



# American Samoa Community College

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## US CARES Act Funding

Colleges and Universities

1.6 Million

COVID – 19 Plans

**US CARE Act COVID – 19 Funding  
Status Planning Template**

**Total Funding: \$1,617,885.00**

**COVID – 19 Student Aid Reporting Template:**

**Note: CARES Act – Student Aid Portion: \$808,943.00 (Received June 2, 2020)**

<b>Outcome(s)</b>	<b>Allocation</b>	<b>Description:</b>	<b>COVID – 19 Funding Allocation</b>
1. <i>Increase the number of <u>students/faculty</u> who have internet devices and access.</i>	Students	A. <b><u>Student COVID – 19 Stipends</u></b> (Spring 2020 Enrollment: 821) – <b><u>\$985.31 per student</u></b> 1. Purchasing of desktop computer, notepad, laptop compatible with online/teleconferencing features to access Moodle online courses. 2. Purchasing of mobile data or temporary internet access plans with internet service providers.	<b>\$808,943.00</b>

**COVID – 19 Institution Aid Reporting Template:**

**Note: CARES Act – Institution Aid Portion: \$808,942.00 (Received June 4, 2020)**

<b>Outcome(s)</b>	<b>Allocation</b>	<b>Description:</b>	<b>COVID – 19 Funding Allocation</b>
1. <i>Increase the number of <u>students/faculty</u> who have internet devices and access.</i>	Institution	A. Upgrading of desktop computers compatible with online/teleconferencing features for services congruent to the delivery of instruction.	<b>\$50,000.00</b>
		B. Upgrading of laptops compatible with online/teleconferencing features for services where employees are required to work-from-home.	<b>\$41,942.00</b>
		C. Purchasing of MiFi (Mobile WiFi) temporary internet access plans for employees/students in need of internet access.	<b>\$30,000.00</b>
2. <i>Communications that may require printed materials and additional equipment for new, returning, or continuing students.</i>	Institution	A. Purchasing of faculty online subscriptions for video-teleconferencing, classroom online interactive forums/chatrooms.	<b>\$30,000.00</b>
		B. Purchasing of external back-ups for laptops for faculty and student support staff while working from home.	<b>\$25,000.00</b>

		C. Upgrading of equipment that include external back-up drives, emergency phones, printing equipment, and scanning equipment.	\$50,000.00
3. <i>Allocate funding for airtime with local television network/media to ensure a consistent flow of information and as deemed necessary, schedules for online/site trainings and procedures.</i>	Institution	A. Faculty/Staff/student Training for online Teaching, Support, and Access.	\$25,000.00
		B. Purchasing of media airtime	\$10,000.00
		C. Online Internal Professional Training for Faculty, Staff, students.	\$30,000.00
4. <i>Increase the availability of online support, and materials for students and services</i>	Institution	A. Overtime for Administrative and Support online Services.	\$20,000.00
		B. Upgrading of communication systems that include the College's physical network infrastructure, Online Course Management Systems (MOODLE) services, online tutorials/multimedia software, and technical online support.	\$381,600.00
5. <i>Administrative support and Safety to ensure a safe working environment for all College personnel, and prevention of COVID – 19.</i>	Institution	A. Stipends for administrative technical and support staff that are required to work beyond normal work hours to provide online support for students.	\$50,000.00
		B. Purchasing of sanitizing supplies, soap dispensers, and disinfectant supplies.	\$65,400.00