

HEERF Student Portion Quarterly Report and Disclosure – Final Report

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Texas State University acknowledges that it has signed and returned to the U.S. Department of Education the Certification and Agreement and the assurance that it will use the applicable amounts of Higher Education Emergency Relief Funds (HEERF) I, II, and III designated under the CARES Act, Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations (CRRSA) Act, and American Rescue Plan (ARP) Act, signed into law by Presidents Donald Trump and Joe Biden, to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students.

- The total amount of HEERF I, II, and III funds Texas State University will allocate for distributions to students is \$77,869,137. The total student portion of each individual HEERF allocation is listed below:
 - HEERF I - \$15,895,755
 - HEERF II - \$15,895,755
 - HEERF III - \$46,077,627
- As of March 31, 2022, Texas State University has distributed \$77,869,137. For the quarter ranging January 1, 2022, to March 31, 2022, the total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed \$7,058,493.65 to 21,521 out of 38,077 eligible students.

HEERF Student Portion Method of Award

For Summer and Fall of 2021, students in need of funds were asked to complete an institutional application. All eligible applicants were awarded funds. Applicants were prioritized for awards based on exceptional financial need (i.e., Expected Family Contribution). In addition to this approach, and for Spring 2021 only, students with a zero Expected Family Contribution who did not submit an institutional application were also considered to have exceptional financial need and awarded accordingly. Award amounts for calendar year 2021 (spring 2021 – fall of 2021) ranged from \$250 – \$2,600. For Spring 2022, students were asked to complete an institutional application and were prioritized based on exceptional financial need (i.e., Expected Family Contribution) as well as whether applicants had previously received such a grant. All eligible applicants were awarded a grant, and the award amounts ranged from \$250 - \$650.

HEERF Student Portion Guidance Concerning HEERF Emergency Grants

Guidance for students concerning HEERF emergency grant may be viewed on the Frequently Asked Questions web site at <https://www.txstate.edu/cares/faq.html> and <https://www.president.txstate.edu/communications/grants-available-for-students.html>