California Dream Act vs. Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA)

Beneficiaries U.S. citizens &	ool ivalency* ₁ CA visa	* S	What It Does Does not change their Does Not Do residency status	What It Does Exempts students from out-of-state tuition fees pu	Effective Date 2001	Title Non-Resident Tuition Exemption	Law or Policy AB 540	Jurisdiction
U.S. citizens & undo eligibility criteria	Individual Scholarship Requirements	Student must meet: AB 540 requirements	oes not make them av	Allows scholarships administrated by public institutions available	January 2012	Califo	AB 130	STATE OF CALIFORNIA
U.S. citizens & undocumented individuals that meet eligibility criteria, as well as U Visa Holders	Priority Filing Deadline Income Guidelines GPA for Cal grants Program Requirements (EOP)	Student must meet: AB 540 requirements	Does not make them available for federal grants or funds	Allows state funded grants & programs available (including Cal grants & institutional grants; EOP & EOP&S eligibility & grants)	January 2013	California Dream Act	AB 131	NIA
Undocumented individuals who meet eligibility criteria	Entered the US before 6/15/02 or had expired status Under the age of 31 Arrived to US before 16th birthday Been in school at time of application or have already graduated or attained GED Not been convicted of a felony	Individual must have or be: Continuously present in ITS since 6/15/07	Does not change their citizenship status	· Allow students to receive employment authorization card with Social Security # · Confers a Stay of Deportation		DACA Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals		FEDERAL (US)

^{*}includes GED or CCSF Transitional Studies