

CARES Act Report and Disclosure

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Texas A&M University – San Antonio acknowledges that it signed and returned to the U.S. Department of Education the Certification and Agreement Form assuring the University intends to use at least 50% of the funds received under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students. To meet the reporting requirements outlined in the CARES Act passed by Congress and signed by President Trump on March 27, 2020, Texas A&M University – San Antonio is disclosing the following information.

1. The total funds Texas A&M University – San Antonio will receive for distributions to students from the U.S. Department of Education is \$2,806,713.
2. To date, the total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act is \$2,122,313.
3. The estimated total number of students in the 2019-2020 academic year at Texas A&M University eligible to participate in federal aid 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 is 5,890.
4. To date, the total number of students that have received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act is 2,490.
5. The methods used to determine which and how much students receive in Emergency Financial Aid Grants are as follows:
 - Have been enrolled at least half-time in the Spring 2020 semester as of March 13, 2020.
 - Have been enrolled at least half-time in the Summer 2020 semester.
 - Or, currently enrolled at least half-time in the Fall 2020 semester.
 - In an undergraduate or graduate degree-seeking program.
 - Demonstrate financial need or hardship caused by the COVID-19 pandemic.
 - Submit an Emergency Aid Application by visiting the [Emergency Aid webpage](#) and clicking on “Apply Now”. Students will list the amount they are requesting along with a typed statement explaining their emergency and how the funds will be used. Supporting documentation is required.
 - The following reasons for Emergency Financial Aid Grants include but are not limited to:
 - Books and Supplies
 - Food or Transportation
 - Housing or Utilities
 - Childcare
 - Medical or Dental
 - Change in Employment
 - Miscellaneous (must provide reason)
6. Texas A&M University – San Antonio is informing students of the availability of this funding and steps to apply through the following:
 - Published throughout our university website
 - Call campaign lead by the Student Affairs Department
 - Student Financial Aid Portal (Jagwire)