Students are admitted to UCSC with a "proposed major" in most cases, and later petition to officially declare the major. Admission to UCSC does not guarantee acceptance into a particular major. Junior transfer students must be officially declared in a major by the deadline in their second quarter of enrollment.

**Major:** COMMUNITY STUDIES

Students must complete both CMMU 10: *Introduction to Community Activism*, and one topical course (see the Community Studies website) to declare the major.

- Students who have taken college-level transferable classes that may apply to the requirements of this major should submit an unofficial transcript to the Community Studies Adviser prior to July 1. This transcript is in addition to the official transcript that is required by the UCSC Admissions Office.
- Please contact the Community Studies Adviser prior to the beginning of your first quarter at UCSC to work out an academic plan that will allow you to graduate on time.

*CMMU 10: Introduction to Community Activism, and a topical course (list available on Community Studies website)*

Both critical reading skills and strong analytical writing ability are important to the success of students in the Community Studies major.

Skills important for success in this major:

- Contact the major adviser at 831-459-2371.
- If unable to enroll in courses listed above: Contact the major adviser at 831-459-2371.
- Although not required for the major, students in this major might benefit from these courses/subjects:
  - Both critical reading skills and strong analytical writing ability are important to the success of students in the Community Studies major.
  - Students may take classes that offer background in their intended area of focus (economic justice or health justice); look in Sociology, Anthropology, Psychology, Politics, Latin American and Latino Studies, Economics, or History.
  - The major requires a two-quarter field study, and includes concentrations in economic justice or health justice.

**Links to More Information:**

- [http://admissions.ucsc.edu/academics/majors/](http://admissions.ucsc.edu/academics/majors/) (general info)
- [http://registrar.ucsc.edu/catalog/programs-courses/](http://registrar.ucsc.edu/catalog/programs-courses/) (major requirements, course descriptions, etc.)
- [http://communitystudies.ucsc.edu/undergraduate/](http://communitystudies.ucsc.edu/undergraduate/) (program website)
- [http://www.assist.org/web-assist/welcome.html](http://www.assist.org/web-assist/welcome.html) (transfer credit info)

**Questions? Contact an Adviser!**

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