The University of Texas at Dallas has a long understanding of, and respect for, transfer students and their goals. We were founded as a university in 1969, expanded to admit upper-division students in 1975 and began admitting freshmen in 1990. We’ve known transfer students longer — that’s why we understand you.

Today, our student body is 35% transfers who are consistently ranked among our most successful students — soccer champions, White House interns and business majors with global ambitions. UT Dallas transfer students also have one of the highest graduation rates among Texas public universities.

Goal-driven. Purposeful.
Students who transfer to UT Dallas are people with plans.
Fast Facts

1969 founding year

NCAA Division III
American Southwest Conference
men’s and women’s basketball, soccer, golf, tennis, track and field and cross country, men’s baseball, women’s softball and volleyball, co-ed esports

Dallas ranks in the top 15 best-performing cities by the Milken Institute (2021)

Dallas–Fort Worth (DFW) is home to:
- 2 large passenger airports
- 6 major professional sports teams
- The most job growth in the country
- over 4,000 students earning internships each year

UTD mascot: Temoc is “Comet” spelled backward

28,669 enrolled for fall 2020
26% graduate
74% undergraduate

22 Fortune 500 companies, all of which have hired UT Dallas graduates

2021 Gold Veteran Education Excellence Recognition Award

68 companies have been incorporated through the Institute for Innovation and Entrepreneurship (2016-2020)

NCAA Division III
American Southwest Conference
men’s and women’s basketball, soccer, golf, tennis, track and field and cross country, men’s baseball, women’s softball and volleyball, co-ed esports

20 conference titles in the past five years

47,000 hours of student community service (2019)

over 140 academic programs
over 350 campus organizations
over 150 countries represented on campus
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* This major offers a fast-track program for highly qualified students. More information about fast-track eligibility and requirements are found on each program’s webpages.

** Data Science is a joint program with the Erik Jonsson School of Engineering and Computer Science and the School of Natural Sciences and Mathematics.
Erik Jonsson School of Engineering and Computer Science (ECS)
► 972-883-2974 engineering.utdallas.edu

- Biomedical Engineering*
- Computer Engineering*
- Computer Science*
- Data Science**
- Electrical Engineering*
- Mechanical Engineering*
- Software Engineering*

Interdisciplinary Studies (IS)
► 972-883-2323 is.utdallas.edu

- American Studies*
- Education
- Healthcare Studies*
- Interdisciplinary Studies*

Naveen Jindal School of Management (JSOM)
► 972-883-5889 jindal.utdallas.edu

- Accounting*
- Business Administration*
- Business Analytics*
- Finance*
- Global Business*
- Healthcare Management*
- Human Resource Management
- Information Technology and Systems*
- Marketing*
- Supply Chain Management*

Natural Sciences and Mathematics (NSM)
► 972-883-2500 nsm.utdallas.edu

- Actuarial Science*
- Biochemistry*
- Biology*
- Chemistry*
- Data Science**
- Geosciences*
- Mathematics*
- Molecular Biology*
- Physics*
What is the Comet Connection?

972-883-2270  utdallas.edu/comet-connection

The Comet Connection program is specifically for students who attend a Texas community college and would like to complete their degree at UT Dallas. Comet Connection members have access to many services available to UT Dallas students, including:

- **Tuition Savings:** Participate in the UT Dallas Guaranteed Tuition Plan.
- **Deferred Admission:** Defer admission for up to 12 months.
- **Degree Completion:** Transfer UT Dallas course credit back to community college to complete an associate’s degree.
- **Early Advising:** Meet one-on-one with UT Dallas academic advisors.
- **Career Preparation:** Access health professions and pre-law advising centers.
- **Library Privileges:** Use the UT Dallas Library through the TexShare program.
- **Student Discounts:** Come to campus and athletic events at the Comet Connection student rate.

**Lock in tuition — guaranteed!**

Members can lock in their tuition rate for five years from the time they join Comet Connection. Tuition is charged on an hourly rate up to 12 hours for Texas residents. Any hours taken beyond 12 incur no further charge for tuition. For more information, go to utdallas.edu/tuition/guarantee.
UT Dallas welcomes applicants who have begun their college work and are in good standing at other institutions of higher education.

