

CARES Act Reporting

CARES Act: Emergency Aid to Students Reporting

The U.S. Department of Education requires the following information be posted on our College website. Due to a change in website provider, the initial report is being made available by July 8th, 2020, and this information will be updated every 45 days thereafter.

Clinton College CARES Act Report

Certification and Agreement of CARES Act Funds

Clinton College will be providing emergency grant assistance to students under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act. Clinton College signed and returned the Certification and Agreement document to the U.S. Department of Education on April 23rd, 2020. Within this agreement, Clinton College has agreed to spend no less than 50 percent of the total funds received under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act on direct emergency grant aid to students.

Total Funds Received

Clinton College has received \$116,971 in total funds pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students.

Amount of Grants Awarded

The total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants awarded to students at Clinton College under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act as of July 7th, 2020 is \$116,971.

Eligible Students

The estimated total number of students at Clinton College eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act is 155.

Number of Grants Awarded

Clinton College received 82 applications. The review committee reviewed all applications and 74 applications were awarded based on meeting the eligibility requirements under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act.

Please see chart below that reflect the weekly report of Emergency Aid awards to students.

Weekly Emergency Aid Award Report		
	Disbursement Date	Percentage Disbursed
Disbursement 1	5/14/2020	18%
Disbursement 2	5/21/2020	23%
Disbursement 3	5/28/2020	9%
Disbursement 4	6/4/2020	3%
Disbursement 5	6/10/2020	3%
Disbursement 6	6/17/2020	8%
Disbursement 7	6/23/2020	37%
Total Disbursement		100%

Disbursement Allocation and Plan

All US Citizens who were enrolled at the time that Clinton College converted to online classes for Spring 2020 and meet Title IV eligibility requirements have been deemed eligible to apply for emergency aid.

Clinton College opened an online application process for students to apply for Emergency Funding through the CARES Act. A full review of applicants and their reported expenses were conducted by a review committee upon receipt of each application. For approval, the reported expense must have reflected an expense incurred due to the disruption of campus.

Applications were reviewed and disbursed weekly.

Instructions/Directions/Guidance Provided to Students:

On May 11th, 2020, Clinton College students received an email explaining the Emergency Relief funds through the Cares Act. The explanation included a breakdown of eligible expenses. See below:

Dear Students,

Through the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF), Clinton College has received funds to provide grants to students for expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Eligible expenses, as related to a student's educationally related expenses include food, housing, course materials, healthcare and childcare.

In addition, the email directed students to the link to apply for the funds. See link below:

<https://clintoncollege.edu/emergency-fund-application/>

Clinton College will update this page every 45 days.