



OPERATIONS MEMO

Update from the California Student Aid Commission

STATE OF
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GOM 2020-20

TO: Financial Aid Administrators

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SUBJECT: **2020-2021 Middle Class Scholarship Award Cycle**

This Operations Memo from the California Student Aid Commission (Commission) announces that the Middle Class Scholarship (MCS) award processing will begin on July 17, 2020, for the University of California (UC) and California State University (CSU) campuses.

Academic Year 2020-2021

- 2020-2021 MCS program income and asset ceiling is \$184,000 per the California State Budget.
- MCS awards will be processed on July 17, 2020, using the initial enrollment files uploaded from July 1 to July 10, 2020.
- Roster files will be made available for download on July 20, 2020.
- The enrollment and payment/correction file upload process will become available on July 21, 2020. Processing of the files will start on July 24, 2020.
- The initial run of the mid-week payment/correction job will start on July 28, 2020.

Academic Year 2019-2020

- The following functionality is still available in WebGrants:
 - Payment and correction file uploads
 - Roster screen (manual transactions)
- Claim schedules previously on hold were processed on July 3, 2020, with an EFT settlement date of July 8, 2020.

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