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(Information Item)

Environmental scan on high school FAFSA requirement policy

SUMMARY:

This item provides a summary of a research environmental scan report conducted by the California Education Lab at UC Davis on behalf of the California Student Aid Commission (CSAC).

RECOMMENDATION:

This is an information item; no action is required.

BACKGROUND:

In anticipation of the passage of AB469 (FAFSA completion requirement for high school seniors), CSAC partnered with the California Education Lab at UC David to perform an environmental scan of other states and local regions who have adopted similar policies prior to California's implementation. The purpose of the environmental scan is to examine other implementation policies and assess their effectiveness and learn best practices. Additionally, CSAC seeks to know what the likely FAFSA/CADAA completion rate uptake scenarios are so we can better project demand for Cal Grants.

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