

HEERF II CRRSAA Act Emergency Funding Notice

- 1. The Christ College has signed and returned to the Department of Education the Certification and Agreement with the assurance that the institution has used, or intends to use, the funds allocated specifically for student aid that were received under the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021, The Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund II (HEERF II) to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students.
- 2. The total amount of funds that the institution will receive or has received from the Department of Education pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students is \$1,060,598.
- 3. The Christ College in accordance with the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021, may not (1) condition the receipt of financial aid grants to students on continued or future enrollment in the institution, (2) use the financial aid grants to satisfy a student's outstanding account balance, unless it has obtained the student's written (or electronic), affirmative consent, or (3) require such consent as a condition of receipt of or eligibility for the financial aid grant.
- 4. The total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed or to be distributed to students under the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA), 2021 to date is \$1,060,598.
- 5. The estimated total number of students at the institution eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants under the Coronavirus Response and Relief

Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 is 983.

- 6. The total number of students who have or will have received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant to students under the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 is 983.
- 7. The method(s) used by the institution to determine which students receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants and how much they would receive under the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 is as follows
 - a. Student Population and Eligibility Criteria
 - i. Eligible Programs
 - Students enrolled in spring 2021 semester in the following programs will be evaluated for CRRSAA Emergency Funding eligibility.
 - a. Bachelor of Science Nursing (BSN)
 - b. Accelerated Bachelor of Science Nursing (ABSN)
 - c. Associate of Applied Science Medical Assisting (MA)
 - d. Bachelor of Science Nursing (RN to BSN)
 - e. Bachelor of Science Healthcare Administration (HCA)
 - f. Associate of Science General Studies (GenStdy)
 - ii. Students who are NOT eligible:
 - 1. Students who graduated prior to the Spring 2021 semester.
 - 2. Students that withdrew from the college prior to the Spring 2021 semester or students that withdrew from the college prior to the college's notice on 2/19/21 to students.
 - 3. International students or DACA students do not qualify for funding under the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA), 2021.
 - iii. Students who ARE eligible

- 1. Students who remained enrolled in an eligible program for the Spring 2021 semester.
- 2. Students who were on approved leave of absence or on non-continuous enrollment for the Spring 2021 semester.
- 3. Students with exceptional need as determined by the FAFSA were prioritized as part of the eligibility criteria.
- 4. Overall student eligibility was determined by the Financial Aid Office and no application was required of the student.

iv. Distribution Process and Methodology

- 1. Awards will be processed via the Financial Aid Office and disbursed by Student Accounts to eligible students through direct deposit or paper check.
- 2. CRRSAA Emergency Funding awards are not considered taxable and will not be included on the IRS 1098T form in Box 5 of the form.
- 3. Funds will be distributed by March 29, 2021.
- 4. Funds will be distributed as \$1100 grants to eligible students for expenses incurred during the COVID19 pandemic.
- 5. Students had the option to retain the \$1100 grant on their student account to be applied to current or future tuition costs provided the institution obtained the student's written or electronic affirmative consent.
- 8. Any questions regarding the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA), 2021 should be directed to the Financial Aid Office of The Christ College by calling 513-585-2401 or by email at financial.aid@thechristcollege.edu