

California Student Aid Commission
Data, Research and Strategic Planning Committee

Item 5

(Information Item)

Update on September 2nd FAFSA and CADAA submissions

SUMMARY:

The most recent and current Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and California Dream Act Application (CADAA) submission cycle began on October 1, 2022, for the 2023-24 academic year. This presentation will provide an update on FAFSA/CADAA submission totals through September 2, 2023. It will also provide information on race and ethnicity of applicants for the first time.

RECOMMENDATION:

This is an information item; no action is required.

BACKGROUND:

The Data, Analysis and Research Team (DART) has created a web based FAFSA/CADAA Dashboard (<https://public.tableau.com/views/AllApplications/TotalApplications>) that includes significant enhancements to our reporting on FAFSA/CADAA submissions, including any number of new data crosstabs and historical trend visualizations. Staff will provide an update on current trends in FAFSA and CADAA submissions.

RESPONSIBLE PERSON(S):

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ATTACHMENT(S):

FAFSA and CADAA Submissions Presentation Presented on September 6, 2023