

CUNY Transfer

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Virtual Forum



Transfer Patterns and
Outcomes- KCC
Students

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Tools and Strategies
to Enhance Transfer
Success

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CUNY Transfer
Initiative

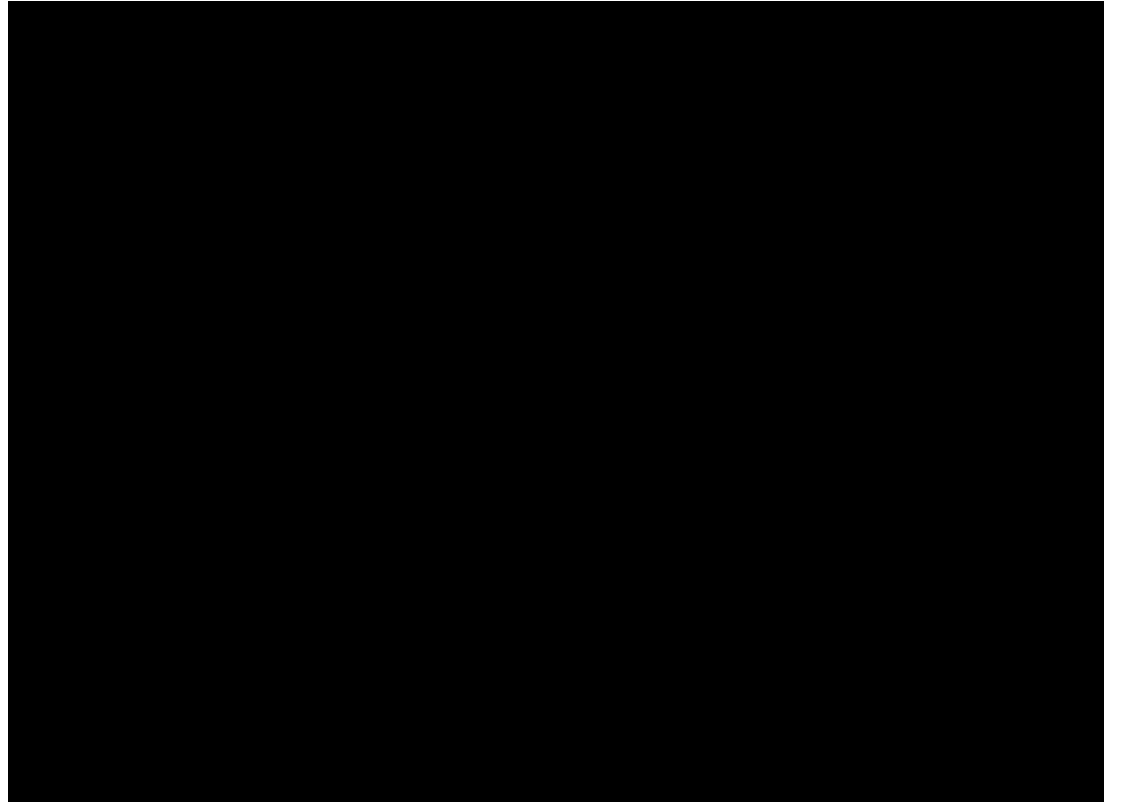
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19.6% of the Fall 2016 cohort
graduated with a Bachelor's
Degree from another CUNY

