

The College applied for and was awarded funding under Section 18004(e) of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act). The provisions of the Certification and Agreement require the College to post the following update:

- The College has signed and returned to the Department of Education the Certification and Agreement.
- The College received a total of \$809,508 from the Department of Education pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants, and it intends to use no less than 50 percent of funds received to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students.
- As of July 1, 2020, the College has disbursed 701 grants to eligible students.
- As of July 1, 2020, the total amount disbursed by the College equals \$376,300.
- In addition, the College has developed a process for eligible students to request additional grant funds until November 16, 2020. These requests will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis through the Dean of Students' Office.
- The College developed a method to determine which students received Emergency Financial Aid Grants, based on student financial need. The College reviewed Title IV eligible students who had filed a FASFA with the Department of Education. A tiered approach with a graduated award amount based on the student's expected family contribution was used in determining grant amounts. Any remaining funds will be awarded based on a supplemental grant application process, whereby a qualifying Title IV eligible student could request funding for expenditures due to a disruption of campus operations from the coronavirus, such as food, housing, course materials, technology, health care, and child-care expenses.
- The College notified and released instructions, directions, and guidance to students concerning the Emergency Financial Aid Grants via email and through a letter included with their grant payment.