close to home, a few hours away, or out of state? Would you feel comfortable in a school with a large student population, or would you like to be in a smaller setting?
- Commit to visiting a variety of campuses *in person*. You can learn many facts and statistics from universities' websites, but the best way to know if the school is the right fit is to experience the campus itself.
- If you're completely undecided, that's okay! You can still plan to transfer by considering the items above.

Who Do I Talk To?

- Connect with admission counselors from potential transfer schools. Admissions counselors are college and university employees who will answer your questions and help you through the transfer process.
- There are many ways you can meet with admission counselors! Many counselors schedule visits on JJC's campus and are available to meet during those visits. You can make a phone, virtual, or on-campus appointment with them. And don't forget to visit your future campus in person!

What Do I Ask?

• Do you offer my major or program? If not, do you have a similar program?	
Which courses need to be completed prior to transfer?	
What are your admission requirements?	 How would I go about having my credits evaluated?
What are the application deadlines?	How long will it take to complete my degree?
What health and academic support resources are available?	
 What is the financial aid process at your school? 	What is the tuition at your school?
 Are there scholarships available for transfer students? 	 What are the scholarship application deadlines?
 What is your job placement rate after graduation? 	Are your classes online or on-campus?
What are the policies on diversity and inclusion?	
 What is the typical class size at your school? 	What is campus life like at your school?
Are there any clubs, organizations, or spaces specifically for transfer students?	

You can find more information about transfer on our website: jjc.edu/transfer. You can also send an email with any questions to: universitypartnerships@jjc.edu