**Transfer Planning**

Review our Transfer Plans to make sure you’re taking courses that will transfer into your intended major here at UT Dallas. Download your transfer plan at utdallas.edu/transfer-plans. You may schedule an appointment with an admissions counselor who can provide you with an unofficial evaluation of your transfer credits and help guide you through the admission process.

To schedule an appointment, call 972-883-2270 or visit utdallas.edu/enroll/contact.

**Transfer Application Requirements** utdallas.edu/transfer-admission

**Step 1** Complete and submit an application at goapplytexas.org.

**Step 2** Submit a $50 application fee.

**Step 3** Submit official documents.

An official transcript is required from each college attended. To be considered official, electronic transcripts must be submitted directly through the attending school. If electronic submission is not available, the documents should be mailed from the institution in a sealed envelope. Visit utdallas.edu/enroll/official-documents for the address and other information about sending official documents.

Applicants with fewer than 30 transferable credit hours may also submit the following:

- High school transcript(s).
- SAT/ACT scores, or indicate you are applying without scores through Galaxy, our student portal.

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### APPLICATION DEADLINES FOR TRANSFER APPLICANTS

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Reviewed Admission [utdallas.edu/transfer-enroll](http://utdallas.edu/transfer-enroll)

Applicants who have previously completed college-level coursework at an accredited institution (excluding the summer following high school graduation) will be reviewed individually and holistically for admission as a transfer student. Consideration is given to factors such as:

- Cumulative GPA.
- Overall academic coursework and performance.
- Preparation for and ability to be successful in intended major.
- Information provided in the resume, essay and/or letters of recommendation.

Assured Admission [enroll.utdallas.edu/transfer/admission-requirements](http://enroll.utdallas.edu/transfer/admission-requirements)

Applicants are eligible for assured transfer admission by meeting all of the following criteria:

- 42 or more transferable credit hours.
- A minimum cumulative transferable GPA of 3.0 or greater on a 4.0 scale.
- Fewer than 90 cumulative attempted hours between all attended institutions of higher education.
- Applicant must be in good standing with the last college or university attended.
  
  Or
  
  - A Comet Connection member with a completed AA/AS/AAT.
  - A minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 or greater on a 4.0 scale.
  - Applicant must be in good standing with the last college or university attended.
  
  Or
  
  - Qualify for admission under section 51.8035 of the Texas Education Code.
  - To take advantage of this option, the applicant must submit to UT Dallas information that “expressly and clearly” claims entitlement of admission under this section prior to the application deadline.

Application Status Check

Once the application file is completed, including all required documents, the application will be processed and an admission decision can be made.

Students are encouraged to apply early. Complete application files are processed in the order received. Students should include their full name, birthdate and/or UTD-ID or application ID on all documents.

Application status can be viewed by visiting the Galaxy portal at [utdallas.edu/galaxy](http://utdallas.edu/galaxy). First, set up a NetID and password using the UTD-ID provided in the application acknowledgement letter. Learn more about setting up NetIDs at [netid.utdallas.edu](http://netid.utdallas.edu).
Next Steps After Admission

- **Accept admission offer** online through Galaxy.
- **Apply for financial aid** — FAFSA school code: 009741.
- **Register for Transfer Student Orientation**.
- **Apply for on-campus housing**, if desired.
- **Send official placement test scores** — Receive course credit from placement tests such as Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB), College Level Examination Program (CLEP) and General Certificate of Education Advanced Level (GCE A level), if eligible.
- **Submit proof of meningitis vaccination**, if required. Students must be 22 or older by the first day of class to be exempt from this requirement.

**Transfer Orientation**

Students transferring to UT Dallas must attend a Transfer Orientation to meet with academic advisors, register for classes and learn about UT Dallas resources. Transfer Orientation dates and a list of steps to complete before attending Transfer Orientation are available at [utdallas.edu/transferservices/orientation](http://utdallas.edu/transferservices/orientation).

**Transfer Student Services**

We are here to help you successfully transition to your new home at the University.

Join us for **Road Warriors**, a program committed to enriching the collegiate experience of commuter students, or monthly events including **Transfer Thirsty Thursdays**, where transfer students can mix and mingle at the Pub and enjoy some downtime with games and appetizers, and **Transfer Coffee and Conversations**, where you can grab a morning joe and chat with your fellow transfer students.

