



**TO:** Chief Student Services Officers  
Chief Business Officers  
EOPS/CARE Program Directors

**FROM:** Mia Keeley  
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**RE:** Extended Opportunity Programs and Services and Cooperative Agencies Resources for Education 2020-21 Allocation Memo

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This memo provides allocation budget information for the 2020-21 Extended Opportunity Programs and Services (EOPS) and Cooperative Agencies Resources for Education (CARE) categorical programs. Both programs receive ongoing Proposition 98 funding through an appropriation in the California State Budget Act in order to help low-income, educationally disadvantaged students attain their educational, career, or transfer goals. For 2020-21 the Chancellor's Office is allocating \$115,717,000 in EOPS funds and \$16,824,000 in CARE funds to 114 colleges through established funding formulas, which remain unchanged. Both Butte College and Santa Rosa Junior College were held harmless at 2017-18 enrollment levels to align with the emergency conditions applied to general apportionment funding as a result of wild fires.

Please see the attached Allocation document for college allocation amounts and minimum obligations for district match and Category C (direct student aid), as required by Title 5 sections 56210 and 56298. Colleges are encouraged to continue to monitor the State budget for any changes that may occur in the fall. Business offices are advised that an adjustment to the amounts certified in the Advance apportionment period will be updated to reflect the allocation spreadsheet attached. Additionally, this year the payment schedule will be accelerated such that districts receive 100% of the EOPS allocation by January 2021.

Colleges are required to submit a budget plan in the Student Services Automated Reporting for Community Colleges web application by September 18, 2020.

If you have any questions concerning this memo, please contact Jillian Luis at [jluis@cccco.edu](mailto:jluis@cccco.edu).

Attachments: 20\_21 EOPS\_CARE Allocation

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Memo**

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