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Dear [merge student name],

Feather River College, with support from the U.S. Department of Education, has made funding available for students affected by the COVID-19 pandemic through the student portion of the CARES Act Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF). HEERF provides funding to colleges and universities to award emergency financial aid grants to students, specifically for your expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to COVID-19. These funds may be used to cover some expenses such as food, housing, course materials, technology, health care, and childcare. Based on guidance from the U.S. Department of Education, only students who are, or could be, eligible for Title IV aid (i.e. the Pell Grant and/or Federal Direct Loans) under Section 484 of the HEA may receive emergency grants.

Additionally, several factors were considered to determine the amount of emergency aid to be provided to qualifying students.

We understand you have incurred costs due to FRC changing its mode of instruction. To help with these costs, ***the College has awarded you \$[merge qualifying amount] from this federal fund.***

Your distribution amount is based on your financial need, as determined by your 2019-2020 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Criteria to receive funding also included the number of units enrolled and Expected Family Contribution (EFC).

Please note that these funds may be taxable and reported on your 1098-T. The College is awaiting further direction from the U.S. Department of Education.

Additional information can be found at: <https://www.frc.edu/financialaid/cares-act-student-grant>

If you have questions that cannot be answered on the website above, please email Financial Aid: [financialaid@frc.edu](mailto:financialaid@frc.edu).

We hope that this funding will help with additional costs incurred as a result of COVID-19. Feather River College values your education and we are grateful to be part of your academic journey.

Sincerely,

Kevin Trutna, Ed.D.  
Superintendent/President