

Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-3180

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Dear Community:

The Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships would like to make you aware of our winter quarter financial aid disbursement schedule. Due to the timing of the New Year's holiday and a later start to winter quarter. Students cannot expect any eligible refund to credit their personal bank accounts until January 5th. For students not eligible for eRefund, paper checks will not be mailed until Monday, January 9th.

We understand that this situation will pose challenges for many students dependent on financial aid to pay their rent. We have notified students that they need to plan ahead for this purpose and are writing this letter so that the community is aware of these circumstances. We encourage students to explain these circumstances to their property managers by providing this letter and a copy of their financial aid award letter.

For students unable to pay rent until January 5th, we ask that property managers consider these factors when determining any late charges or other penalties.

Please feel free to contact our office at (805) 893-2432 if you have any questions about this.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Michael M. Miller

Director

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