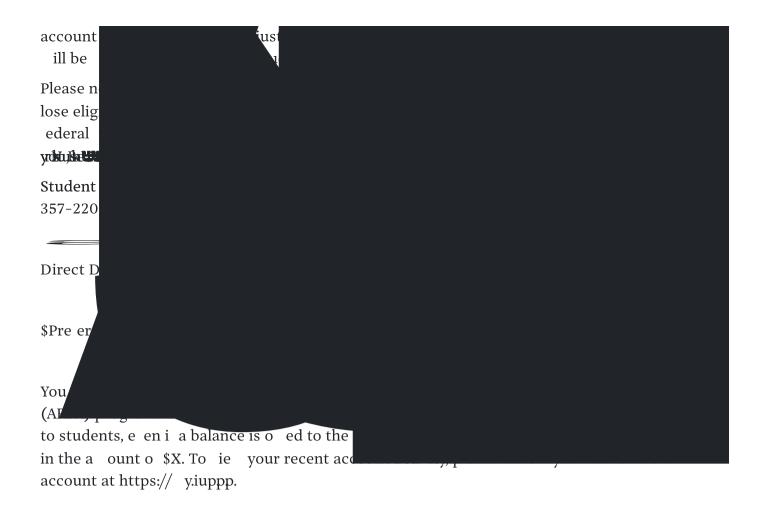
As o March 31, 2022, 11,059 IUP students have received an every financial aid grant under Section 2003 of the ARP Act. This number is ay increase as the university continues to process individual student every grants until unds are every handless.

The uni ersity has already a arded appro i ately \$2.25 illion o ARP unding to the Student Assistance Fund to support students ho e perience e ergent financial needs related to the pande ic. IUP students applied or these unds ia the online E ergency Response Fund/Student Assistance Fund appli



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The Uni ersity A erican Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Co ittee, co prised o representati es ro Student Affairs, Institutional Research, Uni ersity Ad ance ent, Financial Aid, Student Billing, and IT Ser ices, has created an initial distribution plan to pro ide assistance to students ro ARPA unds. IUP ill be distributing \$13,508,299 in ARPA unding to ore than 9,000 IUP students.

To quali y or the ARPA unds, students ust be enrolled in at least one class—either credit hour or clock hour. Students are encouraged to ha e a alid 2020–21 and 2021–22 Free Application or Feo

• Graduates: \$990 distribution

No application is necessary to recei e this unding. A ards to May graduates and students enrolled in su er school ill occur in early July. Fall a ards ill be ade in Septe ber (a ter drop/add).

ARPA unds ill not be applied to any student account balances; instead, unds ill be paid to students through direct deposit, i the student has signed up or this option through MyIUP, or by a check that ill be ailed to the student's address o record. Students ould like to use these unds to pay uni ersity charges can ake a pay ent directly to their student account ia EasyPay. Questions regarding pay ent to ards your uni ersity charges should be directed to the Student Billing office at student-billing@iup.edu.

\$2,257,839 illion has been allocated to the Student Assistance Fund to pro ide $\,$ onies to students ho ace financial hardships due to the pande $^{\rm t}$ d