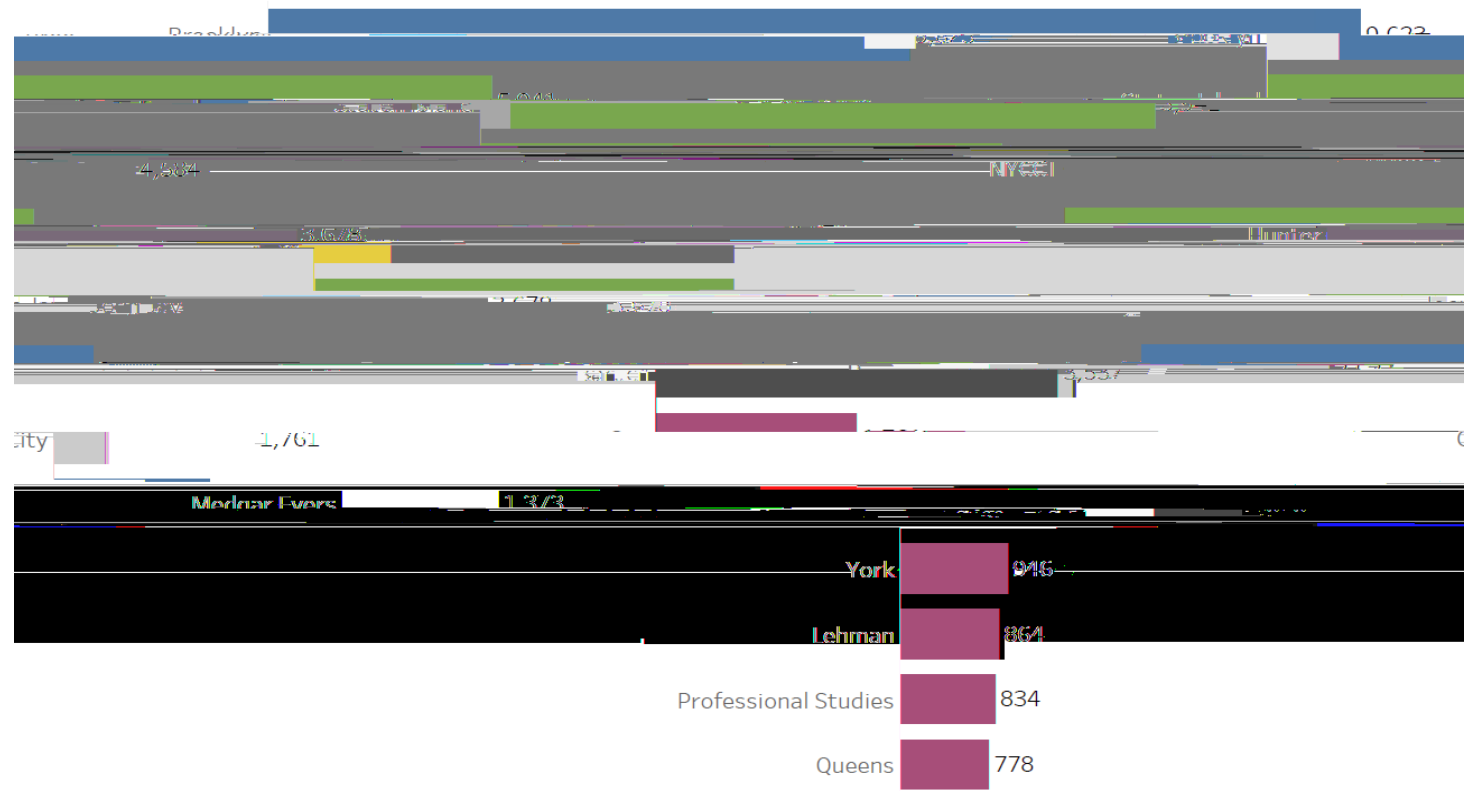
All Kingsborough students who transferred to another CUNY comprehensive or senior college (not counting those who transfer to another CC)

45% of transfer students don't have a degree when they transfer

5.4% of transfer students have an AAS degree



Brooklyn College is biggest transfer school (40% of KCC transfers), followed by



Students earning an AA/AS degree mostly go to Brooklyn College (44.5%) or John Jay (14.8%)

Students earning an AAS degree transfer most to Brooklyn College (35.6%), City Tech (19.5%) or School of Professional Studies (10.9%)

