May 5, 2020

Dear Student:

On March 27, the U.S. Congress approved the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act, also known as the CARES Act, that provided stimulus funds for institutions of higher education to use in assisting students who were impacted by the disruption of campus operations due the COVID-19 pandemic.

Slippery Rock University has received its allocation and in order to determine who has been impacted, we have created an application, <u>available by clicking here</u>, that we are asking our students to fill out in order to determine their eligibility to receive funding.

Upon completion, your application will be automatically submitted to SRU's Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships. The application will be active until 4:30 p.m., May 18 as which time the Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships will begin evaluating the level of need among all applicants and commence disbursing funds directly to those students who qualify. The funds may be spent on eligible expenses including outstanding tuition bills, food, housing, course materials, technology, health care and child care.

For additional assistance, contact the Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships at financial.aid@sru.edu or 724.738.2044. Callers will be asked to leave a message that will be returned during normal business, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Sincerely,

The Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships Slippery Rock University