

OPERATIONS MEMO



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Update from the California Student Aid Commission

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GOM 2021-30

TO: High School Counselors

FROM:

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SUBJECT: Final Reminder: GPA Submission for the Class of 2022

This Operations Memo from the California Student Aid Commission (Commission) provides an update to GOM 2021-19 regarding the electronic submission of Non-SSN Grade Point Averages (GPA) for the class of 2022. As a reminder, the GPA submission deadline for the class of 2022 is October 1, 2021.

- As of September 21, 2021, 6.9% of public and private high schools have submitted GPAs for the class of 2022. The Commission appreciates those schools who have already submitted their students' GPAs.
 - Schools are also encouraged to upload GPAs for students that graduated in 2021, as this may help those students qualify for a Cal Grant if they did not qualify the previous award year.
 - o GPAs for the class of 2022 and class of 2021 should be uploaded as separate files.
 - GPAs for different schools should be uploaded as separate files.
- The Commission will continue to accept GPAs after the October 1 deadline and assist high schools and school districts with their GPA submissions.
- GPAs are required for students to receive Cal Grant award consideration. Commission staff anticipates sending Cal Grant award notifications to students in early November 2021. Early notification of Cal Grant award eligibility helps students in their college planning and admission process.
- For further assistance with the GPA upload process, please visit our GPA Tools webpage to view user guides and submission information. You can also view our "GPA Uploads for High Schools" training video on our Training videos webpage. Individual assistance by phone and e-mail is also available.

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