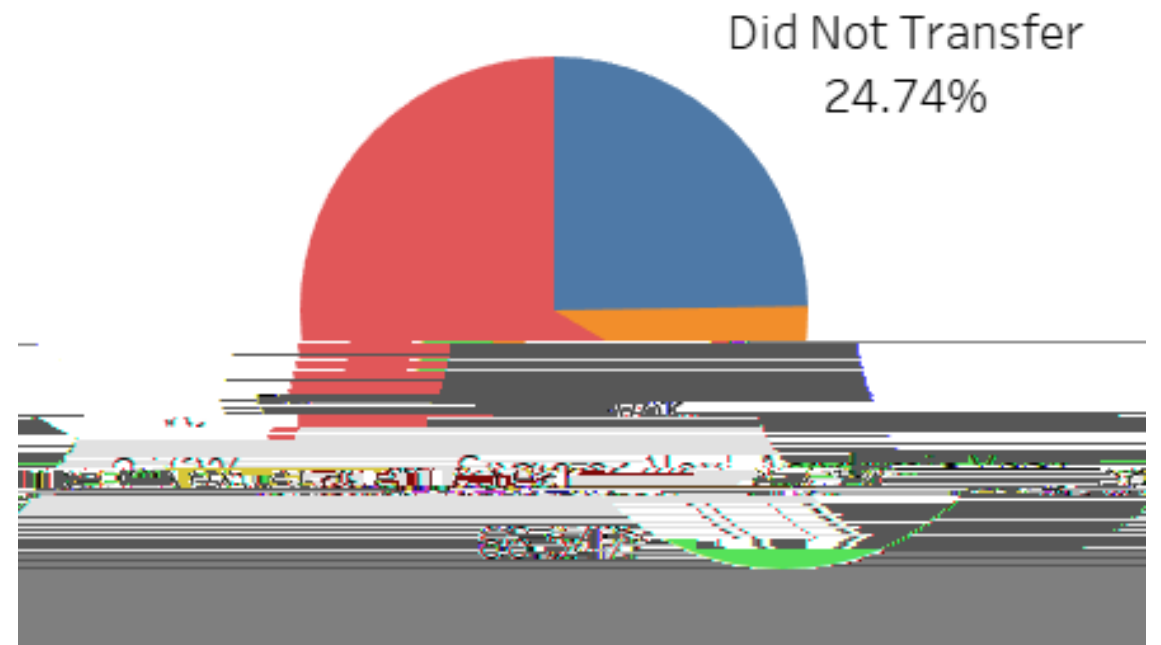
Students with no degree transfer are more varied. Brooklyn College 26%, CSI 17.5%, Hunter College 14.8%, Baruch 13.5%, and John Jay 11.6%.

17% of students who transfer to a Bachelor's program are undeclared when they transfer

