

## Bois Forte Education COVID-19: CARES Act Funding

Letter to students from Bois Forte Education:

Boozhoo Student,

I hope this letter finds you in good health and good spirits.

Due to the recent COVID-19 pandemic, a majority of higher education institutions have decided to pursue the distant learning approach to continue offering classes.

A number of institutions have received funding from one of the higher education provisions of the CARES Act. Stipulations of this funding are that the school must use 50% for emergency grants to students, which can be used for things such as tech/devices to assist with distance learning. The Department of Education [announced](#) the first round of funding late last week.

In the event you are receiving this notice, I would like to encourage you to reach out to your Office of Student Finance to inquire further information regarding the CARES Act funding.

I hope this information is helpful, and you are able to take advantage of this opportunity.

Respectfully,

Leanne Hoffman  
*Education Programs Facilitator*  
Office: 218-757-3261  
Email: [lhoffman@boisforte-nsn.gov](mailto:lhoffman@boisforte-nsn.gov)

Resource:

U.S. Department of Education  
CARES Act: Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund  
<https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/caresact.html>