

# When Should You Be Thinking About Transfer? QUEST

Sept 6

Many of you won't like the answer, but really, you should be thinking about transferring now. If it's your first year it's a good idea to be visiting campuses, talking to departments, and getting a general feel for what life is like at the school you're thinking about. If at all possible you should do this while classes are in session. If it's your second year or you're only planning on staying at ICC for one year then you need be applying right now! The general rule for applying to a four year institution is to submit your application one year before you plan to attend. Illinois State University's application for Fall 2011 became available on September 1<sup>st</sup> and Bradley's is currently available. ISU recommends that you have your application in by November of the year before you are planning on attending.

The earlier you know where you're planning on transferring the easier it is to plan for that transfer. Schools tend to have very specific requirements for their programs and expect transfer students to have completed them. It is possible for you to take classes that will be great at one university and won't work at all at another—just ask any Elementary Ed student who has switched between Bradley and ISU or the other way around!

This all might seem a little overwhelming, but QUEST is here to help. If you're interested in a school we can do some research and see what your transfer might look like. There are also many events that you can attend on campus that might help you make a decision. College Night happens each Fall in the gymnasium at ICC. It's a large, well attended college fair and schools from all over the state attend. QUEST Transfer Night will take place on October 5th. This is a QUEST student only mini college fair. For more information see below.

## QUEST TRANSFER NIGHT

Tuesday, October 5th

A mini-college fair just for QUEST students!

- This event is intended for sophomores of student transferring after one year and their parents.
- Sophomores—look for your invitation in the mail!
- Those transferring after one year—let us know so we can get you an invitation.

## QUEST Fall Trip

**When:** Friday, Oct. 15

**Where:** ???

*Help decide our destination at the next Student Advisory Council! Options are listed on Facebook! The destination will be announced at the end of the second Advisory Council meeting.*



Fall Break is the day QUEST students hit the road. We load up the Cougar Bus with students and a bunch of junk food for a day of adventure. We'll leave the ICC Parking Lot B (by the gym) at 5:45 AM.

- Awesome guest speaker
- Campus Scavenger Hunt!
- Plan the QUEST fall trip
- Get a **free lunch ticket!**



## Student Advisory Council

Tranquility Room

*Next Meeting:*

**Friday, September 10**  
**Either 12:00 PM OR**  
**1:00 PM**  
**Founder's Room 211A**

## Activities and Events

# Cultural Events

<b>Frankenstein, A New Musical</b>	Peoria Players Theater	Sept 10- 19
<b>Brothers Grimm Spectaculathon</b>	ICC Performing Arts Center	Sept 24 &25
<b>Subscription I</b>	Peoria Symphony	Sept 18

**Community of Learning Ticket Policy:** Did you know that QUEST students can get free tickets to area performances? Tickets are on a first come-first served-basis, and are limited to one event per month. A waiting list will be generated. If you have signed up on the wait list for an extra ticket, it is your responsibility to check with the QUEST Staff three (3) days before the event.

**Chocolate!**  
**\$1**

Buy a candy bar  
in the QUEST  
Office  
(Room 302B).  
Support QUEST  
Transfer  
Scholarships!



# ACADEMIC INFO

September 7	Labor Day -No Classes
October 15	Midterm Break -No Classes
October 18	Classes Resume
November 23	Thanksgiving Break Begins
November 29	Classes Resume
Dec 10	Last Day of Classes
Dec 11-16	Finals
Dec 18	Graduation

# COLLEGE RECRUITERS

Recruiters are available in the  
Atrium from 11-1 PM

Bradley	September 14
WIU	September 26

# COLLEGE VISITS

To sign up, stop by the QUEST  
Office, Room 302B.

**University of Illinois,  
Urbana Champaign**  
Saturday, September 25

**Southern Illinois University  
Edwardsville**  
Monday October 11

## Deadlines and Headlines

# Illinois State University On-the-spot Admission Day

**Tuesday, September 28th  
10am—1pm**

**Appointments need to be made with the  
Transfer Center at 694-5330 by Friday  
September 24th. For more info. Stop by  
the QUEST office or call the Transfer  
Center**

# THE STUDIO READ.WRITE.CREATE.

Check out the new Writing Lab in Room 238A. It's a place to work on your college papers with the help of a writing consultant (basically a tutor). Walk in or make an appointment at 694-5292.



## Student Activities Fair

**Wednesday, Sept 8  
10 AM—1 PM  
ICC Courtyard**

- FREE Food!
- Games
- Prizes
- Find out about campus clubs

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