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BOG Fee Waiver Application

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BOGFW Application Design

General Overview

The BOG Fee Waiver application has a unique requirement in that two versions (years) of the application can be available during the same period of time. When a new version of the application becomes available for use, typically, the application from the prior year is still available for a period of time. The primary reason for this is because colleges have different periods for their academic year. Some academic years are fall through summer and others are summer through spring. A BOGFW year corresponds to the college's academic year.

'Fall to Summer' indicates Summer as a trailing term in awarding financial aid; the award year corresponds to Fall-(Winter)-Spring-Summer.

'Summer To Spring' indicates Summer as a leading term in awarding financial aid; the award year corresponds to Summer-Fall-(Winter)-Spring.

Changes from year to year can include any combination of changes such as new or deleted questions, changes to business rules, new page(s), or changes to navigation rules. The differences from one BOG Fee Waiver year to the next are all related to the one field in the database, year_code (i.e. – the bogfw year).

Database Tables

Application Table

There is just one table for both in-progress applications and submitted applications: **bogfw_application**.



Note: See the Download Client guide for details on downloading BOG application data.

```
"app id" bigint
"ccc id" character varying(8) NOT NULL,
"confirmation number" character varying(25),
"status" character(1),
"app lang" character(2),
"college id" character(3),
"year code" bigint,
"year description" character varying(100),
"determined residentca" character(1),
"determined ab540 eligible" character(1),
"determined non res exempt" character(1),
"lastname" character varying(50),
"firstname" character varying(50),
"middlename" character varying(50),
"mainphone" character varying(14),
"mainphone ext" character varying(4),
"mainphone auth text" boolean,
"email" character varying(128),
"non us address" boolean,
"streetaddress1" character varying(50),
"streetaddress2" character varying(50),
"city" character varying(50),
"state" character varying(2),
"province" character varying(30),
"country" character varying(2),
"postalcode" character varying(20),
"ssn" text,
"student college id" character varying(20),
"birthdate" date,
"marital status" character(1),
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"reg dom partner" character(1),
"born before 23 year" character(1),
"married_or_rdp" character(1),
"us veteran" character(1),
"dependents" character(1),
"parents deceased" character(1),
"emancipated minor" character(1),
"legal guardianship" character(1),
"homeless youth school" character(1),
"homeless youth hud" character(1),
"homeless youth other" character(1),
"dependent on parent taxes" character(1),
"living with parents" character(1),
"dependency_status" character(1),
"cert veteran affairs" character(1),
"cert national guard" character(1),
"elig medal honor" character(1),
"elig_sept_11" character(1),
"elig police fire" character(1),
"tanf calworks" character(1),
"ssi ssp" character(1),
"general_assistance" character(1),
"parents assistance" character(1),
"dep number household" integer,
"ind_number_household" integer,
"dep gross income" integer,
"ind gross income" integer,
"dep_other_income" integer,
"ind_other_income" integer,
"dep_total_income" integer,
"ind total income" integer,
"elig method a" boolean,
"elig_method_b" boolean,
"elig bogfw" character(1),
"confirmation parent guardian" boolean,
"parent_guardian_name" character varying(60),
"ack fin aid" boolean DEFAULT false,
"confirmation applicant" boolean DEFAULT false,
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"ssn_last4" character(4),

"tstmp_submit" timestamp with time zone,

"tstmp_create" timestamp with time zone DEFAULT now(),

"tstmp_update" timestamp with time zone,

"tstmp_download" timestamp with time zone,

"term_code" character varying(5),

"ssn_type" character(1),

"ip_address" character varying(15),

"campaign1" character varying(255),

"campaign2" character varying(255),

"campaign3" character varying(255),
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BOGFW Year Table

The bogfw_year table is a system-wide control table used internally by the application. It contains a row for each bogfw year with an indicator of which year(s) is active. The table contains the following fields:

- 1. year_code (sequential number incremented for each new bog year. Used to populate same field in the application table.)
- 2. year_start (The "from year" of the BOG year)
- **3.** year_description_1 (Fall yyyy through Summer yyyy)
- **4.** year_description_2 (Summer yyyy through Spring yyyy)
- 5. method_b_largest_household_size
- 6. method b income increment
- 7. method_b_income_baseline
- **8.** begin_date (first date this application can be used)
- **9.** end date (last date this application can be used. Null means no end date).
- **10.** term_code (5 characters. Always contains the highest year of the description. Example, if year_description_1 is Fall 2016 through Summer 2017, the bog term code is "2017").

The Academic Year Defined

The CCCApply standard application's internal college table contains an academic_year field that is associated with the BOG Fee Waiver application year. This field contains a value of 1 or 2 which indicates the following:

- 1 = Fall through Summer
- 2 = Summer through Spring



Note: The academic_year code is selected and set by colleges in the Administrator application's College tab for the CCCApply application. Each college must ensure that this field is set to align with their financial aid award year. For more information, see the CCCApply Administrator User Guide.

Method B Table

An internal system lookup table is used for Method B income eligibility. This is described in the section **Method B Flag, Algorithm, and Income Table.**

Auto-Population

The following fields of the BOGFW Application auto-populate from the applicant's OpenCCC account:

- CCCID
- · Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial
- SSN
- SSN Last 4 digits
- SSN Type
- Email Address
- · Date of Birth
- · Mainphone, extension and authorization for text
- Street address 1 and 2
- City
- State
- Postalcode

The app_id is automatically generated when the row is first inserted into the table.

The college id is set from the college table based on the college the BOGFW is being sent to.

The mailing address fields can be populated from the account's permanent address fields in the same way as OpenCCCApply (i.e. – by clicking the box that indicates the addresses are the same).

Address verification for mailing addresses will be the same as in the OpenCCCApply Standard application.

Help

The HELP link in the BOGFW application uses the same help application as OpenCCCApply: Get Satisfaction. The CCC Helpdesk is used for account recovery only.

Privacy and Terms of Use

The Privacy Policy and Terms of Use from OpenCCCApply can be used without modifications.

Accessibility Page

The Accessibility page link appears in the footer of the BOG Fee Waiver Application (BOGFW). CCCApply is committed to making its online applications, including the BOGFW, accessible to individuals of all abilities. The BOGFW is developed to be in compliance with California Government Code 11135, which requires such technologies to meet the accessibility requirements of Section 508 of the federal Rehabilitation of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. Sec. 794d). Our goal is to make the CCCApply application accessible to everyone, including individuals with disabilities.

Defining BOG Fee Waiver Years

When a new BOGFW year is approved and ready to be used, a new entry is made in application's internal bogfw_year table. Once the begin_date occurs the system will automatically make the year available on the Application Year page.

The example below uses the 2014-2015 BOGFW application to illustrate the BOG Academic Year options:

Fall to Summer

- 1. Display the 2014-2015 BOG application through June 30, 2015.
- 2. July 1, 2014 June 30, 2015 display the 2014-2015 application
- 3. July 1, 2015 June 30, 2016 display the 2015-2016 application.

The BOG Academic Year indicator (Fall to Summer) tells the system to display the previous year's application (in this case, 2014-2015) through to June 30 of the new year (in this case, 2015) and then retire that application. On July 1, 2015 start displaying the new year's application (2015-2016) through to June 30, 2016. Repeat each year.

Summer to Spring

- 1. Display the 2014-2015 BOG application through December 31, 2014.
- 2. January 1, 2015 December 31, 2015 display the 2015-2016 application.
- 3. January 1, 2016 December 31, 2016 display the 2016-2017 application.



Note: The internal application's Method B table will have new entries added for the new year with newly-defined eligibility determination figures.

Variables

The following variables are used in this specification and referenced in the screen mockups.

Variable Name	Description
bogyear_minus_1year	Subtract one year from the year_start for the year selected (see BOGFW year table).
23_year_date	Calculate 23_year_date to be January 1 of the year_start covered by application, minus 23 years. (e.g. – year_start = 2011 minus 23 years equals January 1, 1988).
tax_year (same as bogyear_minus_1year)	Subtract one year from the year_start based on the year selected.
begin_date	year date_start based on the year selected. (2016-01-01)
end_date	year date_end based on the year selected. (2017-06-30)
year_begin	July 1 of the bog "from" year (e.g. – July 1, 2016)
year_end	June 30 of the bog "to" year (e.g. – June 30, 2017)
subject_name	For dependents, subject_name is "Parent(s)/RDP ". For independents, subject name is "Student and Spouse's/RDP "

CCCApply.org Website

The cccapply.org website has been updated to send applicants to either the XAP BOG application or the OpenCCC BOG application for those colleges who are live on the new system. When a college goes live with the new BOG, this list is updated.

BOG Fee Waiver Application Flow

College Introduction Page

The BOGFW Introduction page is accessed by **going directly to the college website** and locating the page pertaining to BOGFW. The applicant may also access this page from http://home.cccapply.org/.



Note: Changes to cccapply.org are needed to send all colleges on the new system to the college website.

Clicking the button to apply for the BOGFW will be a similar process to applying to college using OpenCCC.

The college must add an introduction section to their website. The Apply button will navigate to the OpenCCC introduction page.

This is a **sample** college introduction page:

This is an application to have your ENROLLMENT FEES WAIVED. If you need money to help with books, supplies, food, rent, transportation and other costs, please complete a Free Application For Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or the California Dream Application (for eligible AB 540 students) immediately.

Apply for BOG Fee Waiver

OpenCCC Introduction Page

The OpenCCC Introduction page has minor modifications to the text as indicated in the mock-up below.



Note: The system will keep track of the fact that this is a BOGFW application and not an application to college. This is true for My Applications as well (see below).

OpenCCC Account

To access services of the California Community Colleges, you must have an OpenCCC Account.

The OpenCCC single sign-in account allows you to access services such as applying to college or the BOG Fee Waiver.

OpenCCC is a service of the California Community Colleges Chancellors Office. The information in your account is kept private and secure.

> Create an account Sign-In

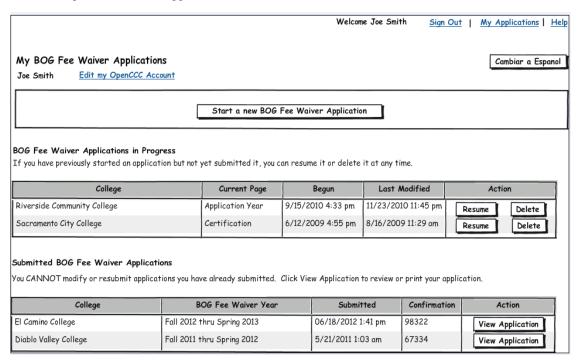
This bordered message box will continue to appear on this page as well.