Second most common is

75% of KCC Graduates 2012-2021 have transferred at some point

66.5% in the same or next academic year

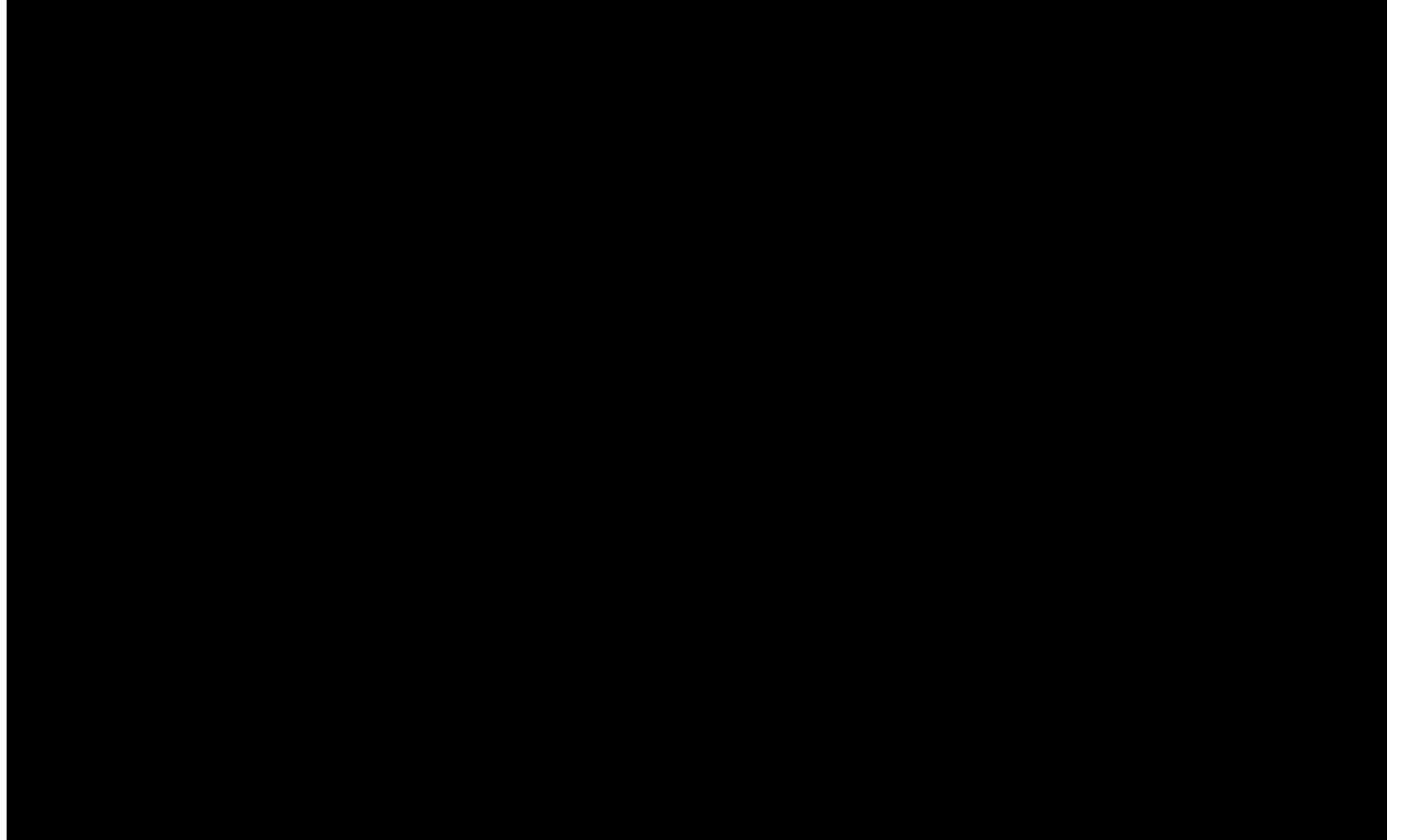


Most grads transfer to CUNY schools

The transfer rate has decreased since 2017

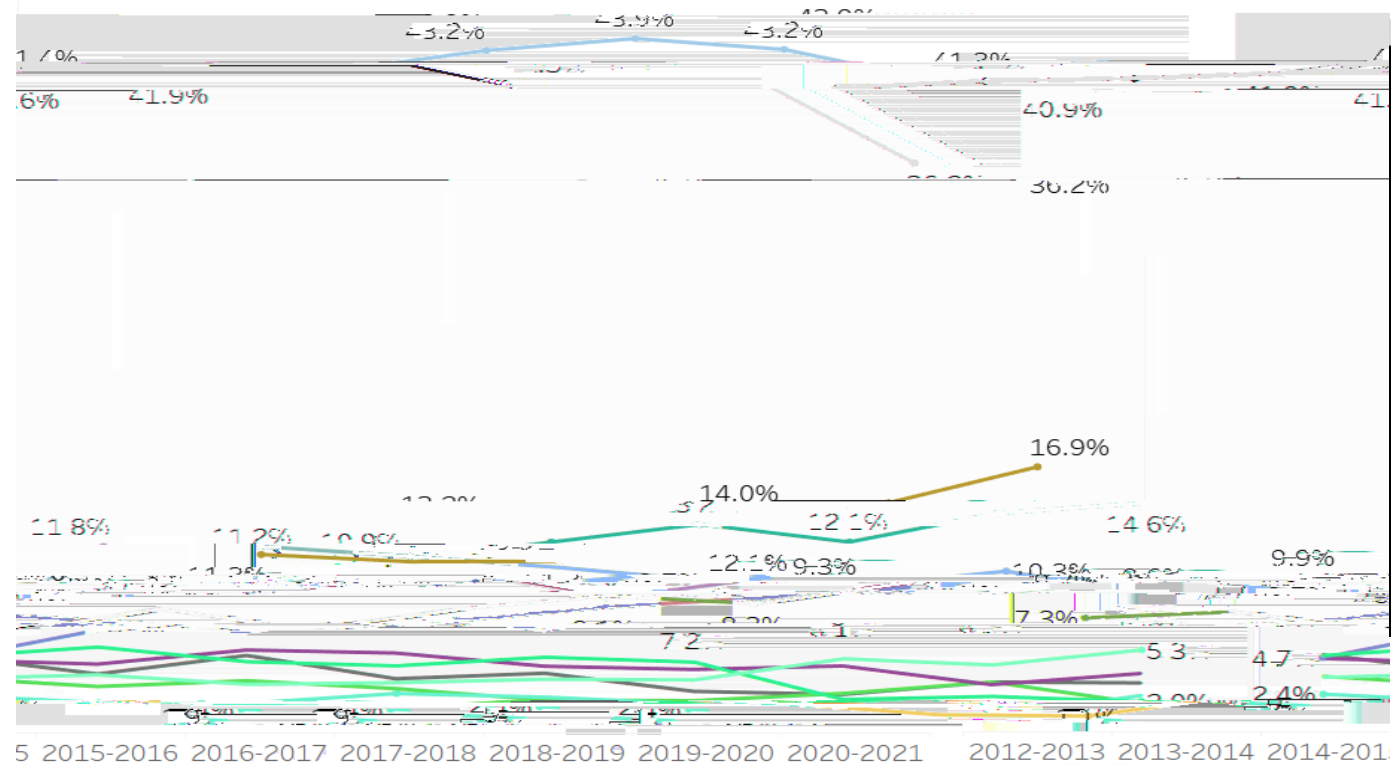
The percent of students going outside CUNY has slightly increased

