

**American Rescue Plan Act of 2021
Supplemental Agreement (ALN 84.425E) ((a)(1) Student Aid Portion)
Quarterly Report ending October 10, 2021
Fall 2021**

Clayton State University was awarded \$10,303,235 under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARP)(Pub. L. 117-2). The Supplemental Agreement (<https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/arpheerfiisupplementa1student.pdf>) outlines specific requirements in relation to the distribution of these funds in which the plan below has incorporated.

Clayton State University has distributed grants matriculated students based on the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 Supplemental Agreement (ALN 84.425E)((a)(1) Student Aid Portion) within the categories below.

This is a quarterly institutional report accounting for all the allocation of the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021.

- As of October 10, 2021 Clayton State University has awarded \$5,770,463 in Emergency Financial Aid Grants to 5,406 students under the American Rescue Plan Act.
- Clayton State University estimated students were eligible to participate in programs under Section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965 and eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students under the American Rescue Plan Act.

Category 1: Fall 2021 Matriculated Students

Students meeting the qualification requirements per the American Rescue Plan Act, 2021 Supplemental Agreement were emailed a notice of eligibility on Thursday, July 29, 2021 with a link to the survey [here](#):

(https://service.clayton.edu/enrollment-management?id=sc_cat_item&sys_id=3494d263dbeea050f526b3b2ba96191d) . Students had until August 1, 2021 to complete the survey. Please see the FAQs below and if students have additional questions, please contact the Financial Aid Office at financialaid@clayton.edu or 678-466-4185.

- On August 2, 2021 the survey was closed and the amount of the Fall 2021 awards were determined based on the total eligible students. Students received amounts in the Fall 2021 that correspond with the their EFC as per the chart below.

EFC as per 2021-2022 ISIR	Award Amount	Previous
0-3,045	\$1-\$1,325	\$1-\$1,250
3,046-5,000	\$1- \$1,270	\$1- \$950
5,001+ or no EFC (no ISIR on file)	\$1-\$655	\$1-\$450

*Amount is listed in a range as to indicate the amount awarded will be determined based on the number of eligible students enrolled.

- Students enrolled in Fall 2021 who completed the survey indicating they will permit the funds to be used for their account balance will had those funds posted to their account on August 2, 2021. Any refunds as a result of those funds were generated to students actively enrolled in the Fall 2021 semester in September 2021 through the Bursar Office refund process.
- Qualified students enrolled in Fall 2021 who did not complete the survey or elected to not have the funds applied directly to their account had the amount designated to them based on the chart above on August 30, 2021. The designated funds were provided to actively enrolled and qualified students for Fall 2021 in August 2021 through the Bursar Office refund process.

What is the ARP Supplemental Grant?

The American Rescue Plan Act has been released by the U.S. Department of Education. The ARP Supplemental Grant will provide to colleges and universities cash grants to students related to the disruptions of their education due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Please know that ARP Supplemental Grant awards may vary from student to student based on economic need just as other federal aid (Pell, SEOG) varies. The Financial Aid office at Clayton State University will determine your eligibility for the ARP Supplemental Grant funds using the guidelines provided by the Federal Department of Education.

Who is eligible for the ARP Supplemental Grant?

Students that may receive emergency financial aid grants under the ARP Supplemental Grant must be actively enrolled (including students exclusively enrolled in distance education) and must be a US Citizen or eligible non-citizens.

How do I find out if I'm eligible for the ARP Supplemental Grant?

Eligible students were emailed a survey to determine if they were impacted by the coronavirus on Thursday, July 30, 2021 to their Clayton State University email account. If you are unsure if you are eligible, read the above eligibility qualifications and if you still have questions, please contact the Financial Aid Office at financialaid@clayton.edu or 678-466-4815.

How will I receive the ARP Supplemental Grant?

Qualified Students enrolled in Fall 2021 who completed the survey indicating they permit the funds to be applied to their account, had those funds posted to their account. Likewise, qualified students enrolled in Fall 2021 who do not indicate on the survey for the funds to be placed on their account will be refunded through our third-party servicer, BankMobile. Please make sure that your BankMobile account information is up to date by logging onto BankMobile at: <https://bankmobiledisbursements.com/>, enter your student email and password.

You can also have refund alerts sent directly to your mobile phone. Signing up is easy:

1. Log in to your profile.
2. Under the 'User Profile' tab, select 'Mobile Alerts.'
3. Follow the prompts. (Text message fees by your service provider may still apply).