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HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!

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Second semester voucher requests and refunds

We're processing requests for the second semester, so please submit your requests. Also, if you have refunds please submit them so we can get the money redistributed.

Covenant Grant Program Update

Please review your 14-15 notification lists to make sure that you have added the Covenant grant to eligible students' financial aid packages. Also, please check any transfer students that may be eligible.

NOTIFICATION LIST 1415

Distributed Wednesday afternoons: December 3, 10, and 17. January 7, 14, 21, and 28.

AES LIST

Thursdays: December 12 January 7 and 21

VOUCHER PROCESSING

Tuesdays and Fridays for files uploaded by noon December 2, 5, 9, 12, 16, and 19. January 6, 9, 13, 16, 20, 23, 27 and 30.

There will be no voucher processed on the following days: Tuesday, December 23; Friday, December 28; Tuesday, December 30, or Friday, January 2.

<u>14 – 15 GRANTS UPDATES – COMMITTED</u>

	Current	This Time <u>Last Year</u>
Wisconsin Grant - PNP (W codes 07/18/2014)		
Committed	152.68%	141.51%
Spent	46.37%	45.73%
Wisconsin Grant - TR (W codes 07/18/2014)		
Committed	174.41%	137.58%
Spent	47.77 %	45.60%
Wisconsin Grant -UW		
Committed	138.00%	145.97%
Spent	56.19%	55.28%
<u>Wisconsin Grant - TC</u>		
Committed	150.87%	177.62%
Spent	61.25%	60.77%

UPCOMING EVENTS HEAB CLOSED FOR HOLIDAYS - December 24, 25, 31, 2014 and January 1, 2015.

Scheduled HEAB Board Meetings: February 13, 2015

2014 College Goal Wisconsin: February 7, 14, 21, 25, and 28, 2015.

HEAB Training Dates: January 15, 2015 and March 19, 2015

HEAB conducts one-day training programs for new and continuing financial aid administrators. The training session covers all aspects of the programs administered by HEAB, including:

Goals of State Aid; *Eligibility for State Aid*; The Notification List; *The Voucher Process;* Return of State Funds; *Submitting and Receiving Data to/from HEAB*; Overviews of the Individual HEAB Programs

The program begins at 10:00 a.m. and ends no later than 3:00 p.m. It is held at the HEAB offices at 131 W. Wilson St, Suite 902, Madison, WI. We have room for up to 6 people at each session. Please let us know if you are coming to training as materials are printed based on the number of people attending. To register for a session or for more information, please contact Nancy Wilkison at (608) 267-2213 or email her at <u>nancy.wilkison@wi.gov</u>.

Please contact me by phone at (608) 264-6181 or by email at <u>john.reinemann@wisconsin.gov</u> if you have any questions, concerns or comments. Thank you!