Talent Development Program

Talent Development is available to transfer students who are RI resident who graduated from a RI high school or hold a General Education Diploma (GED) and who come from disadvantaged backgrounds.

CCRI must be the only post-secondary school attended.

Admission Requirements for TD/CCRI Transfer

Core admission requirements (taken in high school or at CCRI)

- 4 units in English or WRT 1010 at CCRI
- 3 in algebra and plane geometry or MATH 0500 & 0600 or MATH 1200
- 2 in a physical or natural science
- 2 in history or social science
- 2 in the same foreign language (2 semesters of the same language at CCRI)

Students must have attempted 24 and no more than 30 academic credits (including remedial and ESL courses). Students must have earned between 18-30 credits with a 2.3 or higher by June 1.

We do not admit transfer students into PharmD or pre-licensure nursing. Transfer into Business and Engineering requires a strong math background.

Application Deadlines

Admission to TD is competitive. Apply by the deadline. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

- Application: December 15
- Academic Credentials: January 15
- Financial Aid- January 1

(Financial aid is based on eligibility. Talent Development (TD) applicants must file the FAFSA)

Application Process

Transfer applicants are required to use the Transfer Common Application and submit official transcripts. Submitting “School Forms” is not required. A completed application includes:

- Official high school transcript
- Official CCRI Transcript
- TD Application Code: Using the TD code, both pays the application fee and flags the application as TD.CCRI

Students should contact the TD office at 401.874.2901

The Personal Statement should be a specific statement to TD that outlines an applicant’s background and future goals, and how TD could assist the applicant in reaching those goals. The essay must also include details of any disadvantages that should be considered when reviewing the application.
**Program Requirements**

Spring Preparatory Program - date TBA

Summer Program - six weeks in residence at the University of Rhode Island's Kingston campus.

**Academic Year - During the academic year, students must:**

Be full-time (e.g., a minimum of 12 credits).

Reside on the Kingston campus until the end of their first year. This requirement can be subject to certain exceptions.

Meet with their assigned TD Academic Advisor.

Remain in good academic standing (e.g., cumulative average of 2.00 or higher) to be eligible for the need-based Hardge/Forleo Grant.

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**Recommended Course Work @ CCRI**

- ENGL 1010
- Math 0500 & 0600 or Math 1200
- 1 Course meeting URI Literature requirement.
- 1 Course meeting URI Fine Arts requirement.
- Choose 2 sequential language courses
- Choose 2 courses in lab science
- Choose courses from 2 different disciplines in Social Sciences from: Economics, Geography, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology.
- History/Other (6 credits) Choose two courses meeting the letters general education requirement, one must be from History.

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**Additional Resources**

Talent Development
[http://web.uri.edu/talentdevelopment/](http://web.uri.edu/talentdevelopment/)

Majors and curriculum sheets
[http://web.uri.edu/advising/majors/](http://web.uri.edu/advising/majors/)

Transferring from RI State Colleges and Universities

Transfer Resource Center
[http://web.uri.edu/transfer/](http://web.uri.edu/transfer/)