Note: OpenCCC is a new systemwide account. Accounts from our previous application system are not available. Please create an account if you have not already done so.

My Applications Page

The BOGFW My Applications page works similarly to My Applications for the Standard applications.

From My Applications, the user can start a new application, resume an existing application that has not expired or review and print a submitted application.



Application Pages

Application pages have the following dependencies. Tabs should be grayed out until the page is available based on the table below.



Note: All pages following the Application Year are NOT available until the user completes this page. Once the year is selected and the Application Year page is complete the year field becomes disabled (i.e. you cannot change the year once it is selected and saved.) It should also be noted that the majority of the time only one year will appear in the dropdown box.

Page	Depends on this condition
Introduction	No dependency
Application Year	User clicks Start Application on Introduction Page.

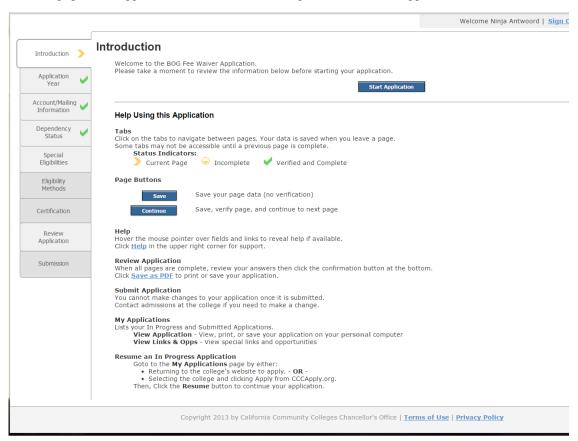
Page	Depends on this condition
Account Mailing	No additional dependency
Dependency Status	No additional dependency
Special Eligibilities	Dependency Status must be complete
Eligibility Methods	Special Eligibilities must be compete
Certification	All previous pages must be complete
Review Application	All previous pages must be complete for the confirmation button to appear on the screen.
Submission	Review Application must be complete

The BOG dependency status is calculated when the Dependency Status page is completed.

The temporary eligibility A is determined when the Special Eligibilities page is complete.

Introduction Page

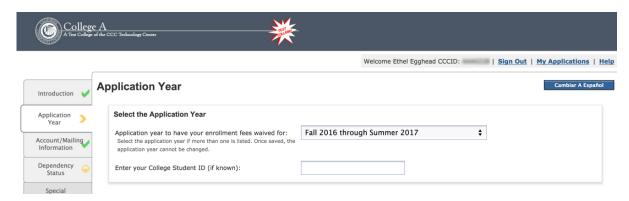
The first page of the application is the Introduction Page for the BOGFW application.



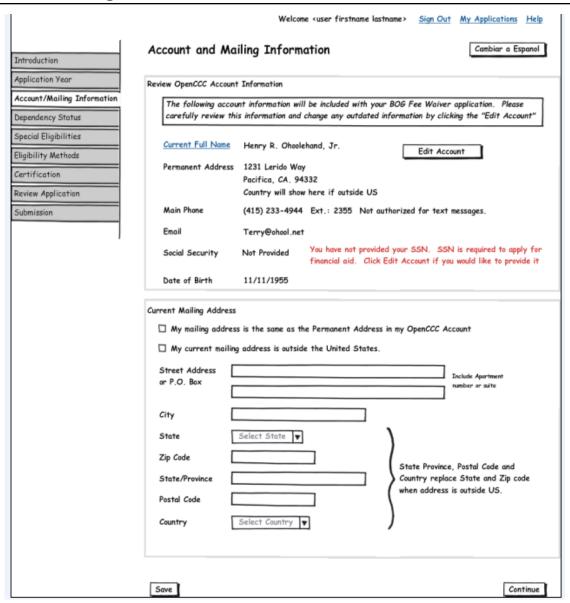
Application Year

The first entry page is the Application year. The following internal technical steps are required to present this page to the applicant.

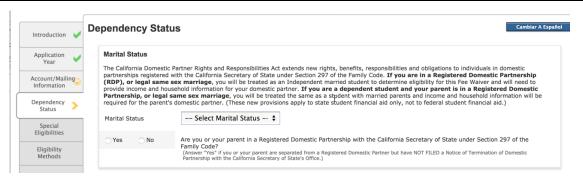
- Query the bogfw_year table using current date to determine the number of bogfw years that are active (available to applicants). The college table must also be queried to retrieve the academic year setting. The value displayed in the dropdown from the bogfw year table will be either year_description_1 or year_description_2 based on the academic_year setting in the college table.
- If the count is one, pre-select the Bog Fee Waiver year to the one that is active and disable the dropdown.
- If the count is two, allow the applicant to select the year.



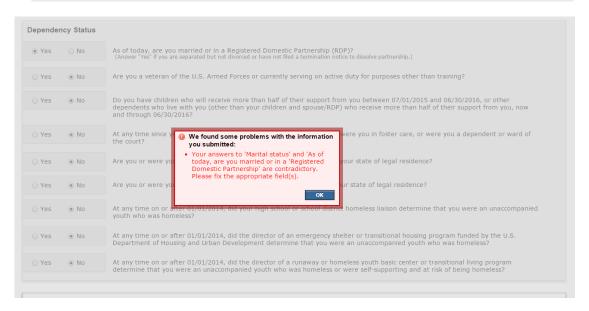
Account/Mailing Information



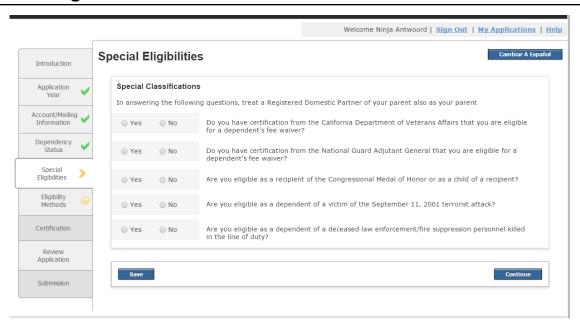
Dependency Status



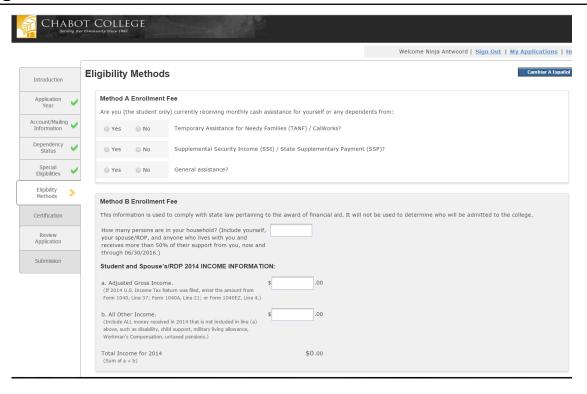
Depende	ency Status	
Yes	○ No	As of today, are you married or in a Registered Domestic Partnership (RDP)? (Answer "Yes" if you are separated but not divorced or have not filed a termination notice to dissolve partnership.)
Yes	○ No	Are you a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces or currently serving on active duty for purposes other than training?
Yes	○ No	Do you have children who will receive more than half of their support from you between 07/01/2015 and 06/30/2017, or other dependents who live with you (other than your children and spouse/RDP) who receive more than half of their support from you, now and through 06/30/2017?
Yes	○ No	At any time since you turned age 13, were both your parents deceased, were you in foster care, or were you a dependent or ward of the court?
Yes	○ No	Are you or were you an emancipated minor as determined by a court in your state of legal residence?
Yes	○ No	Are you or were you in legal guardianship as determined by a court in your state of legal residence?
Yes	○ No	At any time on or after 01/01/2014, did your high school or school district homeless liaison determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless?
Yes	○ No	At any time on or after 01/01/2014, did the director of an emergency shelter or transitional housing program funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless?
Yes	○ No	At any time on or after 01/01/2014, did the director of a runaway or homeless youth basic center or transitional living program determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless?

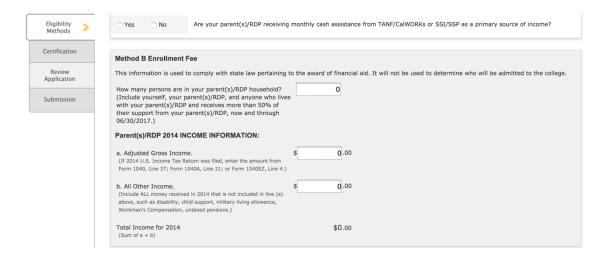


Special Eligibilities

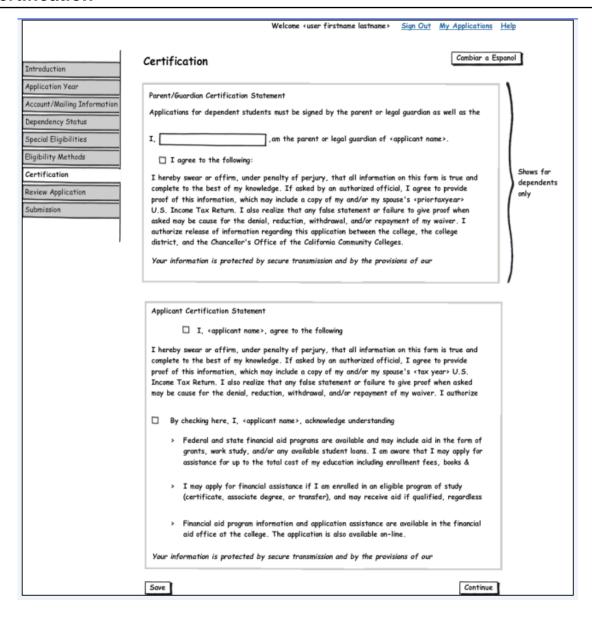


Eligibilities Methods

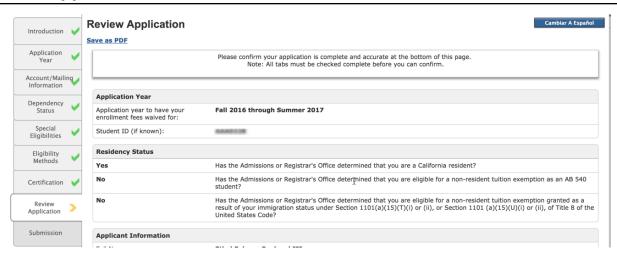




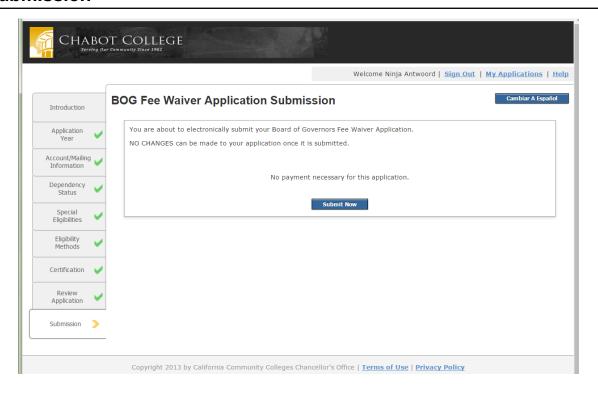
Certification



Review Application



Submission



Confirmation

Welcome <user firstname lastname> Sign Out My Applications

Help

BOG Fee Waiver Application Confirmation

Cambiar a Espanol

Your <college name> BOG Fee Waiver application for <bog_year> has been submitted.

Applicant Name: <applicant name> <applicant ccc_id> Applicant CCCID:

Confirmation Number: <confirmation number>

Home Telephone: <main telephone> Email: <email address> Date Submitted: <date submitted>

Please print this page for your records. You may also print your application on the My Applications page.

Optional Statements may appear here based on answers given in the application. These items are a list of proofs required for claims in the application. Examples are: some of the Special Eligibility responses, TANF, SSI/SSP, etc. See data dictionary for possible optional statements.

This application, if approved by the college, will waive enrollment fees. For additional student aid, please complete a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) online or contact the Financial Aid Office of the college.

Please see the college instructions or contact the college for more information

«Variable College BOG Contact Fields» Note: There may be new fields required in the college table.

Your information is protected by secure transmission and by the provisions of our privacy policy.

AppID

Data Name:	app_id
Description:	Unique identifier for the BOGFW application.
Last Revision:	July 9, 2012
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Bigint
Length:	
Characteristics:	Not downloadable; this is an internal field. See confirmation_number for the downloadable field.
Input Rules:	None
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	Automatically incremented by the database on insert.
Online Display:	
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	

Language Flag

Data Element:	application: app_lang
Description:	The state of the language toggle when the application is submitted.
Format, Length:	bpchar, 2
Values:	es –Spanish en –English
Allows Null:	No
Default:	None
Usage:	

Notes:	This flag is included primarily for possible future use.
Xap Field:	spanishApplication
Revision Log:	~~

Campaign1, Campaign2, Campaign3

Data Name:	campaign1, campaign2, campaign3
Description:	The campaign name that the college designated in the URL link to the BOG Fee Waiver application to indicate the source of the student's application. Up to three campaigns may be stored in the database.
Values:	Text string; supported characters: a-z, A-Z, 0-9, -, _, ., ~ and %
Allows Null:	No
Default:	None
Last Revision:	March 2015
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Varchar
Length:	255
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	None
Usage:	Provides a name that colleges can download and report on as a measure of a campaign's success
Notes/Constraints:	Automatically incremented by the database on insert.
Online Display:	
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels: Notes:	In order to implement the campaign feature, when you create your URL for students to link to the BOG Fee Waiver application you must add the extra parameter of &user1=x (where x = the name of your campaign) on to the end of the URL link. You can do this for up to three parameters, using &user1=x&user2=y and &user3=z (where x, y and z = the names of other unique campaigns). For example, the format for implementing a URL for three campaigns would look like this: https://www.opencccapply.net/bog-welcome? cccMisCode=231&user1=x&user2=y&user3=z An example of the practical implementation of this format is:

https://www.opencccapply.net/bog-welcome?	
cccMisCode=231&user1=collegeIntroPage&user2=advertOnGoogle&user3=advert	OnGoodM

The value from the "&user1" is stored in the campaign1 column for submitted applications (i.e. for the example above, the campaign1 column value in the database = collegeIntroPage, the "&user2" value is stored in the campaign2 column, which will have the value advertOnGoogle), and so on.

CCCID

Data Name:	ccc_id
Description:	Identifier for the user's OpenCCC account.
Values:	The format of the ccc_id is:
	Positions 1 - 3: AAA thru ZZZ (Sequentially assigned beginning with AAA)
	Positions 4 – 7: 0001 thru 9999 (Sequentially assigned beginning with 0001 for each value in positions 1-3)
	Position 8: For future expansion if all values become exhausted.
	Note: In positions 1-3, "I" and "O" are not used to avoid confusion with "0" and "1".
Last Revision:	July 7, 2012
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Alphanumeric; ASCII Normal
Length:	Character varying (8)
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	None
Usage:	Used to uniquely identify an OpenCCC user account. This account can be used to apply to any participating college in the new CCCApply. It is also used for any additional student statewide services which use the ccc_id for authentication.
Notes/Constraints:	Does not allow null. System assigned value is the default.
Online Display:	
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	

Confirmation Number

Data Name:	confirmation_number
Description:	The application confirmation number.
Last Revision:	
MIS Correlation:	
Data Type/Format:	Character
Length:	25
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	None
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	
Online Help:	
Values - Labels:	

Download Status

Data Name:	Status
Description:	The download status of the application.
Last Revision:	July 9, 2012
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Character(1)
Length:	
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	None
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	

Online Display:	
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank – In progress
	I = Initially written to submitted table
	D= Downloaded by college

College ID

Data Name:	college_id
Description:	College MIS code for the college associated with the application.
Last Revision:	July 9, 2012
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Character(3)
Length:	
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	None
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	Set based on the college selected.
Online Display:	
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	

Term Code

Data Element:	term: term_code
Description:	The college's code for the term
Format, Length:	varchar, 15
Values:	Text string
Allows Null:	No

Default:	None
Usage:	Typically, this will be what a college will want to download as an identifier for the term applied for.
Notes:	College input via the Administrator. Term code should not be edited or deleted once it is made available to students.
Xap Field:	
Revision Log:	~~

IP Address

Data Name:	ip_address
Description:	Applicant's IP address.
Last Revision:	
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	varchar
Length:	15
Characteristics:	Downloadable Auto-populates upon application submission
Input Rules:	
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	None
Online Display:	None
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]

Year Code

Data Name:	year_code
Description:	This is set based on the bogfw_year table based on whichever bog year is selected.
Last Revision:	August 14, 2012

MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Character varying(15)
Length:	
Characteristics:	Hidden System-generated NOT a downloadable field; used internally only. Instead, download term_code.
Input Rules:	N/A
Usage:	Identifies the bog year selected.
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	N/A
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	

Year Description

Data Name:	year_description
Description:	This is the description of the year from the bogfw_year table in conjunction with the academic_year field in the college table.
Last Revision:	August 14, 2012
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Character varying(15)
Length:	
Characteristics:	Hidden System-generated Downloadable
Input Rules:	N/A
Usage:	The description of the year selected.
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	N/A

Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	

Legal Name: Last

Data Name:	Lastname
Description:	Applicant's legal last name.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Character varying(50)
Length:	
Characteristics:	Downloadable
	Auto-populates from account creation
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must enter your last name."
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	None
Online Display:	Last name: {textbox}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]
	Valid text string

Legal Name: First

Data Name:	firstname
Description:	Applicant's legal first name.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Character varying(50)
Length:	

Characteristics:	Downloadable Auto-populates from account creation
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must enter your first name."
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	First name: {textbox}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Valid text string

Legal Name: Middle Initial

Data Name:	middlename
Description:	Applicant's legal middle name or initial
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Character varying(50)
Length:	
Characteristics:	Downloadable Auto-populates from account creation: middle name
Input Rules:	Optional user response.
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	None
Online Display:	Middle initial: {textbox}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Valid text string

Main Telephone

Data Name:	mainphone
Description:	Applicant's main telephone number.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Character varying(14) Format: (xxx) xxx-xxxx
Length:	14
Characteristics:	Downloadable Auto-populates from account creation
Input Rules:	Updated in Edit account.
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	None
Online Display:	Main Telephone: {textbox} (###)###-####
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Valid text string

Main Telephone Extension

Data Name:	mainphone_ext
Description:	Applicant's main phone extension
Last Revision:	July 9, 2012
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	
Length:	Character varying(4)
Characteristics:	Downloadable Auto-populates from account creation
Input Rules:	

Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	None
Online Display:	
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Valid text string

Main Telephone Authorized for Text

Data Name:	Mainphone_auth_text
Description:	Applicant's main phone extension
Last Revision:	July 9, 2012
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	
Characteristics:	Downloadable Auto-populates from account creation
Input Rules:	
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	None
Online Display:	
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Valid text string

E-mail Address

Data Name:	email
Description:	Applicant's email address.
Last Revision:	July 9, 2012

MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Character varying(128)
Length:	
Characteristics:	Downloadable
	Auto-populates from OpenCCC account.
Input Rules:	
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]
	Valid text string

Current Mailing Address: Street

Data Name:	streetaddress1 streetaddress2
Description:	Street portion of applicant's current mailing address.
Last Revision:	July 9, 2012
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Character varying(50)
Length:	
Characteristics:	Downloadable Auto-populates from account creation
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "Current mailing address: You must specify the street."
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	None
Online Display:	Street address or PO box: {textbox}

Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Valid text string

Current Mailing Address: City

Data Name:	city
Description:	City portion of applicant's current mailing address.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Character varying(50)
Length:	
Characteristics:	Downloadable Auto-populates from account creation permanent address or input by user
Input Rules:	
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	None
Online Display:	City
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Valid text string

Current Mailing Address: State

Data Name:	state	
Description:	State portion of applicant's current mailing address.	
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005	
MIS Correlation:	None	

Data Type/	Char(2)	
Format:		
Length:	2	
Characteristics:	Downloadable	
	Auto-populates from account creation permanent address section or input by user.	
Input Rules:		
Usage:		
Notes/Constraints:	None	
Online Display:	State: {drop-down menu}	
Online Help:	None	
Values - Labels:	blank/null [internal	IA - Iowa
	default]	KS - Kansas
	AL - Alabama	KY - Kentucky
	AK - Alaska	LA - Louisiana
	AS - American Samoa	ME - Maine
	AZ - Arizona	MD - Maryland
	AR - Arkansas	MA - Massachusetts
	CA - California	MI - Michigan
	CZ - Canal Zone	MN - Minnesota
	CO - Colorado	MS - Mississippi
	CT - Connecticut	MO - Missouri
	DE - Delaware	MT - Montana
	DC - Dist. of Col	NE - Nebraska
	FL - Florida	NV - Nevada
	GA - Georgia	NH - New
	GU - Guam	Hampshire
	HI - Hawaii	NJ - New Jersey
	ID - Idaho	NM - New Mexico
	IL - Illinois	NY - New York
	IN - Indiana	NC - North Carolina

Province

Data Name:	province
Description:	Province portion of applicant's non-U.S. address.
Last Revision:	
Data Type/Format:	character varying(30),text (extended character set, allowing hyphens, letters with diacritical marks or accents, etc.)
Error Checking:	Optional; no error checking.
Storage/Usage:	Stored in database for use in autopopulation. Included in Account Profile.
Notes/Constraints:	
Prompt Text:	
Hover Help:	
Pop-Up Help:	
Values - Labels:	Null or text string

Country

Data Name:	country
Description:	Country portion of applicant's address.
Last Revision:	
Data Type/Format:	character(2), alpha
Error Checking:	Required user response when address is not in U.S.; else error message "In your Permanent Address, you must select the Country."
Storage/Usage:	Stored in database for use in autopopulation. Included in Account Profile.
Notes/Constraints:	Store US unless the address type is non-US.
Prompt Text:	Country [menu]
Hover Help:	
Pop-Up Help:	

Values - Labels:	US or other two-character ISO country code.
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Current Mailing Address: Zip Code

Data Name:	postalcode
Description:	Zip code portion of applicant's current mailing address.
Last Revision:	July 9, 2012
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Character varying(20)
Length:	
Characteristics:	Downloadable Auto-populates from account creation permanent address section or input.
Input Rules:	Can be US or Foreign postalcode.
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	None
Online Display:	Zip code: {textbox}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Valid text string

Non US Address

Data Element:	non_us_address
Description:	
Format, Length:	boolean
Values:	
Allows Null:	
Default:	
Usage:	

Notes:	
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Social Security Number (SSN)/Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Data Name:	ssn		
Description:	Encrypted Social Security Number/Taxpayer Identification Number		
Last Revision:	July 9, 2012		
MIS Correlation:	None		
Data Type/Format:	Encrypted Social Security Number/Taxpayer Identification Number		
Length:			
Characteristics:	Downloadable		
	Auto-populates from account creation.		
Input Rules:	The Social Security Number is required to claim tax credits for higher education costs known as the American Opportunity Tax Credit in accordance with the Taxpayer Relief Act of 1997.		
	Federal law requires the California Community Colleges to provide specific information to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) for the purpose of filing an information return (IRS Form 1098-T "Tuition Statement") for each student in attendance, with a few exceptions.		
	The information required by the IRS includes the student's name, address, Social Security Number (SSN) or Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN/iTIN), and enrollment status, as well as the amount of tuition paid or billed, and scholarships received. (26 C.F.R. 1-60505-1(b)(2)(ii).)		
Usage:			
Notes/Constraints:	SSN is never displayed to the applicant, and cannot be viewed by anyone properly or improperly using the applicant's account.		
	SSN/TIN is sensitive information, protected by federal and state law. For this field, the text, operational characteristics, and usage must be approved by the Legal Counsel of the CCC Chancellor's Office.		
	The following validity checks are applied to the SSN/TIN (and SSN/TIN Type) entries:		
	If SSN fields are not empty AND the "ssn_type" field indicates "Social Security number" THEN		
	• Area Code (first three digits) may not be 000, 666 or between 900 and 999 (inclusive).		
	Group Number (middle two digits) may not be 00.		

Else error message: "Your Social Security Number is invalid for the Type you've selected. Please re-enter the number or change the number Type."

If SSN fields are not empty AND the "ssn_type" field indicates "Taxpayer ID Number" THEN

• Area Code (first three digits) must be between 900 and 999 (inclusive).

Else, error message: "Your Taxpayer Identification Number is invalid for the Type you've selected. Please re-enter the number or change the number Type."

Do not allow a value to be pasted into either SSN field. Users must type both entries.

New random ssn assignment began on June 25, 2011. This is documented here:

http://ssa- custhelp.ssa.gov/app/answers/detail/a_id/425/~/determining-social- security-numbers

Failure to provide a correct Social Security Number or TIN while claiming tax credits for specified education expenses may result in a penalty levied against the student by the IRS in the amount of \$100, per year, until the missing or incorrect information is provided (26 C.F.R. 1-60505-1(e)(4)).

In addition, California Education Code sections 68041 and 70901(b) (7) authorizes the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office (CCCCO) to collect information you submit through the OpenCCC Online Student Account and CCCApply Online Application for Admission for the purposes of completing and submitting California College admission applications and financial aid on your behalf.

Further, information acquired by the CCCCO is subject to the limitations set forth in the Information Practices Act of 1977 (Title 1.8 (commencing with Section 1798) of Part 4 of Division 3 of the Civil Code). Compliance with these laws is identified in the Privacy Policy.

By providing my Social Security Number or Taxpayer Identification Number below, or by indicating that I do not have a Social Security Number or decline to provide one at this time, I confirm that I have read and understand the federal laws provided above, and the state privacy laws and regulations provided in the Privacy Policy.

Your Social Security Number must be accurate to ensure the integrity of your permanent record and to avoid potential penalties imposed by the IRS for providing an incorrect number.

Social Security Number (or Taxpayer Identification Number) [numeric textbox]

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Repeat Social Security Number (or Taxpayer Identification Number) [numeric textbox] ###-#####

Online Display:

Prompt Text: The Social Security Number is required to claim tax credits for higher education costs known as the American Opportunity Tax Credit in accordance with the Taxpayer Relief Act of 1997.

	Federal law requires the California Community Colleges to provide specific information to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) for the purpose of filing an information return (IRS Form 1098-T "Tuition Statement") for each student in attendance, with a few exceptions. The information required by the IRS includes the student's name, address, Social Security Number (SSN) or Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN/iTIN), and enrollment status, as well as the amount of tuition paid or billed, and scholarships received. (26 C.F.R. 1-60505-1(b)(2)(ii).)
Online Help:	Pop-Up Help: 1) Exceptions: Clicking on "Exceptions" hyperlink brings up Pop-Up box with list of exceptions to the IRS federal requirements for submitting SSN/TINs.
	2) Taxpayer Identification Numbers (TIN): Clicking on "Taxpayer Identification Numbers" hyperlink brings up Pop-Up box with definitions of TIN variations that are acceptable for this requirement.
	Clicking on "Privacy Policy" hyperlink brings up full privacy policy statement in new window.
Values - Labels:	Encrypted

Social Security Type

Data Name:	personal_info: ssn_type	
Description:	Applicant indicates the type of identification number being provided. Note: This field is not currently supported and not available for download using the Download Client, but may be supported in a future revision of the application.	
Last Revision:	12/5/14	
Data Type/Format:	1 character, numeric	
Error Checking:	Required user response if SSN is not empty, and ssn_no is empty; else error message, "Please indicate the type of number being provided: Social Security Number or Taxpayer Identification Number."	
Storage/Usage:	Stored in database for download. Included in Account Profile.	
Notes/Constraint:	The following validity checks are applied to the SSN/TIN entries: If SSN fields are not empty AND the "ssn_type" field indicates "Social Security number" THEN	
Prompt Text:	[Radial Button] Please indicate the type of number:	
Hover Help:	Please select the number type: Social Security Number or Taxpayer Identification Number.	

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Pop-Up Help:	See SSN/TIN for Pop-Up Help
Values - Labels:	Not currently supported, but may be supported in a future revision of the application.

Social Security Number Hash

Data Element:	ssn_hash
Description:	RESERVED.
Format, Length:	text
Values:	
Allows Null:	
Default:	
Usage:	
Notes:	
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Social Security Number – Last 4 digits

Data Name:	ssn_last4
Description:	The last four digits of the applicant's social security number, if the social security number was provided.
Last Revision:	
Data Type/Format:	Character, 4
Error Checking:	
Storage/Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	
Prompt Text:	
Hover Help:	
Values - Labels:	

Social Security Number Confirmation (Not Needed)

Data Name:	CCC: Confirm SSN
Description:	Confirmation of applicant's social security number.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Social Security 1; xxx-xx-xxxx
Length:	11
Characteristics:	Downloadable Auto-populates from previous entry
Input Rules:	
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	
Online Help:	
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Valid SSN text string

Social Security Number: None (Not Needed)

Data Name:	SSN - No SSN?
Description:	Applicant has no social security number or declines to provide it.
Last Revision:	March, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Alphanumeric; ASCII Normal
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
	Auto-populates from previous response
Input Rules:	

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Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	None
Online Display:	{Checkbox} Check this box if you have no Social Security number or decline to state.
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes

Student ID

Data Name:	student_college_id
Description:	Student ID at college to which application is being submitted
Last Revision:	March 21, 2006
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	date
Length:	
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Optional user response
Usage:	Birth date is used in the admission application to calculate age, to identify applicants who are too young to transact business online per COPPA (Child Online Privacy Protection Act—under age 13), and to identify minors for residency calculation and collection of parent or guardian contact information. OCR acknowledges that collection of birth date is allowed under California State law. For residency and minor identification, the applicant's age is calculated as of the day before the start-of-term date <residencydeterminationdate>.</residencydeterminationdate>
Notes/Constraints:	Residency Determination Date.
Online Display:	Enter your student ID (if known): {textbox}
Online Help:	
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Text string

Birth Date

Data Name:	Birthdate
Description:	Applicant's date of birth.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	COMIS DED SB03
Data Type/Format:	Date
Length:	10
Characteristics:	Downloadable Auto-populates from OpenCCC Account.
Input Rules:	
Usage:	Birth date is used in the admission application to calculate age, to identify applicants who are too young to transact business online per COPPA (Child Online Privacy Protection Act—under age 13), and to identify minors for residency calculation and collection of parent or guardian contact information. OCR acknowledges that collection of birth date is allowed under California State law. For residency and minor identification, the applicant's age is calculated as of the day before the start-of-term date <residencydeterminationdate>.</residencydeterminationdate>
Notes/Constraints:	Populated from Account database at time of submission. Birth date is sensitive information, protected by federal law and the Office of Civil Rights (with regard to age discrimination). Any change to the text, prompt, access, or transmission of this data item must be approved by the Legal Counsel of the CCC Chancellor's Office and the Office of Civil Rights. This information may not be provided to staff in the capacity of making a decision to admit an applicant until after the applicant is admitted—that is, uniformly enabled to register for classes.
Online Display:	
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Valid date

Marital Status

Data Name:	marital_status	

Description:	Applicant's marital status as stated for BOGFW Application
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Char(1)
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable Does not auto-populate
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select your marital status." Must be consistent with response to question, "As of today, are you married or in a Registered Domestic Partnership"; else error message, "Your answers to 'Marital status' and 'As of today, are you married or in a Registered Domestic Partnership' are contradictory. Please fix the appropriate field(s)."
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	Marital Status is highly sensitive information, protected by federal law and the Office of Civil Rights. Any change to the text, prompt, access, or transmission of this data item must be approved by the Legal Counsel of the CCC Chancellor's Office and the Office of Civil Rights. This information may not be provided to staff in the capacity of making a decision to admit an applicant until after the applicant is admitted—that is, uniformly enabled to register for classes.
Online Display:	The California Domestic Partner Rights and Responsibilities Act extends new rights, benefits, responsibilities and obligations to individuals in domestic partnerships registered with the California Secretary of State under Section 297 of the Family Code. If you are in a Registered Domestic Partnership (RDP), or legal same sex marriage, you will be treated as an Independent married student to determine eligibility for this Fee Waiver and will need to provide income and household information for your domestic partner. If you are a dependent student and your parent is in a Registered Domestic Partnership, or legal same sex marriage, you will be treated the same as a student with married parents and income and household information will be required for the parent's domestic partner. (These new provisions apply to state student financial aid only, not to federal student financial aid.) Marital status: {Select marital status: drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] S - Single M - Married

	D – Divorced
	X – Separated
	W – Widowed
	R – Registered Domestic Partner

Registered Domestic Partnership

Data Name:	reg_dom_partner
Description:	Whether applicant or parent is in a Registered Domestic Partnership
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not you or your parent are in a Registered Domestic Partnership."
	Must be Yes if Marital Status is R (Registered Domestic Partner); else error message, "Your responses to the marital status and registered domestic partnership questions are contradictory. Please fix the appropriate field(s)."
Usage:	If value is Yes, the Special Eligibilities Page will include the instruction, "In answering the following questions treat a Registered Domestic Partner of your parent also as your parent."
	If value is Yes and the Dependency Flag is D (Dependent), the Eligibility Methods Page will include the instruction, "In answering the following questions treat a Registered Domestic Partner of your parent also as your parent."
Notes/Constraints:	None
Online Display:	(Answer "Yes" if you or your parent are separated from a Registered Domestic Partner but have NOT FILED a Notice of Termination of Domestic Partnership with the California Secretary of State's Office.)
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Born Before <23 Year Date>

Data Name:	born_before_23_year
Description:	Whether applicant was born before <23_year_date)>.
Last Revision:	July 9, 2012
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not you were born before <23_year_date>."
	Must be consistent with Birth date; else error message:
	When Yes : "You have answered that you were born before <23_year_date>. However, your birthdate is after <23_year_date>."
	When No : "You have answered that you were NOT born before <23_year_date>. However, your birthdate is before <23_year_date>."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to I (Independent).
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	Were you born before <23_year_date>? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]
	1 - Yes
	0 - No

Currently Married or in RDP

Data Name:	married_or_rdp
Description:	Whether applicant is currently married or in a registered domestic partnership.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None

Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not you are married or in a Registered Domestic Partnership."
	Must be consistent with response to Marital status; else error message, "Your answers to 'Marital status' and 'As of today, are you married or in a Registered Domestic Partnership' are contradictory. Please fix the appropriate field(s)."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to I (Independent).
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	(Answer "Yes" if you are separated but not divorced or have not filed a termination notice to dissolve partnership.) {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Veteran of US Armed Forces

Data Name:	us_veteran
Description:	Whether applicant is a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not you are a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to I (Independent).

Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	Are you a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces or currently serving on active duty for purposes other than training? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Dependents Living with You

Data Name:	Dependents
Description:	Whether applicant has dependents
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not you have dependents living with you."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to I (Independent).
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	Do you have children who will receive more than half of their support from you between <year_begin and="" year_end="">, or other dependents who live with you (other than your children and spouse/RDP) who receive more than half of their support from you, now and through <year_end>? {drop-down menu}</year_end></year_begin>
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Orphan, Foster Care, or Ward of Court

Data Name:	parents_deceased
Description:	Whether, at age 13 or older, applicant's parents were deceased, applicant was in foster care, or applicant was a dependent/ward of the court.
Last Revision:	March, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not when you were age 13 or older, both your parents were deceased, you were in foster care, or you were a dependent/ ward of the court."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to I (Independent).
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	At any time since you turned age 13, were both your parents deceased, were you in foster care, or were you a dependent or ward of the court? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Emancipated Minor

Data Name:	emancipated_minor
Description:	Whether applicant is currently an emancipated minor as determined by a court.
Last Revision:	March, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean

Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not, as of today, you are an emancipated minor as determined by a court in your state of legal residence."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to I (Independent).
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	Are you or were you an emancipated minor as determined by a court in your state of legal residence? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

In Legal Guardianship

Data Name:	legal_guardianship
Description:	Whether applicant is in legal guardianship as determined by a court.
Last Revision:	March, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not, as of today, you are in legal guardianship as determined by a court in your state of legal residence."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to I (Independent).
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	Are you or were you in legal guardianship as determined by a court in your state of legal residence? {drop-down menu}

Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]
	1 - Yes
	0 - No

Homeless Youth per School

Data Name:	homeless_youth_school
Description:	Whether, on or after < term_minus_1year>, applicant was determined to be an unaccompanied youth who was homeless by high school or school district homeless liaison.
Last Revision:	March, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not, at any time on or after < term_minus_1year>, your high school or school district homeless liaison determined that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to I (Independent).
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	At any time on or after < term_minus_1year>, did your high school or school district homeless liaison determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Homeless Youth per HUD-Funded Program

	Data Name:	homeless_youth_hud
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Description:	Whether, on or after < term_minus_1year>, applicant was determined to be an unaccompanied youth who was homeless by the director of an emergency shelter program funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.
Last Revision:	March, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not, at any time on or after < term_minus_1year>, the director of an emergency shelter program funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development determined that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to I (Independent).
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	At any time on or after < term_minus_1year>, did the director of an emergency shelter or transitional housing program funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Homeless Youth per Center or Program Director

Data Name:	homeless_youth_other
Description:	Whether, on or after < term_minus_1year>, applicant was determined to be an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless by the director of a runaway or homeless youth basic center or transitional living program.
Last Revision:	March, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean

Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not, at any time on or after < term_minus_1year>, the director of a runaway or homeless youth basic center or transitional living program determined that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to I (Independent).
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	At any time on or after < term_minus_1year>, did the director of a runaway or homeless youth basic center or transitional living program determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Declared Dependent on Parent(s)' Taxes

Data Name:	dependent_on_parent_taxes
Description:	Whether applicant has been declared as a dependent by one or both parents in most recent tax return.
Last Revision:	June 4, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Char(1)
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response when included on application; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not you are/ will be claimed as an exemption."
Usage:	If this value is 'Yes', the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to D (Dependent) and the Eligibility Methods Page will follow the Dependent Applicant format.

	If this value is 'No' or 'Parent(s) won't file', and Living with Parent(s) is 'No', the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to I (Independent) and the Eligibility Methods Page will follow the Independent Applicant format.
Notes/Constraints:	Included on application only if applicant has responded No to all Dependency Status questions on the Personal Information Page.
	The paper application says: "If you answered 'No' or 'Parent(s) will not file' to question [Claimed on parents tax], and 'No' to question [Live with parents], you are a dependent student for all student aid except this enrollment fee waiver. You [should] answer questions as an INDEPENDENT student on the rest of this application, but please try to get your PARENT information and file a FAFSA so you may be considered for other student aid. You cannot get other student aid without your parent(s') information."
Online Display:	If your parent(s) filed or will file a <tax year=""> U.S. Income Tax Return, were you, or will you be claimed on their tax return as an exemption by either or both of your parents? {drop-down menu}</tax>
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]
	2 - Parent(s) won't file
	1 - Yes
	0 - No

Living with Parent(s)

Data Name:	living_with_parents
Description:	Whether applicant currently lives with one or both parents.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response when included on application; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not you live with one or both of your parents."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to D (Dependent) and the Eligibility Methods Page will follow the Dependent Applicant format.

	If this value is No AND Declared Dependent on Parent(s)' Taxes is also No, the BOG Dependency Flag will be set to I (Independent) and the Eligibility Methods Page will follow the Independent Applicant format.
Notes/Constraints:	Included on application only if applicant has responded No to all of the Dependency Status questions on the Personal Information Page.
Online Display:	Do you live with one or both of your parents? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

BOG Dependency Status

Data Name:	dependency_status
Description:	Whether applicant is determined to be dependent or independent.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Char(1)
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable System-generated Hidden
Input Rules:	N/A
Usage:	Determines how eligibility questions will be asked (whether in terms of or applicant status or parental status).
Notes/Constraints:	Flags applicants as dependent or independent based on algorithm described in Appendix A.
Online Display:	None
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] D – Dependent I – Independent

Veteran Eligibility

Data Name:	cert_veteran_affairs
Description:	Whether applicant has certification of waiver eligibility from Veterans Affairs.
Last Revision:	March 21, 2006
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Optional user response.
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the temporary BOG Eligibility A flag is set to Yes (see Appendix A), and the Confirmation page will include the following message: "You must provide certification of eligibility as a dependent from the Department of Veterans Affairs."
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	Do you have certification from the California Department of Veterans Affairs that you are eligible for a dependent's fee waiver? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

National Guard Eligibility

Data Name:	cert_national_guard
Description:	Whether applicant has certification of waiver eligibility from the National Guard.
Last Revision:	March 21, 2006
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1

Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Optional user response.
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the temporary BOG Eligibility A flag is set to Yes (see Appendix A), and the Confirmation page will include the following message: "You must provide certification of eligibility as a dependent from the National Guard."
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	Do you have certification from the National Guard Adjutant General that you are eligible for a dependent's fee waiver? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Medal of Honor Eligibility

Data Name:	elig_medal_honor
Description:	Whether applicant is eligible for waiver as a recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor or as a child of a recipient.
Last Revision:	March 21, 2006
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Optional user response.
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the temporary BOG Eligibility A flag is set to Yes (see Appendix A), and the Confirmation page will include the following message: "You must provide documentation of eligibility as a Congressional Medal of Honor recipient from the California Department of Veterans Affairs."
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	Are you eligible as a recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor or as a child of a recipient? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None

Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]
	1 - Yes
	0 - No

Victim of 9/11 Eligibility

Data Name:	elig_sept_11
Description:	Whether applicant is eligible for waiver as a dependent of a victim of the September 11, 2001 terrorist attack.
Last Revision:	March 21, 2006
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Optional user response.
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the temporary BOG Eligibility A flag is set to Yes (see Appendix A), and the Confirmation page will include the following message: "You must provide documentation of eligibility as a dependent of a victim of the September 11, 2001 terrorist attack from the California Victim Compensation and Government Claims Board."
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	Are you eligible as a dependent of a victim of the September 11, 2001 terrorist attack? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Dependent of Police/Firefighter Killed

Data Name:	elig_police_fire
Description:	Whether applicant is eligible for waiver as a dependent of a deceased law enforcement/fire suppression personnel killed in the line of duty
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005

MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Optional user response.
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the temporary BOG Eligibility A flag is set to Yes (see Appendix A), and the Confirmation page will include the following message: "You are required to provide current proof of benefits as a dependent of law enforcement or fire suppression personnel killed in the line of duty".
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	Are you eligible as a dependent of a deceased law enforcement/fire suppression personnel killed in the line of duty? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Receiving TANF/CalWorks

Data Name:	tanf_calworks
Description:	Whether applicant is currently receiving TANF/CalWorks.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response unless responses on Special Eligibilities page set Temporary Method A flag to "Yes"; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not you are receiving assistance from TANF/Calworks."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the temporary BOG Eligibility A flag is set to Yes (see Appendix A), and the Confirmation page will include the following

	message: "You must provide documentation to the college that you currently receive Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)."
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	Are you currently receiving monthly cash assistance for yourself or any dependents from: {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Receiving SSI/SSP

Data Name:	ssi_ssp
Description:	Whether applicant is currently receiving SSI/SSP.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response unless responses on Special Eligibilities page set Temporary Method A flag to "Yes"; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not you are receiving assistance from SSI/SSP."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the temporary BOG Eligibility A flag is set to Yes (see Appendix A), and the Confirmation page will include the following message: "You must provide documentation to the college that you currently receive Supplemental Security Income (SSI) / State Supplementary Payment (SSP)."
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	Are you currently receiving monthly cash assistance for yourself or any dependents from: {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None None

Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]
	1 - Yes
	0 - No

Receiving General Assistance

Data Name:	general_assistance
Description:	Whether applicant is currently receiving General Assistance.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response unless responses on Special Eligibilities page set Temporary Method A flag to "Yes"; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not you are receiving assistance from General Assistance."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the temporary BOG Eligibility A flag is set to Yes (see Appendix A), and the Confirmation page will include the following message: "You must provide documentation to the college that you currently receive General Assistance."
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	Are you currently receiving monthly cash assistance for yourself or any dependents from: General assistance? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Parents Receiving Assistance

Data Name:	parents_assistance
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Description:	Whether income from either TANF/CalWorks or SSI/SSP is a primary source of income for the applicant's parents.
Last Revision:	March 21, 2006
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response unless responses on Special Eligibilities page set Temporary Method A flag to "Yes"; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not your parent(s) are receiving TANF/CalWORKS or SSI/SSP as their primary source of income."
Usage:	If this value is Yes, the temporary BOG Eligibility A flag is set to Yes (see Appendix A), and the Confirmation page will include the following message: "You must provide documentation to the college that your parent(s) currently receive Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) or Supplemental Security Income (SSI) / State Supplementary Payment (SSP)."
Notes/Constraints:	Included on application only if the BOG Dependency Flag is D (Dependent).
Online Display:	Are your parent(s) receiving monthly cash assistance from TANF/ CalWORKs or SSI/SSP as a primary source of income? {drop-down menu}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Persons in Household – Dependent

Data Name:	dep_number_household
Description:	If applicant is dependent, how many persons in household?
Last Revision:	July, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Integer
Length:	2

Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "Dependent student: You must enter the number of persons in your parent(s)' household."
	Entry must be at least 2; else error message, "The number of persons in your parent(s)' household must be 2 or greater."
Usage:	Used in conjunction with Total Income – Dependent to determine Method B eligibility for BOG Fee Waiver.
Notes/Constraints:	Included on application only if the BOG Dependency Flag is D (Dependent).
Online Display:	How many persons are in your parent(s)' household? (Include yourself, your parent(s), and anyone who lives with your parent(s) and receives more than 50% of their support from your parents, now and through June 30, 2012.) {textbox}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Integer from 2 to 99

Persons in Household – Independent

Data Name:	ind_number_household
Description:	If applicant is independent, how many persons in household?
Last Revision:	July, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Integer
Length:	2
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "Independent student: You must enter the number of persons in your household." Entry must be consistent with responses regarding marriage/partnership and dependents on Personal Information Page; else error message such as "The number of persons in your household must be 1 based on your responses to the questions on screen 1" or "The number of persons in your household must be 2 or more based on your responses to the questions on screen 1" or "The number of persons in your household must be 1 or 2 based on your responses to the questions on screen 1."

Usage:	Used in conjunction with Total Income – Independent to determine Method B eligibility for BOG Fee Waiver.
Notes/Constraints:	Included on application only if the BOG Dependency Flag is I (Independent).
Online Display:	How many persons are in your household? (Include yourself, your spouse, and anyone who lives with you and receives more than 50% of their support from you, now and through <end_date>.) {textbox}</end_date>
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Integer from 1 to 99

Adjusted Gross Income – Dependent

Data Name:	dep_gross_income
Description:	If applicant is dependent, what is the adjusted gross income of parent(s) for year?
Last Revision:	July 30, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Integer
Length:	10
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response k; else error message, "Dependent student: You must enter the adjusted gross income."
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	Included on application only if the BOG Dependency Flag is D (Dependent).
Online Display:	a. Adjusted Gross Income (If <tax_year> U.S. Income Tax Return was filed, enter the amount from Form 1040, Line 37; Form 1040A, Line 21; or Form 1040EZ, Line 4.) \$ {textbox}.00</tax_year>
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]

Adjusted Gross Income – Independent

Data Name:	ind_gross_income
Description:	If applicant is independent, what is adjusted gross income of applicant (and spouse) for year?
Last Revision:	July 30, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Integer
Length:	10
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "Independent student: You must enter the adjusted gross income."
Usage:	Included on application only if the BOG Dependency Flag is I (Independent).
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	a. 1. Adjusted Gross Income (If <tax_year> U.S. Income Tax Return was filed, enter the amount from Form 1040, Line 37; Form 1040A, Line 21; or Form 1040EZ, Line 4.) \$ {textbox}.00</tax_year>
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]

Other Income - Dependent

Data Name:	dep_other_income
Description:	If applicant is dependent, what is the other income of parent(s) for year?
Last Revision:	July 30, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Integer
Length:	
Characteristics:	Downloadable

Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "Dependent student: You must enter the other income."
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	Included on application only if the BOG Dependency Flag is D (Dependent).
Online Display:	\$ {textbox}.00
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]

Other Income – Independent

Data Name:	ind_other_income
Description:	If applicant is independent, what is other income of applicant (and spouse) for year?
Last Revision:	July 30, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Integer
Length:	
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "Independent student: You must enter the other income."
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	Included on application only if the BOG Dependency Flag is I (Independent).
Online Display:	b. All other income (Include ALL money received in <tax_year> that is not included in line (a) above. Include TANF benefits, disability, Social Security, child support.) \$ \{\text{textbox}\}.00</tax_year>
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]

Total Income – Dependent

Data Name:	dep_total_income
Description:	If applicant is dependent, what is the total income of parent(s) for year?
Last Revision:	July 30, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Integer
Length:	
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "Dependent student: You must enter the total income."
	Must be correct mathematical total of Adjusted Gross Income and Other Income. else error message, "Total income is invalid."
Usage:	Used in conjunction with Persons in Household – Dependent to determine Method B eligibility for BOG Fee Waiver.
Notes/Constraints:	Included on application only if the BOG Dependency Flag is D (Dependent).
Online Display:	Total income for <tax_year> (Sum of a. + b.): \$ {textbox}.00</tax_year>
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]

Total Income – Independent

Data Name:	ind_total_income
Description:	If applicant is independent, what is total income of applicant (and spouse) for year?
Last Revision:	July 30, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Integer
Length:	10
Characteristics:	Downloadable

Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "Independent student: You must enter the total income."
	Must be correct mathematical total of Adjusted Gross Income and Other Income; else error message, "Total income is invalid."
Usage:	Used in conjunction with Persons in Household – Independent to determine Method B eligibility for BOG Fee Waiver.
Notes/Constraints:	Included on application only if the BOG Dependency Flag is I (Independent).
