

CCPG ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Maintain **2.0+ GPA**
COMPLETE **61%** OF UNITS
ATTEMPTED

Although the Board of Governor's Waiver has changed its name to California College Promise Grant, all state regulations have stayed the same. As of Fall 2016, in addition to income and residency requirements, students must maintain academic and progress standards to uphold California College Promise Grant eligibility.

ACADEMIC STANDARD (GPA)

Sustain a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0. If your cumulative GPA falls below 2.0, you may be placed on academic probation.

PROGRESS STANDARD (UNIT COMPLETION)

Cumulative satisfactory completion of 61% or more of attempted units. If your cumulative satisfactory completion of attempted units is 60% or below, you may be placed on progress probation.



California College Promise Grant and Priority Registration

Whether you want to move into a career or move on to a four-year university, San Diego City, Mesa, and Miramar Colleges want to help you achieve your educational goals. To help support student success, the state provides students with two valuable incentives to meet academic and progress standards: The **California College Promise Grant (CCPG)**, formerly known as Board of Governors Fee Waiver (BOGW), and **Registration Priority**.

The **California College Promise Grant (CCPG)**, available to eligible students, will waive your per unit enrollment fee at any California community college throughout the state.

Registration priority allows you to register early, giving you the best selection of courses. If you are in a degree or certificate program or planning to transfer to a four-year college or university, priority registration will help you define your goals, stay on track, and take the most direct route from start to finish.

Once you have qualified for enrollment priority and the CCP Grant, it is important to ensure that you are meeting the academic and progress standards in order to avoid losing either.

Meet with a counselor to establish your educational pathway.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON HOW TO KEEP YOUR

CALIFORNIA COLLEGE PROMISE GRANT*

& REGISTRATION PRIORITY



**Formerly known as Board of Governor's Fee Waiver (BOGW)*

DON'T WAIT UNTIL IT'S TOO LATE

CONTACT COUNSELING TODAY TO FIND YOUR PATH TO SUCCESS

New name, same state regulations for Loss of CCPG and Enrollment Priority

The current state regulations for eligibility requirements for the California College Promise Grant (CCPG), formerly known as the Board of Governors Fee Waiver, went into effect starting Fall 2016. In addition to income and residency requirements, students must **maintain academic and progress standards** to uphold CCPG eligibility.

The best way to maintain and/or regain your eligibility for the CCPG and enrollment priority is to be in **good academic standing**. To do so, you'll maintain an overall GPA of 2.0 or more, and complete 61% or more of total units attempted.

STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

City, Mesa and Miramar Colleges offer free student support services, such as, counseling, tutoring, mental health counseling, and services for students with disabilities to help you succeed. Contact us Today!

San Diego City College

Admissions Office	Financial Aid Office	Counseling Office
619-388-3475 Office L-110	619-388-3501 Office B-103	619-388-3540 Office E-2

San Diego Mesa College

Admissions Office	Financial Aid Office	Counseling Office
619-388-2682 Office I4-102	619-388-2817 Office I4-107	619-388-2672 Office I4-303

San Diego Miramar College

Admissions Office	Financial Aid Office	Counseling Office
619-388-7844 Office K-207	619-388-7864 Office K-312	619-388-7840 Office K-203

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q: What are the Loss of CCPG Regulations at City, Mesa, and Miramar College?

A: State regulations enacted in 2014 require students to meet minimum academic and progress standards in order to be eligible for the California College Promise Grant. The changes, along with policies governing registration priority, are part of the state Student Success Initiative.

By establishing minimum academic and progress standards for both the CCPG and registration priorities, the state hopes to encourage students to focus on academic success and seek help when they face difficulties.

In order to help ensure students have access to critical support services, the state has increased funding for counseling and other support services to help students define their educational and career goals and stay on track to achieve them.



Frequently Asked Questions (cont'd)

Q: How will I know if I lost my CCPG and registration priority?

A: After grades have been finalized, you will be notified by email if you are disqualified as a result of progress probation. Students who are disqualified are no longer eligible for the CCPG and will lose their registration priority.

Q: I received a notice that I lost my eligibility for the CCPG, what can I do?

A: There are still options available in order to regain your CCPG eligibility. Meet with a counselor to discuss options to help you get back on track:

- Increase your GPA and successfully complete classes to get off of probation, or
- Submit and appeal if you believe you were disqualified due to extenuating circumstances, or
- Sit out for one academic year

Q: Am I still eligible for other financial aid?

A: You may still be eligible for other financial aid if you are meeting satisfactory academic progress (SAP) requirements and have not been disqualified from financial aid. Contact your financial aid office right away for more information.

Q: Is there a unit cap for maintaining my CCPG?

A: No, unlike registration priority, students will not lose their eligibility for the CCPG if they have earned 100+ units or completed a bachelor's degree or higher.

Q: How do I appeal?

A: Students who believe their academic performance is based on **circumstances outside their control**, or believe they made **substantial academic improvement**, may appeal the loss of California College Promise Grant eligibility by submitting a Loss of CCPG/Enrollment Priority Petition to the Dean of Student Development by the petition deadline posted on Student Web Services (sdccd.edu/students). Petitions will be reviewed in the order they are received.