

## CARES Act Emergency Relief Fund Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) Student Aid Nueta Hidatsa Sahnish College May 21, 2020

As recognition of the CARES Act HEERF, Nueta Hidatsa Sahnish College is compliant with the following:

- An acknowledgement that the institution signed and returned the certification and agreement form and that the institution has used, or intends to use the funds to provide the mandated amount of at least 50% of the emergency financial aid grants to students.
  - o On April 16, 2020 NHS College signed and submitted the certification and agreement form with the intent to use the 50% emergency financial aid grant for aid to students.
- The total amount of funds that the institution will receive, or has received under the HEERF student portion.
  - NHS College was allocated \$41,847.
- Of those funds, the total amount that has been distributed to students as of the date of reporting.
  - \$41,847 was disbursed on May 21, 2020.
- 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 therefore eligible to receive an emergency financial aid grant.
  - o 75 students were eligible.
- The total number of students who have received an emergency financial aid grant.
  - 75 received emergency financial aid.
- How the institution determined which students did, or will receive emergency financial aid grants and how much funding they did, or will receive.
  - NHSC College distributed the HEERF emergency funds to students who were enrolled in NHS College on April 25, 2020. Title IV eligible, undergraduate, degreeseeking students. Full-time students received \$736.00 and part-time students received \$368.00
- Any instructions, directions, or guidance provided by the institution to students concerning the emergency financial aid grants.
  - A letter accompanied the check that was mailed to students indicating the following:
    - The Department of Education Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) has provided money to institutions for emergency financial aid grants to college students whose lives have been disrupted by the COVID-19 pandemic, many of whom are facing financial challenges and struggling to make ends meet.
    - The emergency funds must be used to cover expenses such as food, housing, course materials, technology, health care, and childcare.
    - By endorsing the enclosed check, you are acknowledging that you will use the funds to cover the previously listed allowable expenses.