We are here to answer your questions and connect you to information, resources and success tips. Find out more at [utdallas.edu/transferservices](http://utdallas.edu/transferservices).
Scholarships

[utdallas.edu/transfer-scholarships]

Eligibility Requirements for Comet Transfer and PTK Scholarships

• Must be a Texas resident at the time of admission.
• Must have earned at least 30, but no more than 90, transferable semester credit hours. A minimum of six of those hours must have been completed after high school graduation, excluding the summer immediately following high school graduation.
• Students are reviewed automatically for the Comet Transfer Scholarship when admitted.
• In addition to the above, proof of PTK membership is required and must be submitted to the Office of Financial Aid soon after applying for admission. Proof of membership can include any of the following:
  o A copy of an active PTK membership card.
  o A current PTK certificate.
  o An official letter from a PTK advisor verifying membership.
  o Scholarships are subject to the availability of funds.

### COMET TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

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* Awards may be renewed for a maximum of six consecutive semesters. Visit [utdallas.edu/transfer-scholarships](http://utdallas.edu/transfer-scholarships) for additional information regarding renewal eligibility.

** One-time award for this GPA range.

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• These scholarships are only awarded to students who, at the time of admission, have a cumulative transferable GPA of 3.5 or higher.

• These scholarships are awarded for fall or spring semesters to new transfer students.

• These scholarships may be used in addition to other grants, scholarships or loans.

**Tau Sigma National Honor Society**

udallas.edu/transferservices/tausigma

Tau Sigma recognizes the academic excellence of transfer students, while encouraging and promoting involvement in the University community, especially in activities that assist other transfer students in making a successful transition.
Teacher Certification Programs

At UT Dallas the coursework and field experiences leading to teacher certification are delivered through two separate teacher preparation programs, the Teacher Development Center in the School of Interdisciplinary Studies and UTeach Dallas in the School of Natural Sciences and Mathematics.

Teacher Development Center Certifications

- 972-883-2730  utdallas.edu/teach

The Teacher Development Center offers both generalist and secondary certifications. Students complete the program with a semester of supervised student/clinical teaching. The Teacher Development Center offers the following certifications:

- Early Childhood to Grade 6: Core Subjects (all core content fields), ESL Supplement
- Grades 4-8: Core Subjects (all core content fields) English, Language Arts & Reading (ELAR), Mathematics, Science, Social Studies
- Grades 6-12: Physical Science
- Grades 7-12: Chemistry, English Language Arts and Reading (ELAR), History, Life Science, Mathematics, Science (composite-biology, chemistry, earth, physics), Social Studies, (composite-history, geography, government, economics)
- Grades 8 to 12: Computer Science

UTeach Dallas Certifications

- 972-883-6485  utdallas.edu/uteach

The UTeach Dallas certification offers secondary certifications in STEM (science, technology, engineering and mathematics) subjects. Students experience classroom teaching as early as their first semester and teaching experiences continue throughout the program. UTeach Dallas also offers many scholarship and local internship opportunities to its students. UTeach Dallas offers the following certifications:

- Grades 4-8: Mathematics, Science
- Grades 6-12: Physical Science
- Grades 7-12: Chemistry, Life Science, Mathematics, Science
- Grades 8-12: Computer Science
Pre-Professional Programs

Pre-Law Advising Center

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Pre-Law Advising Center helps students from all majors make informed decisions about their preparation for law school and a legal career. The center offers a variety of services and programs tailored to every stage in the law school application process. Top law schools regularly accept UTD students.

Health Professions Advising Center

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The Health Professions Advising Center (HPAC) provides academic, career and personal advising to students who seek health careers in medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, optometry and other health professions. HPAC also sponsors seminars throughout the year and provides a resource room/lounge where students study, read scientific and professional journals and take advantage of free tutoring. Students who go through the Health Professions Evaluation process are admitted to medical and dental schools at a rate generally 15-20 points above the national average, and the rate increases dramatically for students who participate in the Health Professions Evaluation.

