

Golden State Seal Merit Diploma Request Form

Submit form only. Do not send student records. If more space is needed, please attached an additional sheet.

District or Charter School:

Graduation Year:

County and District Code:

Graduation Date:

Charter Number:

Address:

Contact Person:

Phone:

City/State/Zip:

School Name	School Code	Number of Eligible Students

Total Number of Eligible Students:
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The “Total Number of Eligible Students” indicates students who have completed all requirements of California *Education Code (EC)* Section 51451 for the Golden State Seal Merit Diploma. The school district or charter school must ensure that all requirements of *EC* Section 51454 have been met.

District Superintendent’s (or Charter School Administrator’s) Signature:

Date:

Complete all requested information. The CDE will accept a scanned copy of the signed form sent as an attachment to gssmd@cde.ca.gov. Keep a copy for your records.