

ATTACHMENT B

CRRSA Act Financial Aid Grants Frequently Asked Questions

Q. What is the CRRSA Act Fund?

A. The Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations (CRRSA) Act gives Bloomsburg University the ability to award financial aid grants directly to students.

Q. How do I qualify for an Emergency Financial Aid Grant?

A. Federal guidance indicates CRRSAA funds are to be prioritized for students with exceptional need. Therefore, students who are Pell eligible (EFC of 0-5711) will receive \$700 while all other students who have completed a FAFSA and are in degree programs will receive \$600. Students receiving the award will be notified by the Financial Aid office.

A portion of the funding will be reserved for special condition situations related to the coronavirus. Special conditions will be reviewed by the Financial Aid office and funds will be awarded on a first-come, first-served basis dependent on the nature of the exceptional circumstances due to COVID-19. The special condition

Q. Are the CRRSA Act Funds available for both undergraduate and graduate students?

A. Yes.

Q. Can I use my CRRSA Act Fund award to help cover a current/outstanding balance or can it be applied toward a future semester's charges?

A. Yes. Students are entirely responsible for directing the use of their CRRSAA funds. Students who are eligible, have already received an email notification regarding their award amount and procedures for applying funds to an outstanding balance.

Q. Who should I contact if I have additional questions?

A. Please contact the Financial Aid office at 570-389-4297 or buaid@bloomu.edu.