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Where to Find Scholarships

For more information, go to miracosta.edu/financialaid miracosta.edu/scholarships



MIRACOSTA COLLEGE Financial Aid & Scholarships

#### **Financial Aid Office**

1 Barnard Drive, Bldg. 3000 Oceanside, CA 92056

▶ 760.795.6711

miracosta.edu/financialaid

Financial Aid Office Hours: Monday-Thursday • 8 a.m.-7 p.m. Friday • 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

#### **Scholarship Office**

1 Barnard Drive, Bldg. 3000 Oceanside, CA 92056

760.795.6751miracosta.edu/scholarships

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# FINANCIAL AID & SCHOLARSHIPS









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### **TYPES OF FINANCIAL AID**

MiraCosta College Financial Aid Office participates in the following programs:

#### Federal Aid

- Federal Pell Grant
- Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)
- Federal Work-Study (FWS)
- Federal Direct Loans

#### California State Aid

- Cal Grants A, B & C
- Student Success Completion Grant
- California College Promise Grant
- Chafee Grant

#### Institutional Aid

- MiraCosta Promise
- Scholarships

# HOW TO APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID

# FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA)

• Complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) available at **studentaid.gov**. Use Federal School Code 001239 for MiraCosta College.

### California Dream Act Application (CADAA)

 Undocumented students may be eligible to apply for state financial aid by completing a California Dream Act Application (CADAA) online at dream.csac.ca.gov.

### WHEN TO APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID

#### Federal Aid

Students must complete a FAFSA every year. The first day to file a FAFSA for the upcoming school year is October 1.



Undocumented students must complete a CADAA every year. The first day to file a CADAA for the upcoming school year is October 1.

Students should complete a FAFSA or CADAA and submit Grade Point Average (GPA) Verification to the California Student Aid Commission prior to March 2 each year to meet the Cal Grant deadline.

#### Institutional Aid

Deadlines for scholarships vary. To learn more, visit **miracosta.edu/scholarships** or stop by the Scholarship Office.

# CHECK YOUR SURF TO-DO LIST

Once we receive your FAFSA or CADAA we may request
additional documentation via your SURF Tasks List.



- We will post your financial aid awards on SURF. Initial awards are based on full-time enrollment and will be adjusted after the full-semester add/drop deadline. Eligibility may change throughout the year.
- Financial aid is paid through BankMobile Disbursements, a technology solution, powered by BMTX, Inc. An information packet with further instructions will be sent via email and U.S. Postal mail to financial aid students. Visit this link for more information: https://bankmobiledisbursements.com/ refundchoicessso.

# SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS (SAP)

In order to remain eligible for federal, state and institutional financial aid students must maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP). We will review each student's academic records at the end of each semester. Students who are not meeting SAP will be notified.

Please refer to our SAP policy for more information: miracosta.edu/financialaid.

# **SCHOLARSHIPS**

MiraCosta College offers scholarships during the fall and spring semesters. MiraCosta scholarships are available for all students, including Dreamers & International Students

Information and applications for MiraCosta College scholarships and general scholarship opportunities are available online at **miracosta.edu/scholarships**.

Scholarship applications can be downloaded and/or submitted online. Do not miss an application deadline date—apply early!

#### IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS/ WEBSITES

MiraCosta College Financial Aid Office 760.795.6711
MiraCosta College Scholarship Office
FAFSA—Federal Student Aid Information Center 800.433.3243 TTY: 800.730.8913
CADDA—California Dream Act Application
helpline
CSAC—California Student Aid Commission888.224.7268
Direct Loan Consolidation Center800.557.7392
TTY: 800.557.7395
Default Management/Overpayments

#### Financial Aid & Scholarship Websites

miracosta.edu/financialaid

miracosta.edu/scholarships

studentaid.gov (FAFSA)

dream.csac.ca.gov (CADAA)

csac.ca.gov (Cal Grant and other state aid)

nslds.ed.gov/nslds (National Student Loan Data System)

edupass.org/finaid (financial aid for international students)