



Oregon Institute of Technology

Fall Emergency Aid Application

Helping Owls Fund:

In partnership with the Oregon Tech Foundation, Oregon Tech has established the Helping Owls Fund with limited funds available to students who are facing financial hardships associated with wildfire loss. This fund is for Fall term 2020, and is designed for students experiencing financial difficulties and in need of emergency financial assistance.

Student Name:

Student ID:

Class Standing:

Date:

Please complete the following:

- Have you experienced financial hardship associated with recent wildfire damage or loss?

Please explain below and/or attach documentation.

- Will you be unable to afford to continue your education without additional support for fall term?
- Have you maxed out your loan eligibility for the 2020-2021 academic year?
- Are you in good academic standing?
- How much funding is necessary for you to sustain enrollment and meet other necessary financial obligations (rent, utilities, food) for the remainder of the term?

RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION BY EMAIL TO: dollars@oit.edu and Cc: tracey.lehman@oit.edu

Other Resources:

- **Emergency loans for students** for Fall Term have been increased from \$500 to \$1,000 and are available for all students affected by wildfires, this is effective immediately. Please see link to the emergency loan form located on the Cashier's Office website [here](https://www.oit.edu/faculty-staff/ba/ar/loans/emergency-loans). (<https://www.oit.edu/faculty-staff/ba/ar/loans/emergency-loans>)
- **The Bird Feeder** is available to provide open access to food to any student in need. The bird feeder provides no questions asked snacks and meals for all students and grocery gift cards for students who need additional assistance. Klamath Falls students - visit the first floor of the College Union, next to Campus Life. Portland Metro - contact Kim Faks to make arrangements at portland@oit.edu.

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