



Message to All OLLU Community

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Sent from President Melby (President's email box) to AnnouncementsAll

Spring Break extended through March 20 for students

Dear Students, Faculty and Staff,

Although there are currently no cases of COVID-19 in the OLLU community and the risk of infection remains low, the university is taking the following steps out of an abundance of caution and to minimize exposure to the OLLU community.

Spring break will be extended through March 20 for students in face-to-face classes. Fully online classes will meet as scheduled. All instruction will move to an online format beginning March 21.

SPECIAL NOTE FOR WEEKEND CLASSES MEETING MARCH 14-15: Academic Affairs will be contacting faculty teaching March 14 and 15 weekend classes with special instructions. Faculty will communicate with students via Blackboard about plans for classes on those days.

All OLLU campuses will remain open during this time and students can remain in the residence halls. Student services including dining, the library, computer labs and counseling services will remain open. Faculty and staff should report to work on campus.

OLLU will be prepared to maintain online instruction through April 14; however, students are asked to monitor communication from the university for updates or changes.

Additional Information

- At this time athletic events will continue as scheduled. Students, faculty, staff and visitors on campus are expected to follow social distancing measures recommended by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the World Health Organization, including maintaining a distance of at least three feet between individuals and practicing good hygiene.
- Everyone is reminded to wash hands frequently and practice "Clean Hands In/Clean Hands Out" when in high-touch areas such as computer labs, the cafeteria and other gathering spaces – meaning wash hands before entering these areas and wash hands after exiting.
- The OLLU House Keeping staff attended training this week and will be conducting heightened cleaning of high-touch areas.
- Anyone experiencing symptoms of the coronavirus (COVID-19) or who have people in their household experiencing symptoms should not come to campus until cleared by a physician.
REMINDER: According to university policy, parents/guardians should not bring ill children to campus.

If you have any questions or concerns, please email ert@ollusa.edu. Additional information and guidance will be communicated in the days to come via email messaging and the OLLU website.

Thank you for your cooperation as we prepare for this transition.