- CUNY
- Did Not Transfer
- Non-CUNY



Most students go to Brooklyn College

John Jay has had the biggest increase in KCC grads



Younger students are more likely to transfer than older students (70% of students under 25 compared to 52% over 25)

Asian/Pacific Islander students are most likely to transfer (70%); Black students are least likely to transfer (61%)

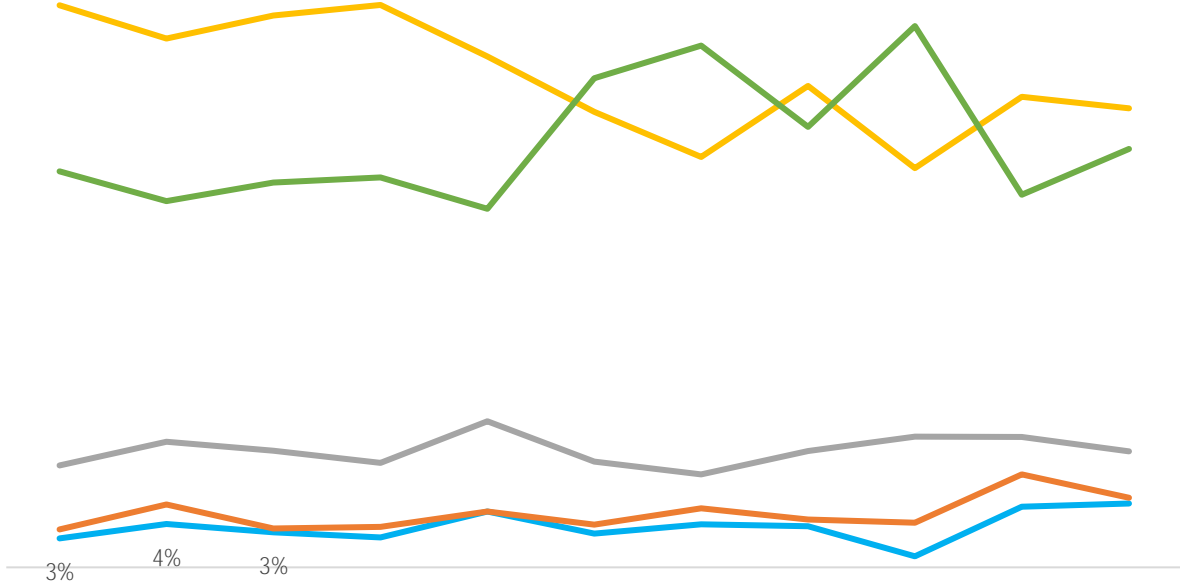
Women are more likely to transfer (65%) than Men (61%)

