

## Student Fact sheet for Student Success Completion Grant (SSCG)

### 1. QUESTION: WHAT IS THE STUDENT SUCCESS COMPLETION GRANT?

**Answer:** The purpose of the SSCG grant award is to provide the student with additional financial aid to help offset the total cost of community college attendance, and to encourage full time attendance and successful on-time completion.

### 2. QUESTION: HOW MUCH IS THE AWARD?

**Answer:**

- A maximum of \$1,298 annually at six hundred forty-nine dollars (\$649) per semester for eligible students who enroll and attend 12 through 14.99 units per term
- A maximum of \$4,000 annually at two thousand dollars (\$2,000) per semester for eligible students who enroll and attend 15 units per term

Total grant amount is up to the amount of unmet need.

### 3. QUESTION: HOW DOES THE STUDENT QUALIFY FOR THE SSCG AWARD?

**Answer:**

- The student must be receiving a Cal Grant B or C award
- The student must maintain federal satisfactory academic progress at the college
- The student must be a California resident or exempt from paying nonresident tuition

### 4. QUESTION: MUST THE STUDENT HAVE A COMPREHENSIVE STUDENT EDUCATIONAL PLAN (SEP) TO RECEIVE THE AWARD?

**Answer:** No; however, it is the intent of the law for students to have a SEP on file. If you have questions about your SEP, contact an academic counselor.

### 5. QUESTION: HOW DOES THE STUDENT MAINTAIN ELIGIBILITY FOR THE SSCG?

**Answer:** To qualify for the SSCG:

- Be eligible for a Cal Grant B or C award
- Meet federal satisfactory academic progress (SAP)
- Have unmet need to receive the SSCG
- Maintain full time attendance

### 5. QUESTION: WHAT IF I MET ALL THE REQUIREMENTS BUT DID NOT RECEIVE PAYMENT?

**Answer:** Schools are allotted limited funding and cannot exceed their allotted funding. Therefore, the SSCG is refunded on a first come first serve basis. If you were awarded but not refunded, the school has used their allotted funding.