

HEERF III (ARP) Awards

OSUIT 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.

The total OSUIT is eligible to receive under ARP is \$3,425,432.

Between July 1, 2021 and September 30th, 2021, OSUIT disbursed \$673,425 to 1404 students enrolled at the institution. This is the first disbursement and a second is planned in the fall. There will also be spring and summer disbursements in 2022. No subsequent disbursement is dependent on a student having received a prior disbursement.

For summer and subsequent disbursements, all enrolled students are potentially eligible because of a change made in the American Rescue Act.

Students who had a balance owed to OSUIT were emailed and given the opportunity to select to receive an award that could be credited to their account. They had one week to make that choice. If they did not choose at all, they received funds that could only be refunded directly to them. The choice was logged from the responses in the student portal. The award amounts were the same, whether or not they elected a credit to their account balances.

All students received \$325 minimum awards. Those students who also received a Pell payment received an additional \$375 for a total of \$700. Any student, who receives a Pell payment during the spring, summer, or fall but after receiving a \$325 payment, received an additional \$375 payment.

The payments are broken down in the table below.

PAYMENTS FOR HEERFIII FOURTH QUARTER and TOTAL PAYMENTS

FUND	ELIGIBLE EXCEPTIONAL NEED STUDENTS	NUMBER	AMOUNT	PELL NUMBER	PELL AMOUNT	NON-PELL NUMBER	NON-PELL AMOUNT
HEERF CREDIT TO ACCOUNT		281	146825	148	103600	133	43225
HEERF REFUND ONLY		1123	526600	431	301700	692	224900
TOTAL	579	1404	673425	579	405300	825	268125