



# SPECIAL ALERT

STATE OF CALIFORNIA



## Update from the California Student Aid Commission

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GSA 2020-22

TO: Financial Aid Administrators

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SUBJECT: **2019-20 Cal Grant Year-End Reconciliation**

This Special Alert from the California Student Aid Commission (Commission) announces the **September 24, 2020** final year-end reconciliation deadline for the 2019-20 Cal Grant program.

The following deadlines will allow the Commission and institutions to adequately prepare for the October 1 opening of the 2021-22 financial aid application period:

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| <b>June 30, 2020</b><br>by 5:00 p.m. PST      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deadline for students to submit a new 2019-20 CA Dream Act Application.</li> <li>• Deadline for institutions to submit Grant Record Changes (G-21) that could result in new awards (first award offer to an eligible student for the 2019-20 academic year).</li> </ul> |
| <b>August 28, 2020</b><br>by 5:00 p.m. PST    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2019-20 Cal Grant awardees without payments or eligible transactions for renewal will be withdrawn.</li> </ul>  |
| <b>September 18, 2020</b><br>by 5:00 p.m. PST | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deadline to make corrections to submitted 2019-20 CA Dream Act Applications.</li> <li>• Deadline for institutions to submit school-change upload files (moves an awarded student from one campus roster to another).</li> </ul>   |
| <b>September 24, 2020</b><br>by 5:00 p.m. PST | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deadline for institutions to submit Grant Roster payment files.</li> <li>• All 2019-20 roster transactions, including payments or payment adjustments must be completed in WebGrants before 5:00 p.m.</li> </ul>  |

Schools are encouraged to reconcile their payment rosters monthly to effectively complete final year-end reconciliation by **September 24, 2020**.

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