

HEERF II CRRSAA Emergency Relief Fund for Students

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The Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA) Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) II provides emergency funding to universities to assist students in need during the coronavirus pandemic. In 2020, this funding was known as the CARES Act Funding.

Louisiana Academy of Beauty signed and returned to the Department the Certification and Agreement and the assurance that the institution has used the applicable amount of funds designated under the CRRSAA and ARP (a)(1) and (a)(4) programs to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students.

Louisiana Academy of Beauty has received \$43,203 of HEERF II funding and has established the HEERF II CRRSAA Emergency Relief Fund to distribute grants to 24 eligible student's ranging from \$1542.96 to \$1906.01 to eligible students to help cover expenses related to the cost of attendance (i.e., food, housing and utilities, health insurance including mental health care, transportation, or child care) or for emergency costs that arise due to coronavirus.

Funds from the HEERF II CRRSAA Emergency Relief Fund are not considered financial aid and do not affect a student's current or future financial aid eligibility. Per guidance from the federal government, these grants will be distributed to our students with exceptional need, which will be identified by the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Being that we have a smaller population of student's refund check's will be printed and disbursed to each student on or before 4/7/2021.

Eligible students will meet the following requirements:

- You must be an enrolled graduate or undergraduate student beginning 12/28/2020 until current 4/5/2021
- You must be a U.S. citizen
- During this most uncertain of times, we understand that every student and/or family has been affected financially due to the Covid-19 pandemic. To ensure that all of our student's receive some assistance, we will be following the same calculation methodology as the last disbursements. Our Pell eligible student's will receive 75% of the awarded funds and our Non-Pell eligible students will receive 25% of the award funds.