

submitted an application for the Grant aid. For this second group, award amounts were based on the student's request not to exceed \$6,000.

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LLU is pleased to offer you a HEERF grant of \$1,500. You may use this grant toward emergency costs that arise due to coronavirus. Examples of allowable expenses include tuition, food, housing, health care, and child care. HEERF grant funds are not considered financial aid, do not need to be coordinated with other financial aid received, and are tax exempt. Given this is a grant, repayment is not required.

These funds can either be applied directly to your student account or it can be disbursed to you via direct deposit, to the personal bank account of your choosing or by check. If you have not signed up for direct deposit, you can complete the request on your student portal.

1. Log into Student Services at <https://ssweb.llu.edu/loginpin>
2. Click "Student Finance"
3. Click "Student Account Settings"
4. Click "Direct Deposit Settings"

Please reply to this email, StudentCOVIDaid@llu.edu, no later than March XX, 2021 if you would like these funds applied to your student account. If we do not hear from you, the award will be disbursed to you via check or direct deposit after March XX.

Please select A. or B. below:

- A. Please credit my student account directly. I understand that I can withdraw any funds remaining after my balance is paid.
- B. Please issue the funds to me directly:
 - a. By direct deposit, I have set up my account information
 - b. By check through the mail, I do not have direct deposit

The health, well being and security of our students remains our utmost priority. We hope the awarding of this grant will assist you with your continued educational journey at LLU.

For funds distributed under Section 2003(a)(1) of ARP,

Dear [Student]:

The American Rescue Plan (ARP) Act of 2021 included additional COVID-19 assistance through the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF). In late May 2021 LLU received the ARP award notice of the HEERF funds available for LLU student grants.

The ARP Act stipulates that these HEERF student grants must go to students with "Exceptional Need." You have been identified as a student who meets the definition of exceptional need based on the following three criteria: 1) you are a current or prior Pell Grant recipient, 2) you have an EFC at or below the current Pell grant EFC level, and 3) you either borrowed student loans to cover Winter and/or

