



A Message from the Chancellor

Dear Students:

As we start the busy second half of the semester and news of the Coronavirus remains a concern, I want to update you on OCC's plans to continue your ability to complete your coursework in the unlikely event OCC is required to close because of this virus.

Fortunately, we have not been directly impacted by the Coronavirus at OCC at this time. As a precaution, we have dedicated our efforts to developing plans for continued instruction if this virus were to impact our campuses. If it becomes necessary to close our campuses, your instructors will communicate with you to continue your coursework remotely until the College can be re-opened. We are also developing plans to continue the availability of our student support services.

I also want to remind you of our dedicated OCC Coronavirus webpage at <https://www.oaklandcc.edu/coronavirus/default.aspx>. This page has been designed so you have access to the latest information and resources regarding the Coronavirus. You can be confident our excellent faculty and staff are dedicated to your success and ensuring your academic plans are uninterrupted by this virus.

While we are committed to providing you with information and online resources to support your education, we also understand the need for flexibility based on individual circumstances. We want to assure you that you have options to continue your classwork in the event you become ill, so you can get well and not infect other students. If you are sick, please contact your instructor(s) to inform them about your illness and work out an appropriate plan.

The health and success of students is our top priority. We are monitoring the Coronavirus situation daily and reviewing our systems so you will be able to stay on track with your academic progress. If you have any questions regarding this plan or how OCC is dealing with the Coronavirus threat, please contact your instructor or visit our [Coronavirus web page](#) for additional contact information.

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