

Email Subject: ARP HEERF III Grant Award Notification

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Dear Name,

The Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund III (HEERF III), has authorized the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARP).

Congress approved additional funds to assist college students in need across the nation. These funds are available to help students navigate current struggles due to the COVID pandemic. College of Eastern Idaho has selected you as a recipient of these funds for the Fall 2021 Semester.

You have been selected to receive the American Rescue Plan (ARP) HEERF III Grant because you are enrolled in the Fall 2021 semester at CEI and you demonstrate eligibility. Eligibility criteria is set forth by HEERF III under the ARP Grant and has been determined by CEI, your completed FAFSA application and Official Expected Family Contribution (EFC) were used to determine awards.

Please log in to CEI [Student Self-Service](#) and access the Financial Aid Tab to navigate to “My Awards” to review your financial aid award offer. The ARP HEERF III Grant has already been accepted for you and no further action is required. You will be notified by the CEI Business Office **when these funds will be direct deposited**, if you signed up for eRefund, or a check will be mailed to the address on file.

- Enroll in **eRefund (direct deposit)**, log in to [Student Self-Service](#) > Student Finance > Make a payment > Log in to the payment portal using your CEI username and password > Electronic Refund and follow the prompts.
- If no eRefund account is set up, a **paper check** will be mailed to the address on file. **Make sure your mailing address is current.** You can update your address by contacting Student Affairs at (208) 524-3000 ext. 4 or email admissions@cei.edu.
- Watch your CEI email for disbursement details.

If you would like to review CEI selecting criteria and the disbursement plan, please review our [ARP HEERF III Grant website](#) for additional information.

Please let us know if you have any questions. We are happy to help you. Our office is open for in-person, phone, and email assistance.

For Financial Aid questions please call 208-524-3000 ext. 7 or email financial.aid@cei.edu

CEI Financial Aid

