

## California Dream Act Service Incentive Grant Program (DSIG) Service Organization Registration

The California Student Aid Commission (CSAC) will award up to \$3,000 per academic year (up to \$1,500 per semester or up to \$1,000 per quarter) to 2,500 eligible students. The grant will be available to the student for up to 8 semesters or up to 12 quarters while they have an active Cal Grant B award. Student shall perform at least 150 hours per semester or 100 hours per quarter of community or volunteer service with a qualifying service organization.



<p><b>Qualifying Service Organization</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A nonprofit as defined in Section 501(c)(3) of the IRS code.</li> <li>Any federal, state, or local government entity.</li> <li>Any school on the Cal Grant Eligible Schools list on the CSAC website.</li> <li>Organization shall have been established for a minimum of two (2) years prior to the date that the student begins to perform service.</li> <li>Community or volunteer service performed is not advocacy of a political, social, or religious nature.</li> <li>Service is related to the participating student’s field of study or is in furtherance of community service or a community need.</li> <li>Organizations will be contacted if additional verification/clarification is needed.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Who is Eligible to Register</b> Any qualifying service organization.</p> <p><b>How to Register</b> Submit completed form(s) to:  <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:studentsupport@csac.ca.gov">studentsupport@csac.ca.gov</a>  <b>Or Mail:</b> California Student Aid Commission                  Attn: CA Dream Act Service Incentive Grant Program                  P.O. Box 419027                  Rancho Cordova, CA 95741-9026</p>
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<b>Service Organization Information (Required)</b>		
Organization Name & Date Established:	Employer Identification Number (EIN):	
Street Address:	City:	Zip:
Contact Name:	Contact Email:	Contact Phone:
<b>List members of your organization who will verify completion of service hours performed by the student. A certifying official name and signature must be on the document validating service hours performed by the student. This information will be sent to CSAC in a timely manner.</b>	Certifying Official Name 1:  Certifying Official Name 2:	Signature 1:  Signature 2:

<p>Student Statement to be signed upon application:</p> <p>By signing this form, I understand that I must meet requirements to participate in the California Dream Act Service Incentive Grant Program:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Must have enough financial need and be an active recipient of a Cal Grant B Award for that academic year.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Must meet Satisfactory Academic Progress and complete any necessary verification for my Cal Grant B award.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Must perform at least 150 hours per semester or 100 hours per quarter of community or volunteer service.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Must submit payment request and verification of completed service hours signed by one of the certifying officials listed above for payment.</li> </ul> <p>In addition, I understand my total award amount will depend on my enrollment status and unmet need. I also understand my initial CA Dream Act Service Incentive Grant Program award payment will occur after I receive at least one Cal Grant B payment during the academic year.</p>
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