

Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund Report

45 Day Deadline 7/9/2020 – No changes

Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students

Date 5/25/20

Denham Springs Beauty College (OPE ID: 02619200) received education stabilization funds under Section 18004(a)(1) of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (“CARES Act”), Public Law No: 116-136. This Fund Report applies to the student portion received under the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund that is designated exclusively for emergency financial aid grants to students.

The institution has received these funds and is distributing them in accordance with the CARES Act and implementing guidance.

The institution is making the below information available for transparency purposes and in compliance with the U.S. Department of Education’s (“Department”) Electronic Announcement of May 6, 2020. For questions or concerns regarding this Fund Report, please contact Gina Hand, Owner/Administrator, at gina@dsbeautyschool.org.

1. The institution signed and returned to the Department the Certification and Agreement [for] Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students. The institution has used, or intends to use, no less than 50 percent of the funds received under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act to provide emergency financial aid grants to students.
2. The total amount of funds that the institution will receive or has received from the Department pursuant to the institution’s Certification and Agreement [for] Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students is \$48,577.
3. The total amount of emergency financial aid grants distributed to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act as of the date of this Fund Report is \$48,577.
4. The estimated total number of students at the institution eligible to participate in programs under Section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, and thus eligible to receive emergency financial aid grants under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act, as of the date of this Fund Report is 48.
5. The total number of students who have received an emergency financial aid grant under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act as of the date of this Fund Report is 47.
6. The methods used by the institution to determine which students receive emergency financial aid grants and how much they would receive under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act are provided at **Attachment A**.
7. Any instructions, directions, or guidance provided by the institution to students concerning the emergency financial aid grants are provided at **Attachment B**.

ATTACHMENT A

**Policy to Disburse Emergency Financial Aid Grants
for students of Denham Springs Beauty College**

**Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under the
Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security (CARES) Act**

The Secretary of Education, Betsy DeVos, has been authorized to allocate grant funds to Institutions of Higher Education under the CARES Act. The CARES Act requires that Institutions of Higher Education “use no less than 50% of the funds received to provide emergency financial aid grants to students for expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to coronavirus (including eligible expenses under a student’s cost of attendance such as food, housing, course materials, technology, health care and child care.)”

The total the Secretary has allocated to Denham Springs Beauty College is \$97,153, of which \$48,577 has been allocated for emergency funds for students. Only students who are or could be eligible to participate in programs under Section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, may receive emergency financial aid grants. If a student has filed a Free Application for Federal Student Aid, then the student has demonstrated eligibility to participate in programs under Section 484 the HEA. Students who have not filed a FAFSA but who are eligible to file a FAFSA may also receive emergency financial aid grants. The criteria to participate in these programs include but are not limited to the following: U.S. citizenship or eligible noncitizen; a valid Social Security number; registration with Selective Service (if male); and a high school diploma, GED, or completion of high school in an approved homeschool setting. Any student who has not already completed a 19/20 or 20/21 FAFSA is encouraged, but not required, to do so.

Students will be notified via email and regular mail regarding the availability of the Emergency Financial Aid Grant along with instructions for completing and returning a certification form. Prior to receiving the funds, each student will be required to sign and return the attached form certifying that they have been impacted by COVID-19 and that the funds will be utilized for expenses such as food, housing, course materials, technology, health care or childcare. Students will be given the option to decline the payment if they have not been affected by COVID-19. Those funds will then be reallocated to other students. Once the funds have been disbursed, it is the student’s responsibility to use the funds accordingly.

Student Certification forms must be returned to Denham Springs Beauty College by Friday May 22, 2020, in order to be considered for the funds. Failure to return the form by the deadline may result in the student not receiving any emergency financial aid grant. Checks will be issued after the May 22, 2020 deadline.

Following the precedent of even distribution set forth by the federal government when issuing the Economic Impact Payments, the amount allocated for students will be evenly disbursed among currently enrolled students, including those on an approved leave of absence, who have demonstrated eligibility and have returned the certification form indicating they have been impacted by COVID-19.

The administration of Denham Springs Beauty College will comply with any reporting requirements regarding the use and distribution of the grant funds under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act.

ATTACHMENT B

Denham Springs Beauty College
Student Funding Certification

Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under the
Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security (CARES) Act

Have you had a disruption in your family financial situation due to COVID-19?

_____ YES _____ NO

If YES, please complete the following:

I, _____, certify that I am a student currently enrolled at Denham Springs Beauty College, Denham Springs, LA, and have had disruption in my family financial situation due to COVID-19.

I agree to use the funds for expenses related to the disruption caused by the coronavirus (COVID-19), including expenses such as food, housing, course materials, technology, health care and childcare.

I understand that this form must be completed and returned to Denham Springs Beauty College by Friday, May 22, 2020 before funds can be disbursed. Failure to return the form by that date may result in not receiving the emergency financial aid grant.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please provide the address you prefer the check to be mailed to:

Street address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

You have the option to decline payment of the grant if you have not been impacted by COVID-19. Please sign below if you choose to decline the grant payment from Denham Springs Beauty College.

I, _____, am declining the Emergency Financial Aid Grant from Denham Springs Beauty College.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____