**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ**  
**NEW STUDENT MAJOR ADVISING SUMMARY FOR 2018-2019 TRANSFER STUDENTS**

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.

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<th>Major: BIOLOGY, B.A.</th>
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<td>Qualification requirements and/or prerequisites for the major:</td>
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<td>Transfer students who intend to pursue this major should do the following prior to the beginning of their first term...</td>
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<td>...and should take these courses their first term:</td>
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<td>BIOE upper division elective</td>
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<td>BIOL 105: Genetics</td>
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Transfer students who indicated this major on their UCSC application have been screened against the major qualification criteria and will be able to declare the major. If you are hoping to pursue this major and did not list it on your UCSC application, please contact the adviser immediately.

Meet with an Ecology and Evolutionary Biology undergraduate adviser to discuss their academic plan and transfer course work.

Skills important for success in this major:

Critical and logical thought, complex problem solving using scientific rules and methods, deductive and inductive reasoning.

**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.)
- [https://www.eeb.ucsc.edu/academics/undergrad/majors-academic-planning/](https://www.eeb.ucsc.edu/academics/undergrad/majors-academic-planning/) (program website)
- [https://www.eeb.ucsc.edu/academics/undergrad/getting-started-transfer/](https://www.eeb.ucsc.edu/academics/undergrad/getting-started-transfer/) (getting started)
- [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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