

**Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations
Act (CRRSAA)**

Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund II (HEERF II)

**Mildred Elley HEERF II (CRRSAA) Financial Aid Grants to Students
Quarterly Fund Report:**

As of September 30, 2021

- (1) Mildred Elley acknowledges that the institution signed and returned to the Department the Certification and Agreement on 2/01/2021.
- (2) Mildred Elley will use the applicable amount of funds designated under the CRRSAA (a)(1) program to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students.
- (3) Mildred Elley has received \$2,002,214 from the Department pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under the CRRSAA (a)(1) program.
- (4) The total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed to students under the CRRSAA and ARP (a)(1) and (a)(4) programs as of September 30, 2021 is \$2,000,440.
- (5) Mildred Elley estimates that approximately 1817 students are eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants under CRRSAA (a)(1) program.
- (6) Mildred Elley will not require students to submit an application.
- (7) Eligible students will be awarded a grant based on their EFC as reported on their 2020/2021 ISIR or 2021/2022 ISIR if they did not complete a 2020/2021 FAFSA. Students with a ZERO EFC will take priority. In addition, the following information was emailed to eligible students.

On December 27, 2020, the President signed the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), Public Law 116-260. In total, the CRRSAA authorizes \$81.88 billion in support for education. The CRRSAA provides an additional \$22.7 billion for the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF).

How much HEERF II (CRRSAA) funding did Mildred Elley Receive?

Mildred Elley has been allocated \$2,002,214 to provide emergency financial aid grants.

Who is eligible for a HEERF II emergency grant?

There are three general eligibility requirements: 1) student must have been an enrolled student at Mildred Elley with attendance during the Summer I 2021 module, 2) student must be a U.S. citizen or an eligible non-citizen 3) student must have a 2020/2021 or 2021/2022 Institutional Student Information Report (ISIR) on file, which would be the result of filing the 2020/2021 or 2021/2022 FAFSA.

What are the requirements for awarding CRSAA Emergency Grant (HEERF II) to students?

HEERF II (CRRSAA) regulations requires that institutions prioritize grant awards to students with exceptional need, such as students with a ZERO EFC.

Institutions may not (1) condition the receipt of financial aid grants to students on continued or future enrollment in the institution, (2) use the financial aid grants to satisfy a student's outstanding account balance, unless it has obtained the student's written (or electronic) affirmative consent, or (3) require such consent as a condition of receipt of or eligibility for the financial aid grant.

Do I have to apply for an emergency grant?

No.

How may students use their CRRSAA financial aid grants?

CRRSAA grants may be used to pay for any component of the student's cost of attendance at Mildred Elley or for emergency costs that arise due to coronavirus, such as tuition, food, housing, course material, technology, health care or child care.

How will Mildred Elley disburse the CRRSAA grant funds?

In adherence with the criteria established by the Department of Education, Mildred Elley will prioritize disbursement of grant funds to eligible students based on need which will be determined by the student's EFC. Any unclaimed funds after all grants are processed will be distributed evenly to the ZERO EFC students. If you think you should be eligible and did not receive a grant, please email caresgrant@mildred-elley.edu.

How much emergency grant money will I receive?

Your grant amount will be calculated based upon your EFC from your 2020/2021 ISIR or 2021/2022 ISIR if you did not submit a 2020/2021 FAFSA.

<u>EFC</u>	<u>Grant Amount</u>
0000	\$ 1,240
0001 – 1600	\$ 1,040
1601 - 3200	\$ 840
3201 - 4800	\$ 640
4801 +	\$ 440

How will I receive my emergency grant?

Via check in the mail unless student opts to have the funds applied directly to their student account.

How can I have my emergency grant applied to my student account?

If you desire to have your grant applied to your student account, you must contact us via email at caresgrant@mildred-elley.edu within **10 days** of this communication indicating such. We will send you an authorization form that must be signed and returned to us.

When will I receive my emergency grant?

Grants will begin to be mailed by September 1, 2021.

Who do I contact with any questions?

Please email all inquiries to caresgrant@mildred-elley.edu.