

Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF)
American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)
Student Financial Aid | FGCU Reporting to the US DOE

Florida Gulf Coast University Board of Trustees (FGCU) acknowledges that it has signed and returned to the U.S. Department of Education the Grant Certification and Agreement with the assurance that FGCU intends to use \$16,473,366 of the funds received under the American Rescue Plan (ARP) Public Law 117-2 to provide Student Financial Aid. The total amount that has been distributed to students under ARP Public Law 117-2 from October 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021 is \$7,573,500 to 6,338 students. The amount of funding received by each student can be found in this HEERF document.

The estimated total number of students at the institution eligible to participate to receive Student Financial Aid Grants under ARP Public Law 117-2 is 15,910. As required by the US Department of Education under the American Rescue Plan, Florida Gulf Coast University identified 1,358 students enrolled during the Summer 2021 term who met the high exceptional need requirement to receive student financial aid emergency grants. Additionally, during the Fall 2021 term, via an online application process, FGCU awarded an additional 4,980 students who had applied for emergency funds.

The University posted the availability of the FGCU (ARP) Student Financial Aid Grants, along with frequently asked questions and answers here:

<https://www.fgcu.edu/admissionsandaid/financialaid/undergraduate/typesofaid/heerf3.aspx>

| Award Count | Award Amount | Award Totals |
|--------------|--------------|-----------------------|
| 2,700 | \$1,475.00 | \$3,982,500.00 |
| 2,280 | \$1,575.00 | \$3,591,000.00 |
| 4,980 | | \$7,573,500.00 |