



The California Student Aid Commission (CSAC) will award up to \$4,500 per academic year (up to \$2,250 per semester or up to \$1,500 per quarter) to 1,667 eligible students. The grant will be available to the student for up to 8 semesters or up to 12 quarters while they have an active Cal Grant A or B award. Cal Grant A recipients must have met Cal Grant B eligibility. Student shall perform at least 150 hours per semester or 100 hours per quarter of community or volunteer service with a qualifying service organization.

Grant Application

Academic Year: _____ (e.g.) 2022-23

<p>Qualifying Service Organization</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A nonprofit as defined in Section 501(c)(3) of the IRS code. • Any federal, state, or local government entity. • Any school on the Cal Grant Eligible Schools list on the CSAC website. • Organization shall have been established for a minimum of two years prior to the date that the student begins to perform service. • Community or volunteer service performed is not advocacy of a political, social, or religious nature. • Service is related to the participating student's field of study or is in furtherance of community service or a community need. • Organizations will be contacted if additional verification/clarification is needed. 		<p>Who is Eligible to Apply</p> <p>California Dream Act Application (CADAA) filers enrolled at a qualifying institution that have an active Cal Grant A or Cal Grant B award and have enough unmet need. Cal Grant A recipients must have met Cal Grant B eligibility.</p> <p>How to Apply</p> <p>Submit completed form(s) to: Email: dsig@csac.ca.gov Or Mail: California Student Aid Commission Attn: CA Dream Act Service Incentive Grant Program P.O. Box 419027 Rancho Cordova, CA 95741-9026</p>	
Section 1: Student Demographic Information (Required)			
Last Name:		First: Middle:	
Street Address:		City and Zip Code:	
Email:		Phone:	
		CSAC ID or Dream Act ID:	
		Field of Study:	
		Date of Birth:	
Section 2: School of Attendance Information (Required) To Be Completed by Financial Aid Administrator			
School Name:		OPE ID:	
FAA Name:		YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> Student has been offered a Cal Grant A award that met Cal Grant B eligibility or a Cal Grant B Award.	
FAA Email:		YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> Student has at least \$4,500 of financial unmet need to be eligible to receive up to \$2,250 per semester or up to \$1,500 per quarter.	
FAA Signature:		<input type="checkbox"/> Understand that the grant awarded under the program shall not offset or replace any other source of grant aid, including, but not necessarily limited to, institutional aid and scholarships. <input type="checkbox"/> Student will submit payment request after service hours have been completed. <input type="checkbox"/> FAA notified when payment is approved and check has been mailed to institution. Initial DSIG payment will occur after student receives at least one Cal Grant A or B payment.	
Section 3: Service Organization Information (Required)			
Organization Name & Date Established:		Employer Identification Number (EIN):	
Street Address:		City:	
Contact Name:		Contact Email:	
		Zip:	
		Contact Phone:	
<p>List members of your organization who will verify completion of service hours performed by the student. A certifying official name and signature must be on the document validating service hours performed by the student. This information will be sent to CSAC in a timely manner.</p>		Certifying Official Name 1: Signature 1: Certifying Official Name 2: Signature 2:	
Section 4: Student Agreement (Required)			
<p>By signing this form, I understand that I must meet requirements to participate in the California Dream Act Service Incentive Grant Program:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Must have enough financial need and be an active recipient of a Cal Grant A award that met Cal Grant B eligibility or a Cal Grant B award for that academic year. <input type="checkbox"/> Must meet Satisfactory Academic Progress and complete any necessary verification for my Cal Grant A or B award. <input type="checkbox"/> Must perform at least 150 hours per semester or 100 hours per quarter of community or volunteer service. <input type="checkbox"/> Must submit payment request and verification of completed service hours signed by one of the certifying officials listed above for payment. <p>In addition, I understand my initial California Dream Act Service Incentive Grant Program award payment will occur after I receive at least one Cal Grant A or B payment during the academic year.</p>			
Student Signature:			Date: