

Phone Script for the Golden State Grant Payment

- If you receive CalWORKs, you may have seen an extra \$600 payment deposited into your EBT or bank account. This one-time payment is the Golden State Grant for eligible CalWORKs cases. It may take until the end of April for the money to become available in your account.
- If you get your monthly cash aid by check, you will get this payment in the mail by the end of April.
- The Golden State Grant does not have to be repaid. It is not taxable income and it will not affect your CalFresh benefit or eligibility for other public assistance programs.
- You can get more information about the Golden State Grant and who is eligible by emailing GSG@dss.ca.gov. Once again, GSG@dss.ca.gov.
- Or search online using the terms "CalWORKs Golden State Grant".
- Thank you for listening to this message from the California Department of Social Services.