



CRRSAA HEERF II -Student Grants Reporting

In spring 2021, UWest received additional federal funding to support eligible students financially impacted by the ongoing COVID-19 global pandemic. These funds were allocated to UWest under the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA) Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) II.

UWest has signed and returned to the U.S. Department of Education the Certification and Agreement including assurance that the university will use no less than 50 percent of the of the funds designated under Section 314(a)(1) of the CRRSAA, i.e. \$70.043, to provide emergency grants to students.

As of the date of reporting, September 30, 2021, UWest has distributed the entire HEERF II student portion of \$70,043 to its eligible students. Distribution details are as follows:

Distribution Time Frame	Student Eligibility	Grant Amount per Student	Number of Students Awarded	Amount Distributed
April 2021	Pell Grant eligible	\$1,100	38	\$41,800
April 2021	Other non-Pell Grant (HT and above)	\$500	51	\$25,500
April 2021	Other non-Pell Grant (less-than HT)	\$170	17	\$2,890
Total Distribution			106 *	\$70,190 **

*This number reflects unduplicated students who received funds under Section 314(a)(1) of the CRRSAA.

**The total grant distribution includes \$73 from the HEERF I funds as well as \$74 from the HEERF-FIPSE funds received under Section 18004(a)(3) of the CARES Act.

The U.S. Department of Education requires institutions to prioritize HEERF II grants to students with *exceptional* financial need, such as those who receive Pell Grants. In compliance with this directive, UWest has awarded the grants to eligible students based on their Pell Grant status and enrollment status for the Spring 2021 Semester.

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UWest has estimated 106 students that are potentially eligible to receive emergency financial aid grants under the CRRSAA (a) 1 program. The HEERF II Grants are awarded as follows:

Pell Grant Eligible Students:	\$1,100
Other Non-Pell Grant Students (Half-time and above):	\$500
Other Non-Pell Grant Students (Less than half-time):	\$170

The CRRSAA HEERF II student grants are processed through student accounts and transferred via ACH direct deposit or paid in the form of a check. Students may provide a written HEERF II Grant Student Consent to UWest to have the funds applied toward their current or future UWest charges.