



May 14, 2020

STUDENT POPULATION

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Dear student:

We are pleased to announce that on May 13, 2020 the institution received funds related to the "Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security" (CARES Act). Today, May 14, 2020, the Financial Aid and Bursar Offices will initiate funds distribution by direct deposit or by sending a check via mail, as applicable.

Criteria for participation in programs under Section 484 of the Higher Education Act (HEA) include, but are not limited to, the following: have completed the FAFSA and have a valid ISIR/SAR, be a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen, have a valid Social Security number, Selective Service registration (if the student is male), have provided a high school diploma, GED, or evidence of completion of high school in an approved home school setting, and be enrolled as a regular student in a program eligible for a degree or certificate.

In addition to the above criteria, in order to be eligible for this assistance the student must also meet the following requirements: have expenses related to the interruption of campus operations such as food, housing, and course materials, expenses associated with the technology needed for study, health care, and child care, have attended a classroom course prior to the emergency, and continue to be enrolled at the time of fund distribution of or have completed his/her program after the interruption of campus operations.

If you understand that you are an eligible student, but were not financially affected by the disruption of campus operations, please notify us by contacting the Regional Director of Financial Aid Sharon Rigaud at srigaud@ftccollege.edu so that your funds can be reallocated to other students with greater need.

The amount to be awarded to each student was determined using the Expected Family Contribution (EFC), income information reported on the FAFSA 2019-2020, and the student's enrollment status (full-time or part-time) as a basis. The amounts to be distributed will fluctuate between \$500 and \$800.

Students who have not yet completed the FAFSA should contact the Financial Aid Office to complete this requirement.

At Florida Technical College, we will continue to support and accompany you during this emergency in order to achieve your academic goal.

Thank you very much for studying at Florida Technical College!