

# IN-STATE TUITION EXPANDS IN CALIFORNIA

SB 68 expands in-state tuition eligibility in California beyond the current requirements for AB 540/AB 2000. This means more students will now be able to pay in-state tuition at California public colleges and universities (CCCs, CSUs & UCs) and apply for state-based financial aid.

## WHO BENEFITS?

### **SB 68 benefits students who didn't go to three years of high school in California**

SB 68 will allow students to count full-time attendance at a California Community College, Adult School, Department of Rehabilitation and Correction School, High School, or combination of these schools to meet the 3 years required to be eligible for in-state tuition. Students who have three years of high school coursework can also count attendance at an elementary school.

### **SB 68 benefits students who don't have a California High School Diploma or didn't get their GED in California**

Students will be able to use an Associate's Degree or the fulfillment of the minimum transfer requirements for the UCs or CSUs to meet the requirements. Contact the school you plan to attend for further information.

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Undocumented individuals, T and U visa holders, U.S. citizens, & lawfully present immigrants who meet the eligibility criteria above can apply if their classes were taken in 2001 or after. Individuals with international student visas, visitor visas, or other "non-immigrants" statuses are not eligible to apply.

## WHAT'S NEXT?

Starting in 2018, students will be able to apply for SB 68 eligibility to get in-state tuition and apply for state-based financial aid through the California Dream Act at California Community Colleges, CSUs, and UCs!

## STAY TUNED!

We will be providing updates regarding the implementation of SB68 at the different public college and university systems in California.



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