Online Display:	Total income for <tax_year> (Sum of a. + b.): \$ {textbox}.00</tax_year>
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]

Method A Eligibility Flag

Data Name:	elig_method_a
Description:	Whether applicant is eligible for BOG fee waiver using method A.
Last Revision:	March 21, 2006
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Temporary System-generated Hidden
Input Rules:	N/A
Usage:	Flags applicants who are eligible for waiver using Method A algorithm described in Appendix A. Flag is updated as each page is saved, and is used to determine whether certain responses are required or not, as well as in the determination of the BOG Eligibility Flag.
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	None
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Yes

Method B Eligibility Flag

Data Name:	elig_method_b
Description:	Whether applicant is eligible for BOG fee waiver using method B (income).
Last Revision:	March 21, 2006
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Alphanumeric; "Yes/No 1" format
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Temporary System-generated Hidden
Input Rules:	N/A
Usage:	Flags applicants who are eligible for waiver using Method B (income) algorithm described in Appendix A. Flag is used in the determination of the BOG Eligibility Flag.
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	None
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Yes No

BOG Eligibility Flag

Data Name:	elig_bogfw
Description:	Whether applicant is eligible for BOG fee waiver, and method (A and/or B) that determined eligibility.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None

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Data Type/Format:

Characteristics:

Input Rules:

Notes/Constraints:

Online Display:

Values - Labels:

Online Help:

Usage:

Length:

Character(1)

Downloadable

Hidden

N/A

None

None

System-generated

described in Appendix A.

Blank/null [internal default]

 $M-Both\ Methods\ A$ and B

A – Method A only B – Method B only

N – Not eligible

Flags applicants who are eligible for waiver based on algorithm

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Data Name:	confirmation_parent_guardian
Description:	Whether applicant's parent or guardian confirms all information is true, etc.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "Applicant's parent or legal guardian: You must agree to the confirmation statement."
Usage:	Serves as signature of applicant's parent/guardian attesting to the contents of the application.

Notes/Constraints:	Included on application only if the BOG Dependency Flag is D (Dependent).
Online Display:	I, <applicant name="">, agree to the following statement:</applicant>
	Applications for dependent students must be signed by the parent or legal guardian as well as the applicant. Please have your parent or guardian sign below:
	{checkbox} I,{textbox for name}, am the parent or legal guardian of <applicant name=""> and agree to the following statement:</applicant>
	I hereby swear or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that all information on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. If asked by an authorized official, I agree to provide proof of this information, which may include a copy of my and my spouse's 2010 U.S. Income Tax Return. I also realize that any false statement or failure to give proof when asked may be cause for the denial, reduction, withdrawal, and/or repayment of a fee waiver. I authorize release of information regarding this application between the college, the college district, and the Chancellor's Office of the California Community Colleges. Your information is protected by secure transmission and by the provisions of our privacy policy. {hyperlink}
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Parent/Guardian Name

Data Name:	parent_guardian_name
Description:	Name of dependent applicant's confirming parent or guardian.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Character varying(60)
Length:	60
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "Applicant's parent or legal guardian: You must enter your name."
Usage:	

Notes/Constraints:	Included on application only if the BOG Dependency Flag is D (Dependent).
Online Display:	I, {textbox }, am the parent or legal guardian of <applicant name=""> and agree to the following statement:</applicant>
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] Valid text string

Financial Aid Acknowledgement

Data Name:	ack_fin_aid
Description:	The applicant acknowledges understanding the availability of financial aid.
Last Revision:	March, 2009
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Boolean
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must acknowledge the financial aid options available."
Usage:	Serves as applicant signature attesting to the contents of the application.
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	{checkbox} By checking here, I, <applicant name="">, acknowledge understanding that:</applicant>
	Federal and state financial aid programs are available and may include aid in the form of grants, work study, and/or any available student loans. I am aware that I may apply for assistance for up to the total cost of my education including enrollment fees, books & amp; supplies, transportation, and room and board expense.
	I may apply for financial assistance if I am enrolled in an eligible program of study (certificate, associate degree, or transfer), and may receive aid if qualified, regardless of whether I am enrolled full-time or part-time.
	Financial aid program information and application assistance are available in the financial aid office at the college. The application is also available on-line.

Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default]
	1 - Yes 0 - No

Confirmation – Applicant

Data Name:	confirmation_applicant
Description:	Whether applicant confirms all information is true, etc.
Last Revision:	April 17, 2005
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Alphanumeric; ASCII Normal
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must agree to the confirmation statement."
Usage:	Serves as applicant signature attesting to the contents of the application.
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Display:	{checkbox} I, <applicant name="">, agree to the following statement: I hereby swear or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that all information on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. If asked by an authorized official, I agree to provide proof of this information, which may include a copy of my, my spouse's, and/ or my parents' 2010 U.S. Income Tax Return. I also realize that any false statement or failure to give proof when asked may be cause for the denial, reduction, withdrawal, and/or repayment of my waiver. I authorize release of information regarding this application between the college, the college district, and the Chancellor's Office of the California Community Colleges. Your information is protected by secure transmission and by the provisions of our privacy policy. {hyperlink}</applicant>
Online Help:	None
Values - Labels:	Blank/null [internal default] 1 - Yes 0 - No

Pre-Determination of California Residency

Data Name:	determined_residentCA
Description:	Whether applicant has been determined a resident of California by Admissions/Registrar
Last Revision:	
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Yes/No 1
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not it's been determined that you are a California resident or not" [Spanish: "?"]
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Text, Engl:	{drop down value - default Select One} Yes {drop down value - default Select One} No
Online Text, Span:	{drop down value - default Select One} Sí {drop down value - default Select One} No
Values - Labels:	1 - Yes/Sí [internal default] 0 - No

Pre-Determination of AB540 Eligibility

Data Name:	determined_AB540_eligible
Description:	Whether applicant has been determined to be AB540 eligible by Admission's or Registrar's Office.
Last Revision:	
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Yes/No 1
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable

Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not you have been previously determined to be AB540 eligible" If determined_residentCA = 1 AND determined_AB540_eligible = 1; error message, "You must select No if the Admissions or Registrar's Office determined that you are a California resident."
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	
Online Text, Engl:	Has the Admissions or Registrar's Office determined that you are eligible for a non-resident tuition exemption as an AB 540 student? {drop down value - default Select One} Yes {drop down value - default Select One} No
Online Text, Span:	{drop down value - default Select One} Sí {drop down value - default Select One } No
Values - Labels:	1 - Yes/Sí [internal default] 0 - No

Non-Resident Tuition Exemption Due to Immigration Status

Data Name:	determined_non-res_exempt
Description:	Whether applicant has been determined eligible for non-resident tuition exemption due to immigrant status.
Last Revision:	
MIS Correlation:	None
Data Type/Format:	Yes/No 1
Length:	1
Characteristics:	Downloadable
Input Rules:	Required user response; else error message, "You must select Yes or No to specify whether or not you have been previously determined to be eligible for non-resident tuition exemption due to immigration status" [Spanish: "?"]
	If determined_residentCA = 1 AND determined_non-res_exempt = 1; error message, "You must select No if the Admissions or Registrar's Office determined that you are a California resident." [Spanish: "?"]
Usage:	
Notes/Constraints:	

Online Text, Engl:	Has the Admissions or Registrar's Office determined that you are eligible for a non-resident tuition exemption granted as a result of you residing in the United States with a "T" or "U" visa (immigration status under Section 1101(a)(15)(T)(i) or (ii), or Section1101 (a)(15)(U)(i) or (ii), of Title 8 of the United States Code)? {drop down value - default Select One} Yes {drop down value - default Select One} No
Values - Labels:	1 - Yes/Sí [internal default] 0 - No

Submission Timestamp

Data Element:	application: tstmp_submit
Description:	Date and time that the application was submitted.
Format, Length:	Timestamp with time zone
Values:	
Allows Null:	No
Default:	None
Usage:	Displayed in 'mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm' format on Application Confirmation page and elsewhere.
Notes:	
Xap Field:	Application Date Submitted
Revision Log:	~~

Creation Timestamp

Data Element:	tstmp_create
Description:	Date and time that the application was started.
Format, Length:	timestamp with time zone DEFAULT now()
Values:	
Allows Null:	No
Default:	None
Usage:	

Notes:	
Revision Log:	~~

Update Timestamp

Data Element:	tstmp_update
Description:	Date and time that the application was resumed.
Format, Length:	timestamp with time zone
Values:	
Allows Null:	No
Default:	None
Usage:	
Notes:	
Revision Log:	~~

Download Timestamp

Data Element:	tstmp_download
Description:	
Format, Length:	timestamp with time zone
Values:	
Allows Null:	
Default:	
Usage:	
Notes:	
Revision Log:	~~

Last Page

Data Element: last_page	
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Description:	RESERVED
Format, Length:	Varchar, 25
Values:	
Allows Null:	
Default:	
Usage:	
Notes:	
Revision Log:	~~

Cryptokeyid

Data Element:	cryptokeyid
Description:	RESERVED
Format, Length:	integer
Values:	
Allows Null:	
Default:	
Usage:	
Notes:	
Revision Log:	~~

Appendix A: BOGFW Flag Algorithms

Dependency Status

The BOGFW Dependency Status (dependency_status) is set according to applicant responses indicating dependent or independent status. The field is used to determine whether the application will ask for financial information about the applicant or the applicant's parent(s).

