



# SPECIAL ALERT

STATE OF CALIFORNIA



## Update from the California Student Aid Commission

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**GSA 2021-20**

TO: Financial Aid Administrators

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**SUBJECT: 2020-21 Cal Grant Year-End Reconciliation**

This Special Alert from the California Student Aid Commission (Commission) announces the **September 16, 2021** final year-end reconciliation deadline for the 2020-21 Cal Grant program.

The following deadlines will allow the Commission and institutions to adequately prepare for the October 1 opening of the 2022-23 financial aid application period:

<b>June 30, 2021</b> by 5:00 p.m. PST	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deadline for students to submit a new 2020-21 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 2020-21 academic year).</li> </ul>
<b>August 26, 2021</b> by 5:00 p.m. PST	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2020-21 Cal Grant awardees without payments or eligible transactions for renewal will be withdrawn.</li> </ul>
<b>September 10, 2021</b> by 5:00 p.m. PST	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deadline to make corrections to submitted 2020-21 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 16, 2021</b> 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 2020-21 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 16, 2021**. The Commission will invoice institutions with outstanding funds for the 2020-21 academic year after the reconciliation deadline.

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