

advantages

- Priority consideration for admission to the following colleges and universities: UCLA College of Letters and Science; UC Irvine; UC Riverside; UC Santa Cruz; Loyola Marymount University, Occidental College; Pomona College; San Diego State University. *NOTE: Students must successfully complete the College Scholars Program and must have the required courses for transfer.*
- Priority registration for all GCC classes
- Special academic counseling
- “President’s Scholar” designation on academic transcripts
- Honors to Honors agreement with Cal Poly Pomona
- Access to all lectures, exchanges, sporting events and social activities provided by the UCLA Transfer Alliance agreement
- Library privileges at the UCLA library

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College Scholars Program

Transfer Alliance Program

UCLA TAP (Transfer Alliance Program) offers:

- Guaranteed consideration for priority admission to the UCLA College of Letters and Science
- Attendance at UCLA lectures
- Free library orientation and UCLA Library privileges
- Special orientation sessions at UCLA
- Free tickets to selected UCLA sports events
- Participation in UCLA counseling workshops
- Joint research, scholarly and social opportunities with UCLA faculty and students on the Westwood campus

The Scholars Emeriti & Scholars Alumni Association

Many College Scholars who complete the two-year core curriculum choose to continue for a semester or two at Glendale College before transferring to a four-year university. These students remain in the Program and acquire “Scholar Emeritus” status, which carries the same rights and privileges as Scholars.

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College Scholars Program

If you're a student who takes learning seriously, the Glendale Community College Scholars Program can smooth your progress toward a four-year degree. The program not only prepares you for transfer to a major university, it also provides an opportunity for intensive study and intellectual development not usually reached in lower division undergraduate program. Consider these benefits of being a Glendale College Scholar:

- Priority consideration for transfer to top four-year universities
- Priority registration for GCC classes
- Small, seminar-style classes (limited to 25 students)
- Dedicated teachers who promote critical thinking
- Special academic counseling
- Eligibility for generous scholarships
- "President's Scholar" designation on academic transcripts

Glendale College Scholars follow a challenging curriculum that promotes discussion and stresses critical thinking, in-depth analysis of issues and a serious

evaluation of problems through written and oral expression. They are expected to reach beyond memorization and emerge as prime candidates for success at a four-year institution.

Admission Requirements

There are two ways to have your application considered for entrance into the Glendale College Scholars Program.

1 Satisfy **both** of the following conditions:

- A minimum GPA of 3.25 (unweighted)
- Eligibility for English 101 at GCC as determined by obtaining a satisfactory score on the Glendale College English Placement Test

2 Satisfy **both** of the following conditions:

- A minimum GPA of 3.0 (unweighted)
- SAT score (combined) of 1100 on the first two parts, with 500 minimum on the verbal section (the third part will be evaluated separately) or ACT score of at least 23

NOTE: These requirements are guidelines only and can be withdrawn or adjusted by the College Scholars Program Rating Committee. In

some cases, equivalent college work may be substituted for the above requirements.

Good Standing

To be in good standing, Glendale College Scholars must take a minimum of 12 units per semester, maintain a 3.0 minimum grade point average and complete the required Scholars course(s) each semester.

The Core Curriculum

The required core curriculum consists of seven courses open only to Glendale College Scholars and Science Academy and limited to 25 students each.

All of the core courses are chosen from the General Education Requirements and all earn full transfer credit to the UC system, the CSU system and most private four-year institutions. College Scholars Science Academy students do not carry a heavier burden of courses or units than they would normally need to fulfill their lower division general education requirements.