On March 11, 2021, the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARP) was signed into law allocating funds to the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund III (HEERF III). Under HEERF III, Evangel University (EU) received funds to provide emergency financial aid grants to students to assist with the cost of attendance or emergency costs that arise due to coronavirus such as: tuition, food, housing, health care (including mental), and childcare.

To receive your funds, please complete the following survey prior to April 3, 2022. It is located at https://web.evangel.edu/Portal/Student/Money/forms.asp (Student portal-Money/Forms tab). In this survey, you will notify EU if you would like to have all, or a portion of your funds applied to your EU student account. We also need your address, so we know where to send the check. For online and graduate students, your checks will be mailed to you unless you live in the Springfield area and request the option to pick up your check. For traditional undergraduate students, you will have the option to pick up your check on Wednesday, April 20, 2022, or have it mailed to your home address.

We are grateful EU received $2,615,645 in HEERF III student designated funding. From this allocation, we will disburse $1,322,470 in spring 2022 to assist students. The balance was disbursed during the fall 2021 semester.

Eligibility and awards were determined based on the following factors:

- Students must have been enrolled as a degree-seeking student at Evangel University on March 21, 2022, when the fund allocations were determined. Non-degree seeking, non-credit, and dual enrolled students were not included.

- Students in the traditional undergraduate residential programs on the main campus, James River College, College of Adult and Graduate Studies, and Assemblies of God Theological Seminary were included.

- Based on guidance received from the Department of Education, funding was prioritized to students with the greatest need. The allocation of funds is based on the EU Cost of Attendance, the Expected Family Contribution if the FAFSA was filed, grants and scholarships you received to assist with expenses, and eligibility for the Federal Pell Grant. Unmet federal need after scholarships and grants was also used in the formula to determine allocation amounts. Unmet need for this purpose was calculated by subtracting the Expected Family Contribution, as well as scholarships and grants from the Cost of Attendance. The Cost of Attendance includes direct and indirect expenses.

Payments to students are being made in the following amounts:

Category	**Number of Students**	**Grant Amount Per Student**	**Total per Category**

On Campus student receiving Federal Pell Grant funds	267	$813-$1,588	$343,274
On Campus student without Federal Pell Grant funds	606	$650-$1,270	$475,851
Commuter student receiving Federal Pell Grant funds	141	$542-$1,058	$118,112
Commuter student without Federal Pell Grant funds	207	$434-$847	$104,175
Distance Education student receiving Federal Pell Grant funds	139	$361-$706	$82,913
Distance Education student without Federal Pell Grant funds	526	$289-$564	$198,146
Total:	**1886**		**$1,322,470**