This flow chart provides an overview of the transfer credit assessment process for incoming transfer students which happens throughout the summer prior to New Student Orientation (NSO). Don’t worry if it seems confusing at first glance—this is only intended to give you an idea of what to expect. We provide plenty of advising and support to help you!

Degree Progress/The Registrar will evaluate your transcripts and produce your Transfer Report, which will tell you:
- How many general units toward degree (90/180) Stanford has accepted
- How many Ways you will need to complete at Stanford

You should expect this process to take until mid/late August.

**SUBMIT YOUR FINAL TRANSCRIPT(S).**
Ensure your final transcript(s) are submitted as soon as final grades are posted.

**Do you have any test credit (e.g. AP, IB) to transfer in?**
- Yes
- No

**SUBMIT TEST CREDIT(S)**
Are you transferring a course you’d like to have evaluated for the writing requirement?
- Yes
- No

**REQUEST EVALUATION OF TRANSFERRED COURSEWORK FOR WR 1 AND/OR WR 2 (PWR)**
Are you proficient in a language other than English and that proficiency is not reflected in your academic record? If so, would you like to request a review to determine whether you have met the language requirement?
- Yes
- No

**MEET THE LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT**
- Yes
- No

**YOUR FIRST YEAR/AUTUMN QUARTER STUDY LIST**
- Placement Diagnostics (Math, Chemistry, Physics, Language) as needed.
- Departmental Review as needed to determine course placement for autumn quarter.

**MAJOR DECLARATION**
Transfer students are expected to declare a major no later than the end of their first year. When you declare a major, you may use your annotated transcript, transfer report, and course syllabi from your transferred course(s) as part of your department’s process for determining course equivalencies. That departmental process will determine whether your transferred courses may stand in for Stanford courses within the major.

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1 Traditional students who have taken/plan to take coursework outside of Stanford and would like that credit to be applied to their Stanford record should consult with their Undergraduate Advising Director (UAD) and refer to this page.