

Student Support During COVID-19

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Serving our Students Through Crisis

Communication

TCC announced college will move to remote learning/working

Financial Support

Foundation immediately created SOS campaign

Accessibility

Financial Aid purchased computers for students
Hot Spots provided to those with need

Technology

IT supported faculty and staff moving to an online environment with software and hardware



SOS Campaign Overview

Timeframe: March 30 – April 3, 2020

Goal: \$48,000

Focus on Three Critical Areas:

- 1) Food Fund
- 2) Virtual Learning Fund
- 3) General Emergency Fund



SOS Campaign Goals

Food

Provide grocery gift cards

Provide support to local restaurants

Virtual Learning

Provide 100 laptops

General Emergency

Provide General Relief Funds

Assist international students not eligible for CARES funds



SOS Campaign

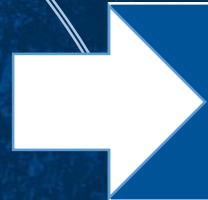
Total Funds Raised: \$52,500 (Including three large match gifts made at \$10,000 each)

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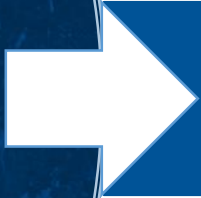
- ✓ \$17,000 to purchase 100 laptops
- ✓ \$17,500 to purchase gift cards
- ✓ \$8,000 to restock Talon's Food Pantry
- ✓ \$5,000 for rent, utilities, child-care
- ✓ \$5,000 aid to international students



SOS Campaign Moving Forward



Increase in Scholarship Dollars



Eagle Relief



Justin Dousa-Valdez Program (New)

Ongoing Academic & Student Support

Learning Commons

- Live Sessions
- SmarThinking

Library Services

- Phone, Email, Chat

Student Support

- Orientation
- Advising
- Case Management

Other Electronic Support



CARES Emergency Grants for Students

To date,
distributed
to 3,636
students
(\$2,017,000)

Distribution
underway
for
remaining
summer
(\$1,258,959)

Some (13%)
reserved for
fall semester
(\$524,041)



Utilization of Fees During Remote Learning

Financial Aid Fee

- Provides additional financial assistance to students for hardships
- Provides technology to students - 126 computers in spring semester

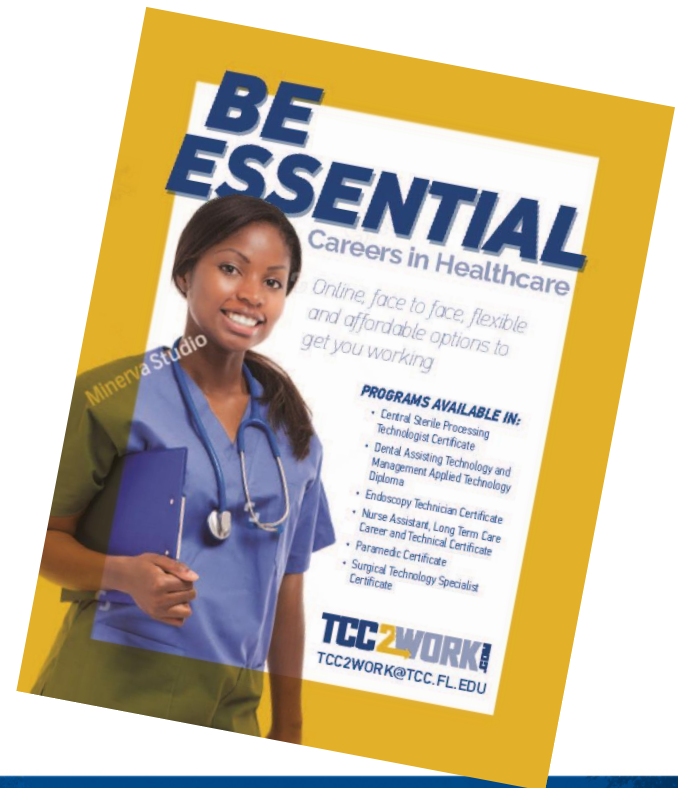
Student Activities Fee

- Supports mental health
- Supports direct service to students
- Continues to serve student clubs and organizations



New Programs & Initiatives

- Created “no cost” training opportunities targeting local residents and small businesses in an effort to assist with their adjustment to the “new normal”
- The “Be Essential” Campaign
- Jump Start program
- Summer Scholars program



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