Westmont College-Santa Barbara City College
Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG)

Westmont College consistently ranks as the #1 Christian liberal arts college in the western U.S. With more than 30 major programs, ranging from the humanities and the arts to the social, behavioral and natural sciences, there's a pathway for every student. As an intentionally Christian community, students at Westmont embrace the opportunity to invest in their spiritual formation alongside their academic studies. Students at Westmont are expected to live on campus for the duration of their studies, contributing to a vibrant campus community. Westmont is happy to accept applicants for either the fall or spring semesters. Students admitted under the SBCC TAG are guaranteed academic scholarship of at least $12,000 per academic year.

Requirements for Transfer Admission Guarantee from SBCC
- Proof of high school completion or GED.
- Complete at least 24 college-level semester units with at least a C- in each course. Pass grades will be considered if the transcript explicitly states that a P is equivalent to a C- or better.
- Have a cumulative college GPA of 3.0 or better.
- Complete the Westmont application at application.westmont.edu.
- Submit official college transcripts.
- Submit a letter of recommendation from one college professor who may write with firsthand knowledge of your work in the classroom.
- Agree to Westmont's Community Life Statement: https://www.westmont.edu/about/community-commitments/community-life-statement

Limits and Exceptions
- The SBCC TAG agreement does not apply to Westmont's ABSN program.
- Career Technical Education (CTE) and other technical units will not be accepted for transfer.
- Units awarded on the basis of advanced course work taken in high school, whether through dual enrollment or exam-based credit, such as AP, IB or CLEP, will be evaluated separately from this agreement.
- A maximum of 64 semester units may be transferred to Westmont from a community college.

Deadlines and Timelines
- Priority deadline for students applying for the spring semester is November 15. Students applying after that date will be considered, provided space remains available.
- Priority deadline for students applying for the fall semester is March 15. Students applying after that date will be considered, provided space remains available.
- Upon successful completion of the application and submission of all supporting documentation, students can typically expect to receive an official admission decision within two weeks.
- Official credit evaluations, along with an estimated time to completion are typically provided to students within two weeks of admission to the college. Estimated credit evaluations are available upon request of the Westmont Admissions Office.