

## **COVID -19 Student Grant Funding Disclosure**

Celebrity School of Beauty has been awarded funding from the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) authorized by the recent Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security (CARES) Act. To comply with federal requirements for the grant the institution is disclosing the following information:

The institution acknowledges that it has signed and returned to the Department of Education the required Certification Agreement for funding.

Celebrity School of Beauty has received \$173,859 from the U. S. Department of Education. This amount is for campus locations in Miami and Hialeah, Florida.

As of March 31, 2021, to comply with the 30-day reporting requirement the institution has distributed emergency grant funds to students under Section 18004(a)(1) in the amount of \$173,859.

In early July 2020, the institution identified 355 eligible students at the Miami and Hialeah campus locations. All those eligible students were offered the emergency grant under Section 18004(a)(1). In January 2021, the institution reconciled the funds and identified the monies that had been unclaimed and/or became stale. The institution then reallocated the unexpended funds. A total of 348 students received grant funds of \$500 each, made payable to each student by check.

Prior to collecting a check, students signed a notice that by accepting the check students were agreeing to use the funds for expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to coronavirus. Eligible expenses can include food, housing, course materials, technology and other expenses included in a student's cost of attendance.

The Department of Education defined the criteria for "eligible" student. The institution offered and/or awarded emergency grant funds to students based on that eligibility criteria. In general, those awarded the grant were students who had a disruption in their education due to the COVID 19 pandemic. International students, undocumented students, and students who enrolled prior to March 13, 2020 in an online program were not eligible for funding from this grant. Only students who were eligible to receive financial aid funding were eligible for the emergency grant.

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