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Update from the California Student Aid Commission

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TO: Financial Aid Administrators

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SUBJECT: 2022-23 Cal Grant Competitive Awards

This Operations Memo from the California Student Aid Commission (Commission) provides an update on the processing of the 2022-23 Cal Grant Competitive awards.

The Commission processed Competitive awards for the 2022-23 academic year on **June 30, 2022**, and has offered competitive awards to some students who were not eligible for an entitlement award in 2022-23.

- 62,688 financially eligible applicants were considered for 13,000 Competitive awards.
- Applicants with a score of **558** or above were offered a Competitive Cal Grant.
- The <u>scoring matrix for the 2022-23 award year</u> had a maximum possible applicant score of 1000 points.
- Competitive Cal Grant offered awardees will be notified by e-mail and will be advised to use their <u>WebGrants4Students</u> account for further information regarding their Cal Grant status.

Competitive Awards on the Roster

- Utilize the *Award Status Extract* process to identify Cal Grant eligible students who are attending your campus.
- Claim Cal Grant eligible students by submitting a School Change upload file.
- Customize your WebGrants roster to identify unpaid awarded students. <u>The Customizing Roster Training Video</u> provides instruction on customizing your roster.
- View a breakdown of your students' Cal Grant scores by selecting the "Score Detail" button on the Student Award Detail screen on WebGrants.

Additional communications will be sent to eligible students to remind them of their Cal Grant award and steps to take to receive a payment.

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