

**Vassar College - October 2021
Quarterly Public Reporting Requirement for (HEERF I, II, III) (a)(1) Student Aid Portion
April 2021 – June 2021**

STUDENT AID PORTION

The total amount of funding the institution received for Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund-Student Aid (HEERF I, II, III) is \$4,286,765.

The total amount of Student Aid funding distributed during this quarter, from April 2021 to June 2021, to 569 students is \$917,811.

The total number of students at Vassar College who were Pell-eligible and provided with the opportunity to apply for Student Aid is 1,506.

Vassar College determined which students would receive CRRSAA Student Aid Grants and how much they would receive as follows:

Vassar College's Office of Student Financial Services provided a list based on who had completed a FAFSA for the 2020-2021 academic year and successfully satisfied all requirements that apply to Title IV eligibility. A total of 1,506 students were identified as meeting these criteria and being actively enrolled for the Spring 2021 semester.

In an acknowledgement of diverse student experiences and circumstances, we included an option that allowed students to indicate they did not need to apply for Student Aid Grants and would instead leave it in the pool of funds that would be distributed to those in greater need. Referring to federal guidance, we prioritized those who were most in need, based on their Financial Aid Status, Pell Eligibility, Family Income Level, and individual student reports as to how they have been financially impacted. This included an opportunity to provide a narrative to further expound on the needs. We followed a rubric to review applications and assigned to high, medium or low priority in terms of need and the above criteria.

The application and guidance provided to students by Vassar College concerning the Student Aid Grants is available below.

Questions about this report can be directed to:

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CARES (R 2) Act Student Emergency Aid Grant Application - Student Assistance Due to COVID-19. Due by Thursday, March 18, 2021 at 5pm ET.

The Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA), 2021 provides direct emergency cash aid (CARES Grant) to eligible students as noted in the email sent to you. The individual cash grant amount to each student will be based on the number of applications received and the funds available. Please submit your application by Thursday, 3/18//2021 at 5pm ET. We expect to send cash grants to students before the end of April.

The respondent's email (**null**) was recorded on submission of this form.

* Required

1. Email *

2. Full Name *

3. 999# *

4. Class Year *

Mark only one oval.

- 2021
- 2022
- 2023
- 2024
- Other: _____

5. How have you specifically been impacted by the disruption of campus operations due to COVID-19? *

Check all that apply.

- Housing
- Food
- Healthcare
- Relocation
- Technology
- Other (Expenses that do not fit any of the above)

6. Please briefly elaborate on your response to previous question so we are better able to assess how you have been financially impacted and your exceptional need due to COVID-19. *

7. I do NOT need a CARES grant and would like to leave it in the pool of funds that will be distributed to other students who are in need.

Mark only one oval.

Yes

8. I certify that the information submitted in this application is true and correct. *

Check all that apply.

Yes

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