



WCCC CARES Hardship Application-Fall 2021

SUBMIT via email to CARES@WARREN.EDU

WCCC has a limited amount of federal funds available to assist students with certain types of educational costs, including tuition and fees, educational materials (including computers or supplies), insurance, food needs, childcare expenses, or other costs. WCCC is now inviting students to apply for Fall 2021 awards. Please note that in most cases, these funds will not be disbursed until each term after a student's enrollment can be verified.

WCCC will attempt to assist as many students as possible with unforeseen educational expenses. WCCC is allocating funds in several categories and has established certain funding guidelines based total expenses, expenses by category and credits enrolled. Please complete the information below:

Name _____ Student ID _____

Email _____ Phone (____) _____

Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible, you must be a student at Warren County Community College. A student is defined as someone who is registered and enrolled through the drop/add period of the semester.

According to the federal government, preference for CARES funds is to be given to students with demonstrated financial need. This is best determined through the FAFSA documentation. **If you have not yet completed a FAFSA, please contact the Financial Aid Office at finaid@warren.edu.**

Please note any emergency need by category for the Fall. You may indicate more than one category to be evaluated by the WCCC CARES Committee, however, the College reserves the right to limit awards to an individual student or awards in any category.

A) STUDENT REQUEST-TUITION AND FEES

Please check the applicable box below:

- I request CARES funding for the full amount of tuition and fees after applicable financial aid grants for the Fall 2021 semester are applied directly to my account balance.
- I request that only \$ _____ in CARES funds be applied to my account for Fall 2021.
- Other (please specify) _____

B) STUDENT REQUEST- ADDITIONAL EXPENSES

\$ _____ Additional housing expenses

\$ _____ Computer purchase

\$ _____ Technology or educational supply expenses (please identify)

\$ _____ Food expenses for myself

\$ _____ Child care expenses (must have a dependent declared through the FAFSA)

\$ _____ Health insurance expenses

C) \$ _____ TOTAL STUDENT REQUEST (A + B)

Documentation of Assistance Needed

WCCC is not requesting documentation of receipts at this time. However, by signing the application, you are asserting that the information is correct and verifiable, and you agree to provide documentation upon request by the College. Please note that WCCC reserves the right to ask for any documentation at any time regarding the emergency aid, so please retain all receipts.

Details

Please provide additional information regarding your request. (Example: Internet cable bill to Service Electric or Comcast for September 2021 \$_____. Purchase of a Lenovo T480 laptop \$_____, I do not have money for food which is costing me \$_____ per week). Please note that WCCC will wait until your enrollment can be verified before issuing any CARES checks. Student requesting coverage for tuition and fees will have a hold put on their student account until enrollment is verified and funds are released.

Certification

I certify that these additional education-related expenses **are directly or indirectly related to COVID-19 disruption**. I understand that I may be asked to provide documentation to justify these expenses (e.g., receipts, bills). I also certify that as the applicant, I am an active student scheduled to participate in the 2021 Fall semester.

Student Signature

Date

If WCCC CARES Aid is approved, you will receive a check from WCCC to the address on file with the College to cover non-tuition and fee expenses. Please make sure your information is up to date with us.

The College is required to prioritize the awarding of emergency aid based on students who have demonstrated financial need via a FAFSA. WCCC will notify students via email of their eligibility for funds.