



OPERATIONS MEMO

Update from the California Student Aid Commission

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TO: Financial Aid Administrators

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SUBJECT: **2018-19 Middle Class Scholarship Award Cycle**

This Operations Memo from the California Student Aid Commission (Commission) announces that the Middle Class Scholarship (MCS) award processing began August 3, 2018, for the University of California (UC) and California State University (CSU) campuses.

Academic Year 2018-19

- 2018-19 MCS program income and asset ceiling is \$171,000 per the California State Budget.
- MCS awards were processed on August 3, 2018, using the initial enrollment files uploaded in July 2018.
- Roster files were made available for download on August 6, 2018.
- Award and roster screens are available.
- The enrollment and payment/correction file upload process became available on August 7, 2018.
- The initial run of the mid-week payment/correction job started on August 14, 2018.

Academic Year 2017-18

- The following functionality is still available in WebGrants:
 - Payment and correction file uploads
 - Roster screen (manual transactions)

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