Institute for Innovation and Entrepreneurship

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The Institute for Innovation and Entrepreneurship is a campus-wide initiative accessible to all UT Dallas students, regardless of their academic majors. It provides students with the opportunity to refine and expand their business ideas through academics, pitch competitions, mentorship, and non-academic programming.
University Career Center

972-883-2943  utdallas.edu/career

The University Career Center offers a variety of services for students at all stages of their job search process, including:

- Licensed professional career counselors provide career assessments and interview training.
- A full-time resume editor helps prepare resumes and cover letters, business communications and personal statements.
- Career workshops.
- An online job-search database.
- Help finding students internships for the summer or the school year.

UT DALLAS GRADUATES HAVE RECEIVED JOB OFFERS FROM:

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The Career Management Center (CMC)  
972-883-6916  jindal.utdallas.edu/career

The Career Management Center (CMC) prepares degree-seeking students in the Naveen Jindal School of Management for significant and fulfilling business careers. The center has a committed and enduring relationship with the Dallas-Fort Worth business community and offers tools and programs to help students and graduates build their networks, enhance their skills and develop professionalism. Services include:

- CometCareers.
- HireJSOM powered by Handshake.
- Professional development opportunities.
- Internships.
- Portfolio building.

Office of Industrial Practice Programs

972-883-4363  engineering.utdallas.edu/engage

Industrial Practice Programs are available for Erik Jonsson School of Engineering and Computer Science undergraduate and graduate students that include cooperative education, internships and curricular practical training.
Open every day, and 24 hours on weekdays, the Eugene McDermott Library provides students access to relevant, authoritative and scholarly resources, including:

- Ample space for students to study and research and a variety of study rooms that allow for both individual and group work.
- Computers equipped to copy, print and scan documents.
- Multimedia equipment available to rent, including DSLR cameras and tripods.
- Access to electronic media including streamable content that can be used on and off campus.

Whether it is individualized tutoring, Peer-Led Team Learning (PLTL), Supplemental Instruction (SI), coordinated group study or another approach to improving academic achievement, our student success team members make every attempt to assist students in achieving their academic goals across a wide variety of subject areas. Services include:

- **Math Lab:** Provides help with math, physics and statistics courses.

- **Writing Center/Comm Lab:** Assistance at any stage of the writing process, and preparing oral and group presentations.

- **Success Coach:** Individual meetings with a success coach for students who are looking for a personalized plan for studying, managing time, navigating the University or just getting on the path to academic success.

- **Peer-Led Tutoring:** Tutoring by students who have excellent academic standing and excel in the areas in which they tutor. Tutoring sessions assist students with developing strategies that will help strengthen their knowledge, develop transferable learning skills and achieve academic success.
Keeping New Comets on Course

`utdallas.edu/orbit`

Through a variety of high-impact practices, the Orbit initiative represents UT Dallas’ commitment to first-year student success, supporting new Comets as they engage, explore and find their place on campus.

Orbit aims to create a community in which all new students are actively involved and feel a greater sense of belonging at UT Dallas, increasing students’ knowledge of University resources, helping them develop meaningful connections with faculty and fellow Comets, and encouraging them to participate in academic, co-curricular and extracurricular activities.
Estimated Cost of Attendance

The cost of college varies from student to student even at the same university, and may be reduced based on merit or need-based financial aid. Below are the approximate costs a student might expect for one full year of attendance at UT Dallas with no financial aid applied. For more information visit finaid.utdallas.edu.

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This chart is meant to be a guideline for estimating charges. For more information and current rates, visit finaid.utdallas.edu.
Connect and Visit

972-883-2270
futurecomet.utdallas.edu/connect
admission@utdallas.edu

There are plenty of ways to learn about and experience UT Dallas. Take a guided campus tour led by a current student, attend a prospective student event or explore on your own and take a self-guided virtual tour.

Preview Friday

utdallas.edu/preview-friday

Join us on Preview Friday to learn about transferring, financial aid, scholarships and campus life.

Talk with an advisor and learn more about UT Dallas’ innovative research and multi-disciplinary academic programs. Students who attend can qualify for an application fee waiver for the upcoming school year.

We look forward to seeing you there!

#FutureComet

Have Questions?

Prospective undergraduate students can schedule an appointment to meet with an admission counselor. Email admission@utdallas.edu or use the counselor locator tool at utdallas.edu/counselor-locator to fine and contact your assigned admission counselor directly.

Office of Admission and Enrollment
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Richardson TX 75080-3021
972-883-2270

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