Students who earn their degree in under 3 years are more likely to transfer than those who earn their degree in over 3 years (72% compared to 55%)

In their first semester at Brooklyn College:

Most students earn 9 or more credits

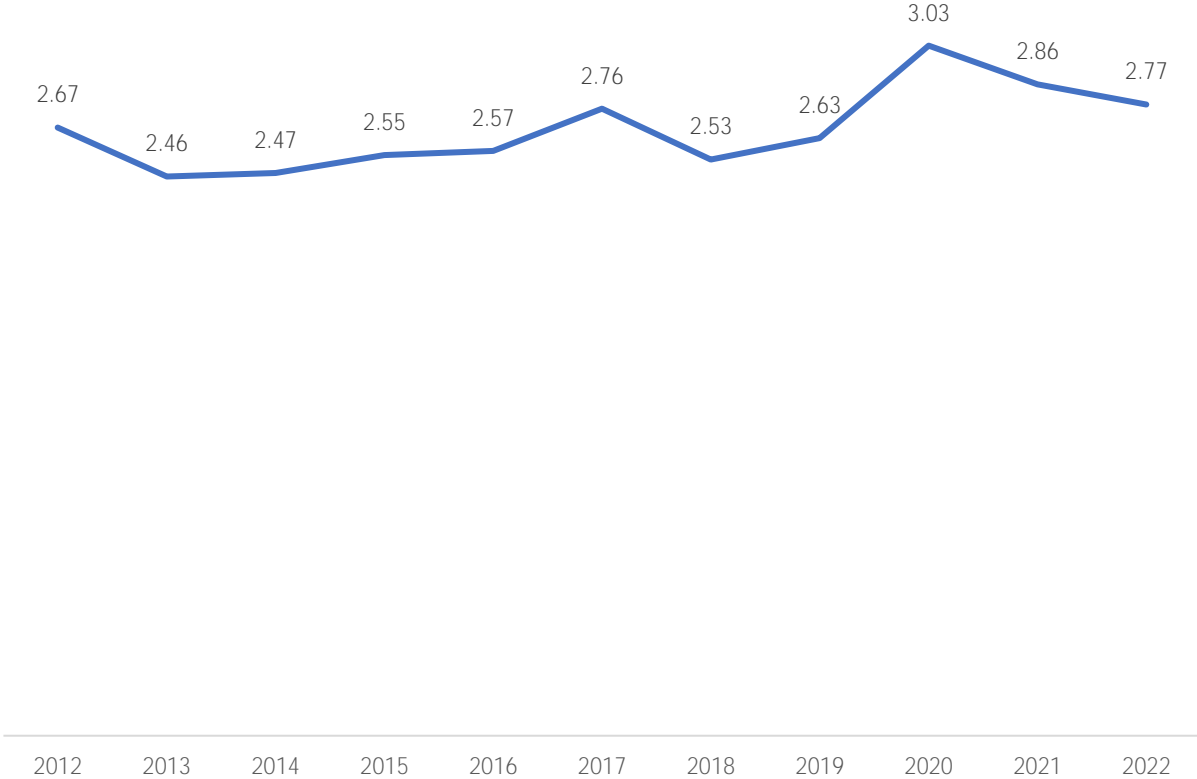
In Fall 2022, 37% of students earned 12 or more credits



In their first semester at Brooklyn College:

The mean GPA has increased since 2018

Average first-semester GPA in Fall 2022 was 2.77



Developed to provide transparency of credit transfer between CUNY campuses it is growing to do more

Allows students, staff and faculty to explore equivalencies and requirements

CUNY to CUNY by course

CUNY to CUNY by subject

CUNY to CUNY by transcript (CUNY login required)

Non-CUNY courses, trainings and exams

Map Credits to CUNY Major Requirements

Create transfer plans (coming soon)



As CUNY expands the functionality of its Transfer Exploration Tool - the campus T-Rex ambassadors have offered trainings to support the advising staff and students

The college has a goal to train 2500 students this academic year on the basics of T-Rex navigation and ways to explore how their KCC credits will transfer to a 4-year school.

