

CSAC



DREAM ACT SERVICE INCENTIVE GRANT PROGRAM



WHAT TO KNOW FOR SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

WHAT IS THE CALIFORNIA DREAM ACT SERVICE INCENTIVE GRANT PROGRAM (DSIG)?

The California Dream Act Service Incentive Grant Program (DSIG) encourages California Dream Act Application (CADAA) students with a Cal Grant A award that met Cal Grant B eligibility or a Cal Grant B award to perform community or volunteer service. Students shall perform 150 hours per semester/100 hours per quarter of community or volunteer service.

The California Student Aid Commission (CSAC) will award up to \$4,500 per academic year to 1,667 eligible students.

WHAT IS A QUALIFYING COMMUNITY OR VOLUNTEER SERVICE ORGANIZATION FOR DSIG?

- Any 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.
- Any federal, state, or local government entity.
- Any school on the Cal Grant Eligible School List on the CSAC website.
- Organization must be established for a minimum of two years prior to the date that the student begins to perform service.
- Service performed is not advocacy of a political, social or religious nature.
- Service performed must be related to your field of study or serves to further community service or a community need.

CURRENT LIST OF SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

WWW.CSAC.CA.GOV/DSIG/SERVICEORGANIZATIONS

MY ORGANIZATION IS NOT ON THE LIST OF SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS. WHAT DO I DO?

Step 1

To register complete the California Dream Act Service Incentive Grant Program (DSIG) Service Organization Registration form found on our website: WWW.CSAC.CA.GOV/DSIG/SERVICEORGANIZATIONS

Step 2

Submit completed form(s) via email at DSIG@CSAC.CA.GOV.

