Preparing, Supporting, and Advising 2YC/4YC Transfer Students

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SAGE 2YC has developed a resource to help faculty at two- and four-year institutions assist students through the transfer process. Information on best practices has been compiled for a number of important transfer issues:

- **Early Recruitment of Majors**
  - Determine Interest Levels
  - Encourage Student Engagement
  - Share your Personal Experience
  - Show them a Future in Geoscience

- **Supportive Advising for the Transfer Process**
  - Engage with the Students
  - Familiarize Yourself with Articulation Agreements
  - Make Transfer Information Readily Available to Students

- **Minimize Transfer Shock**
  - Connect 2YC Student to 4YC Faculty and Students
  - Provide Students with Information and Contacts
  - Stay Connected with Students who Transfer

- **2YC-4YC Collaborations Serving Transfer Students**
  - Communicate with Local Four-year Institutions
  - Investigate Research Collaborations
  - Facilitate Social Interactions between 2YC and 4YC Students and Faculty

Examples from faculty who work with transfer students illustrate ways of implementing practices to support students through a successful transition.

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