We have trained more than 1000 students thus far (ASAP, CD, FLEX, and Academy students)



Course equivalency information is uploaded from CUNYFirst to T-REX

Fall 2022 faculty from each academic department were trained to use T-REX to review course equivalency at our top receiving campuses

Brooklyn, Baruch, John Jay, Hunter and City Tech

Recommendations were shared with Academic Affairs to encourage connection with receiving institutions for further consideration

Changes in how our courses transfer to other schools are shared via T-REX with the campus T-REX Ambassadors



Regular communication via email, text and hallway signage

Presentations through collaboration with programs/offices

Webpage including Transfer planning timeline

Events webpage

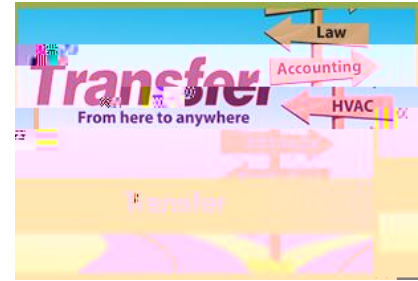
- Workshop listings

- Recruitment visits

- Transfer Week events

- Brooklyn College Transfer Evaluator Appointments





Students are encouraged to complete a Transfer Interest Survey at point of first advisement session.

Student noted interests are incorporated into advisement conversations to ensure adjustment to plans/interests as needed

Course selection, with advisors, take transfer plans into consideration to ensure best transfer possibilities

KCC Transfer Manager conducts training each semester with the full advisement team to update their tool box of transfer information and build their understanding of the process to support our graduating students

Students are strongly encouraged to attend a large variety of transfer events coordinated by our Transfer Manager to engage and learn about CUNY, SUNY and Private school opportunities

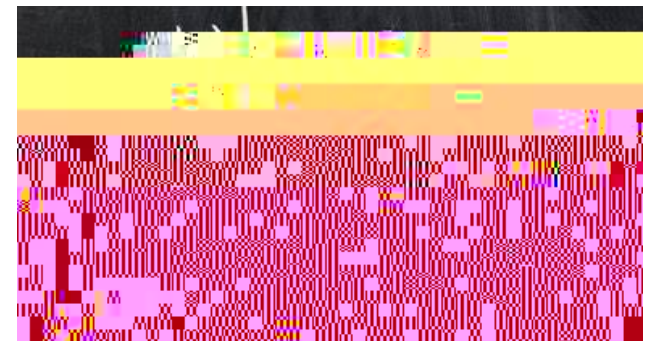
Transfer Planning Workshops

Both in-person and virtual

Applying for graduation

Application process support

Now that you have been accepted – next steps



Working closely with Brooklyn College including:

In-person and Zoom meetings for students with BC Admissions staff

Expedited transcript evaluation upon applying to BC

For fall 2023 a special transfer evaluator has been hired by BC to meet with students planning/considering transfer to BC to explore their transcript evaluation and plan ahead.

October 19, 2023 – KCC students were invited to attend BC's major fair

Future Plans – Direct Admit and transcript evaluation at KCC



Established a requirement for seamless transfer credit for students who transfer between an associate and bachelor's degree program within the same major by no later than Dec. 31, 2024

Liberal Arts & Sciences	42.8%
Business	14%
Criminal Justice	13%
Science	5.5%
Computer Science	4.2%
Education	3.8%

Public Health/Health Services	3.8%

Spring 2023: Faculty groups identified the knowledge and skills (core competencies) students must learn in the first 2 years of the majors

Fall 2023: Community colleges and senior colleges will identify courses that meet the competencies

On average the number of courses/credits should be approximately $\frac{1}{2}$ of the major at the 4 year schools (e.g., 18 credits for a 36 credit major).

When students transfer into the same major at a 4-year school –

Sample of deliverable (hypothetical information)

CREDITS IN THE BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAM

LEGES		A ASSOCIATE DEGREE GRANTING COLLEGE	
CREDITS IN THE MAJOR		SATISFYING CORE REQUIREMENTS	
19	24	19	28
19		KCC	20-21
		BMCC	28
CSI	24	19	

should be determined by the committee

