

## Pathways Chart

	Freshman Edge	Freshman Edge International	Summer Bridge
<b>Who is eligible?</b>	All new freshmen.	New international freshmen students who have been accepted to UCI for the fall and are coming from another country. If you need an F-1 visa to study at UC Irvine, your 1-20 documentation will be processed by the <a href="#">UCI International Center</a> based on your “My Admissions” information. The start date of your I-20 can be changed to August 6 for attendance in Freshman Edge once our office receives and processes your enrollment and payment. Follow the instructions given in your UCI Admissions correspondence. It is the student’s responsibility to complete the necessary steps to obtain a visa with UCI.	All students should enroll in either the Freshman Edge or Freshman Edge International. Freshman Edge students who believe they are eligible for the Summer Bridge Scholarship should also apply for the scholarship. New freshmen who meet one or more of the following criteria are eligible: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Low income (as federally established and determined from your <a href="#">2017-18 FAFSA</a> (or <a href="#">2017-18 CA Dream Act</a>))</li> <li>• First generation college student (neither parent has completed a bachelor’s degree in the U.S.)</li> <li>• Students from disadvantaged backgrounds/circumstances</li> </ul>
<b>How many students will participate?</b>	While this pathway is not limited, we estimate about 400 participants across all pathways.	While this pathway is not limited, we estimate about 400 participants across all pathways.	Approximately 87 students; Admission is first-come/first served pending verification of eligibility.
<b>What courses will I take?</b>	A 2-unit Pathways to University Success class (University Studies 83) and an elective.  A full load for this Summer Session is 6-8 units.	A 4-unit Bridges to University Success class (University Studies 84) <b>AND</b> A 2-unit English Reading and Vocabulary course.	A 4-unit Bridges to University Success class (University Studies 84) <b>AND</b> A 4-unit general education class: The Making of Modern Science (Logic & Philosophy of Science 60 OR History 60).
<b>Where will I live?</b>	It is highly recommended that students live with the program on campus in Arroyo Vista housing, but students may choose to commute. Housing will be offered on a first come, first served basis.	It is highly recommended that students live with the program on campus in Arroyo Vista housing, but students may choose to commute. Housing will be offered on a first come, first served basis.	All Summer Bridge students are required to live together on campus in Arroyo Vista Housing.

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<b>What will I do when I'm not in class?</b>	All students will participate in a range of exciting co-curricular activities as part of the required course, University Studies 83/84. Residential students will have housing and community activities with other Freshman Edge students and their resident advisors. Students experience college life by participating in exclusive academic workshops and seminars, and in social events such as a talent show, BBQs, the Sunset Festival and more! All events are detailed on the Events page.		
<b>What will it cost me?</b>	Costs vary with number of units taken and financial aid eligibility. To be eligible to apply for financial aid, students must plan to enroll in at least six units during the 2018 Summer Session. Students applying for Financial Aid must submit payment for <b>the non-refundable mandatory campus fee of \$179</b> on their enrollment form to hold their space in the program and courses. Note: some award packages require enrollment in more than six units.	Students pay a per unit course fee and a <b>non-refundable mandatory campus fee of \$179</b> . Airport pick-up is also available for an additional cost. View <a href="#">our Cost and Program fees page</a> section for details.	Students pay a <b>non-refundable mandatory campus fee of \$179</b> upon acceptance of the Bridge Scholarship. Remaining fees and expenses will be funded by the Summer Bridge Scholarship Program, based on student financial need.
<b>When do I enroll?</b>	Enroll by <b>June 29th</b> for program housing (housing will be offered on a first come, first served basis). Enroll by <b>July 20th</b> if you plan to commute. <a href="#">2017-2018 FAFSA</a> due June 30th, though it is recommended that students complete their FAFSA by May 31st. <a href="#">My Aid</a> due by June 15th to be considered for grant funding.	Enroll by <b>June 15th</b> .	Apply for the Summer Bridge Scholarship starting April 21st and no later than <b>May 25th</b> . <a href="#">2017-18 FAFSA</a> or <a href="#">2017-18 CA Dream Act</a> due May 31st, though it is recommended that students complete their FAFSA early.
<b>What new student orientation program should I attend?</b>	Before Freshman Edge begins, kick off your UCI experience by attending <a href="#">SPOP 5</a> on August 3rd and 4th. Receive academic advising, register for fall classes, and begin meeting other freshmen. See <a href="#">SPOP</a> for more details.	Before Freshman Edge begins, kick off your UCI experience by attending a New Student Orientation. <b>International Students may wish to attend the International Student Parent Orientation (ISPOP) to avoid course conflicts.</b> See <a href="#">SPOP</a> for more details.	Before Freshman Edge begins, kick off your UCI experience by attending <a href="#">SPOP 5</a> on August 3rd and 4th. Receive academic advising, register for fall classes, and begin meeting other freshmen. See <a href="#">SPOP</a> for more details. <b>Summer Bridge students are required to attend SPOP 5.</b>
<b>Can I enroll in more than one pathway?</b>	Students should enroll in either the Freshman Edge or Freshman Edge International Pathway. Students who believe they are eligible for the Summer Bridge Scholarship should apply for it. Recipients will be notified beginning mid-May. Summer Bridge Scholarship applicants who plan on attending Freshman Edge even if a Summer Bridge Scholarship is not awarded, should also enroll in Freshman Edge to save their space in the program and receive the best chances at obtaining a space in their desired course. Please note that the \$179 campus fee, which is required as an up-front payment for Freshman Edge enrollment, is non-refundable.		

For more information, visit: [summer.uci.edu/freshman](http://summer.uci.edu/freshman)