UMKC acknowledges that it has signed and returned the Certification and Agreement to the Department of Education and plans to use no less than 50 percent of the funds received under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students.

1. The total amount of funds UMKC received on 5/14/2020 from the U.S. Department of Education is $3,531,361.
2. The total amount of federal CARES Act funds award as of 6/12/2020 is $1,707,000.
3. The number of students at UMKC eligible to participate in Title IV and thus eligible to receive CARES funds is 12,385.
4. The total number of students who have received CARES funds as of 6/12/2020 is 1,138.
5. All students receiving CARES funds must meet the follow criteria:
   - Incurred expenses as a result of COVID-19
   - Completed a 2019-2020 FAFSA
   - Was enrolled as a degree-seeking student at the start of the Spring 2020 semester
   - Not enrolled in a distance education or all-online program prior to March 13, 2020
   - Currently meeting Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) Requirements
   - Eligible for Title IV Federal Student Aid
6. To be considered for funding, students needed to apply using an online application. A link to the online application was posted to the UMKC Financial Aid and Scholarships Office Emergency Resources webpage. CARES funding availability was advertised via an email sent to all Title IV eligible students on 5/6/2020 and advertised on the UMKC COVID-19 Response webpage and the UMKC Financial Aid and Scholarships Office webpage. In the CARES Act application, students were asked to identify the expense and amount of each expense they incurred related to the disruption of campus operations due to COVID-19.
7. In order to distribute funds as quickly as possible and allow for faster decision making, the follow methods were used:
   - Each eligible student who indicated an incurred expense related to the disruption of campus operations due to COVID-19 was awarded $1,500.
   - Students who were approved for funding were notified via their UMKC student email account of their award amount, information regarding how they will receive the funds and Direct Deposit information.
   - Students who did not meet eligibility were notified via their UMKC student email account and also automatically reviewed for UMKC emergency funding from non-CARES Act resources.