

Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund Report Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students

September 10, 2020

Rosedale Technical College (OPE ID 012050) received stabilization funds under Section 18004(a)(1) of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES ACT). This fund applies to the student portion received under the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund that is designed exclusively for emergency financial aid grants to students.

Rosedale Technical College appreciates that Congress and the President have made these critical funds available for eligible students who have expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to the coronavirus pandemic. Rosedale takes receipt of these funds seriously and is distributing the funds in accordance with the CARES Act and implementing guidelines.

Rosedale Technical College is providing the information below for transparency purposes and to be in compliance with the Department of Education's directive on reporting of these funds. For questions or concerns regarding this fund report please contact Kim Bell, Financial Aid Manager, at 412-521-6200.

1. The institution has signed and returned to the Department of Education the Certification and Agreement for the Emergency Financial Aid Grant to students. The institution has used, or intends to use no less than 50% of the funds received under Section 18004 (a)(1) of the CARES Act to provide emergency financial aid grants to students.
2. The total amount of funds that the institution has received from the Department pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students is \$ 421,247.
3. The total amount of emergency financial aid grants distributed to students as the date of this fund report is \$285,242.

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4. The estimated total number of students at the institution eligible to participate in programs under section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, and thus eligible to receive emergency financial aid grants under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act , as of the date of this report is 322.
5. The total number of students who have received an emergency financial aid grant under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act as of the date of this fund report is 258.

6. The methods used by the institution to determine which students receive under section 18004(a)(1) of the Cares Act are provided in **Attachment A**.

7. Any instructions, directions or guidance provided by the institution to the students concerning the emergency financial aid grants are provided in **Attachment B**. Students also received text messages, phone calls and email communications in regards to the emergency financial aid grant.

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Higher Education Emergency Relief Funds Emergency Financial Aid Grant calculation policy

Rosedale Technical Colleges grant calculation below was developed in accordance with guidelines set forth by the Department of Education for the disbursement of emergency financial aid grants provided through the student portion of Higher Education Emergency Relief Act.

Rosedale Technical College identified students who were eligible for Title IV funds and were active students as of March 5, 2020. Students were provided a grant application to request funding and indicate to the school the impact of the disruption of campus operations as a result of the Coronavirus pandemic. The institution also identified a student's EFC and dependency status based on their 2019-2020 FAFSA to be considered in the calculation formula. The factors listed below along with the corresponding dollar amount were used to calculate emergency financial aid relief grants to students.

Auto zero EFC: \$300

Dependent Students based on 19/20 FAFSA: \$300

Independent Students based on 19/20 FAFSA: \$600

Student is responsible for cost of housing: \$150

Student is responsible for cost of meals: \$150

Student is responsible for costs of course materials and/or technology associated with online courses: \$150

Independent student responsible for childcare costs: \$150

Student has lost income due to the pandemic: \$150

Dependent student whose parent income is impacted by coronavirus: \$150

Other impact factor not listed: \$150

Relocated student residents of Penn Commons: \$395-\$749

VA students who lost income due to change of certification as a direct result of the cease of operation of classes due to the pandemic: \$312-\$458

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