



**Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund II (CRRSSA)  
Certification of Need and Acknowledgment of Use of Grants**

On December 27, 2020, the President signed the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA) (P.L. 116-260). This new law gives the U.S. Department of Education (Department) approximately \$22.7 billion to distribute to institutions of higher education in order to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus through the HEERF. This law has some similarities—as well as important differences—from the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) (P.L. 116–136) that was enacted on March 27, 2020.

L'esprit Academy's cohort of eligible students consists of all students who earned any hours of training from April 1, 2021 - April 15, 2021. These dates encompass the COVID-19 period as defined by the institution as well as the guidance from the US Department of Education announcement of the availability of emergency grants. Each student will be eligible for only one grant unless additional funding becomes available. Grant amounts allocated to each student are determined based on the school's total "Minimum Allocation of Grant Monies to be Awarded for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students" divided by the eligible cohort of total students and prioritizing exceptional need.

Please initial all that apply to you:

**Student Need Certification** - By initialing here, I certify to have financial needs related to the disruption of campus operations due to Coronavirus such as food, housing, course material, technology, health care and childcare that are equal to or greater than the estimated grant amount.

**Exceptional Need Certification** - By initialing here, I certify I have exceptional financial needs beyond what Pell grant and other grants can provide.

**Use of Grant Certification by Institution** - By initialing here, I certify to allow the institution to use these grant funds for any tuition or other balance on my school account.

By signing below, I certify that all information and acknowledgments provided are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also acknowledge that the grant is not guaranteed, is subject to change based on final calculation of eligible students, and that all other grant eligibility requirements must be satisfied for monies to be awarded.

STUDENT NAME

STUDENT SIGNATURE