

2020 CARES ACT STUDENT ALLOCATION SUMMARY & RECOMMENDATIONS FEDERAL EMERGENCY GRANTS FOR STUDENTS IMPACTED BY CORONAVIRUS

On April 9, 2020, the U.S. Department of Education (ED) [announced](#) the student allocation of the federal stimulus funding for higher education through the CARES Act. The announcement included details about the

	Plan	Description	Selection Methodology
NCTA Students	\$200,000	Support NCTA students	OSFA will work with NCTA Dean/IANR
Direct grants to financially needy students	\$6,278,400	Direct awards to financially needy students, including Pell-eligible students, who are defined by the federal government as having need and who demonstrate they have expenses related to the disruption of campus operations.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Distribute \$1,200 to students with EFC Bands 1 and 2 due to campus disruption as demonstrated by a simple online form Approx. 5,200 students, including Pell recipients, including those just beyond Pell as well as approx. 900 GRAD/LAW
Grants for emergency expenses by application	\$1,335,950	Immediate needs for expenses for materials, technology, housing, food, healthcare, childcare, and other educational expenses.	OSFA will develop a simple online form in MyRED for all students who meet ED's requirements.
TOTAL	\$7,814,350		

LIMITATIONS FOR STUDENT DISTRIBUTION AND MECHANISMS FOR DISTRIBUTION

In alignment with recent guidance, students must at least meet the