



SPECIAL ALERT

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Update from the California Student Aid Commission

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TO: Financial Aid Administrators

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SUBJECT: 2021-22 Chafee Foster Youth Grant Program Updates-Winter Term

The California Student Aid Commission (Commission) has opened the 2021-22 winter term for the Chafee Grant Program. Financial aid offices can certify students and request payments.

As a reminder, the following guidelines and resources are available:

- **Work Your Payment Roster** - the Commission is asking that you review your Payment Roster on [WebGrants](#) to certify and request payments for all awarded students.
- **Recycling Awards Timeline** - to maximize the number of students who are awarded, the Commission will recycle awards **30 days** from the date of offer. Students who lose their awards due to the recycle process can be considered again if the Financial Aid Officer updates the payment roster.
- **Non-Disbursed Chafee Checks** - All non-disbursed checks must be returned to the Commission within **30 business days** of receipt. This will allow the Commission to maximize the funds available for awards. Complete the form attached to the check and do not write on or void the check. Return both to:

California Student Aid Commission
PO BOX 419027
Rancho Cordova, CA 95741-9027

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- The Commission's Chafee team is available if you need assistance or have questions: chafee@csac.ca.gov / (888)294-0153

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