TO: Financial Aid Administrators

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SUBJECT: **2018-19 Cal Grant C Preliminary Awards**

This Operations Memo from the California Student Aid Commission (Commission) announces changes to the 2018-19 Cal Grant C preliminary award process. In an effort to increase Cal Grant C utilization, the Commission expanded the pool of potential Cal Grant C eligible awardees to include all students who listed a Cal Grant C-eligible school on their financial aid application.

**2018-19 Cal Grant C Preliminary Award Processing:**

- Preliminary 2018-19 Cal Grant C awards have been processed and offered to all students who listed a Cal Grant C-eligible school on their FAFSA/CADAA.

- Eligible schools may now see an increase in the number of preliminary Cal Grant C offered awardees.

- Students must complete the Cal Grant C Supplement via [WebGrants for Students](#) to confirm program eligibility.

- Schools can download the *Cal C Supplement Recipient Report* to confirm submission of students’ Cal Grant C Supplement forms.

- California Community College current award amount for books and supplies is $1,094.

- Other qualifying colleges and universities award $547 for books and supplies, plus an additional $2,462 for tuition and fees.

- The Commission will continue to process Cal Grant C award offers until all 7,761 awards are utilized.

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