```
If living with parents = "yes"
then dependency status = "D" (Dependent).
If born before 23 year = "yes"
         or married_or_rdp = "yes"
         or us_veteran = "yes"
         or parents deceased = "yes"
         or emancipated minor = "yes"
         or legal_guardianship = "yes"
         or homeless_youth_school = "yes"
         or homeless youth hud = "yes"
         or homeless_youth_other = "yes"
then dependency_status = "I" (Independent);
else if dependent on parent taxes = 0 or dependent on parent taxes = 2
         and living_with_parents = "no"
then dependency_status = "I" (Independent);
else dependency_status = "D" (Dependent)
```

Included/Excluded Questions

In many cases, whether a particular question will be asked depends on the setting of the Dependency Status. The algorithm for determining which questions will not be asked is given below. At download, data elements for unasked questions will be blank or null.

```
If dependency_status = I (Independent),

Do not ask:

Declared Dependent on Parent(s)' Taxes

Living with Parent(s)

Parent Receiving Assistance

Persons in Household – Dependent

Adjusted Gross Income, Other Income, Total Income – Dependent
```

```
If dependency status = D (Dependent),
```

Do not ask:

Persons in Household – Independent

Adjusted Gross Income, Other Income, Total Income - Independent

Eligibility Flag

For computation of the final BOGFW Eligibility Flag, two temporary/transitory flags are used to track the outcomes of Method A and Method B eligibilities separately and then to set the single final outcome for BOGFW Eligibility.

Method A Flag and Algorithm

Method A eligibility determination is based on Yes/No answers to questions about receiving benefits and about special eligibility circumstances.

```
If tanf_calworks = "yes"
    or ssi_ssp = "yes"
    or general_assistance = "yes"
    or parents_assistance = "yes"
    or cert_veteran_affairs = "yes"
    or cert_national_guard = "yes"
    or cert_medal_honor = "yes"
    or elig_sept_11 = "yes"
    or elig_police_fire = "yes"

then elig_method_a = "Yes";
else elig_method_a = "No"
```

Method B Flag, Algorithm, and Income Table

For Method B eligibility determination, an income table for the year of the BOG Waiver application is derived. (This table is internal, not displayed on the application form.) If the total income is over the cap for the number of persons in the household, the applicant is not eligible under Method B.

The **method_b_table** is an internally derived table using fields from the bogfw_year table. The calculation is based on which year the applicant selects. The calculation is as follows:

```
maximum_income = method_b_income_baseline + (method_b_income_increment * (household_size - 1))
```

Derived table for the 2014-2015 application year. The method b income baseline = 17,235.00.

Household size	Maximum Income
1	\$17,235
2	\$23,265
3	\$29,295
4	\$35,325
5	\$41,355
6	\$47,385
7	\$53,415
8	\$59,445
method_b_increment	\$ 6,030

Derived table for the 2015-2016 application year. The method_b_income_baseline = 17,505.00.

Household size	Maximum Income
1	\$17,505
2	\$23,595
3	\$29,685
4	\$35,775
5	\$41,865
6	\$47,385
7	\$54,045
8	\$60,135
method_b_increment	\$ 6,090

Derived table for the 2016-2017 application year. The method_b_income_baseline = 17,665.00.

Household size	Maximum Income
1	\$17,665
2	\$23,895
3	\$30,135

Household size	Maximum Income
4	\$36,375
5	\$42,615
6	\$48,855
7	\$55,095
8	\$61,335
method_b_increment	\$ 6,240

Computing the Final BOG Eligibility Flag

The algorithm for using the Method A Eligibility and Method B Eligibility Flags to compute the final BOG Eligibility Flag is as follows:

```
If applicant is found eligible for waiver by both Method A and Method B

set elig_bogfw = "M" (Multiple Methods);

else, if found eligible by Method A only

set elig_bogfw = "A" (Method A only);

else, if found eligible by Method B only

set elig_bogfw = "B" (Method B only);

else (Method A Eligibility = "No" and Method B Eligibility = "No"),

set elig_bogfw = "N" (Not Eligible).
```

Optional Responses

Whether responses to the questions appearing on the Eligibility Methods Page will be required or optional depends on the Temporary Eligibility A Flag. The algorithm for determining which questions will **not** require a response is shown below.

If any of the special eligibilities questions are Yes and Dependency Flag is D (Dependent),

Do not require responses to:

Receiving TANF/CalWorks *

Receiving SSI/SSP *

Receiving General Assistance *

Parent Receiving Assistance *

Persons in Household – Dependent

Adjusted Gross Income - Dependent

Other Income - Dependent

Total Income - Dependent

If any of the special eligibilities questions are Yes and Dependency Flag is I (Independent),

Do not require responses to:

Receiving TANF/CalWorks *

Receiving SSI/SSP *

Receiving General Assistance *

Persons in Household – Independent

Adjusted Gross Income - Independent

Other Income - Independent

Total Income - Independent

^{*} Responses are not required to these questions if responses on the Special Eligibilities Page set the temporary BOG Eligibility A flag to Yes.