

Syllabi additions for all faculty related to COVID for your classes

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Faculty,

As most of us use Disability Services with our students, they updated the last line here to add to our syllabi for the fall. Best, David

Classroom and Campus Etiquette

- All students must take a self-health assessment regarding COVID 19 and symptoms (EVERY DAY) before coming to campus. You should carry evidence you have taken the quiz with you on campus.
- As you enter class, I may ask you to show me that you answered the questions on the self-health assessment as you enter the room.
- You are required to wear a face covering which covers your nose and mouth while on campus indoors at all times. This includes in the classroom. Wearing a face shield only is not sufficient for being in-class with faculty. Faculty may remove their face covering if at least 12 feet from students, but students are required to wear a face covering at all times. Students and faculty may wear both a face covering and a face shield when on campus.
- Face masks can't have holes in them. More information can be found here: [https://covid19.uccs.edu/sites/g/files/kjihxj1366/files/inline-files/On-Campus Face Covering Requirements and Compliance \(2\).pdf](https://covid19.uccs.edu/sites/g/files/kjihxj1366/files/inline-files/On-Campus Face Covering Requirements and Compliance (2).pdf)
- Students who do not wear a face covering when entering buildings and classrooms will be asked to leave.
- You are required to stay six feet away from your classmates, and staff and faculty at all times.
- **Faculty have the right to cancel a class** if there are students who do not observe 1) Answering the questions on the safety quiz, 2) wearing a face mask over their nose and mouth, 3) keeping proper social distance, and students who are visibly sick

Group Work in the Classroom

- Periodically you will be asked to engage in small group discussion in the classroom. Even in small groups, we must continue to wear face coverings and maintain social distance guidelines. In class, using Microsoft Teams and Canvas Collaboration tools including chat, whiteboard, and shared documents can enhance small group interaction while maintaining public health guidelines.

What should I do if I am sick?

- The student health center on campus can give you a rapid COVID 19 test if you have the symptoms of COVID 19. It only takes 15 minutes to get your results!
- If you're sick, even with a cold, please stay home to avoid spreading your illness.
- Isolate yourself from others if you are sick and seek medical care

Attendance and Missing quizzes, exams and activities due to illness

- Attendance will be taken at all in-person classes. This is in order to do contact tracing if needed.
- You may be excused from one class activity (quiz or exam, etc.) during the semester if ill. Please don't come to campus sick, even if it's not with COVID 19. Please let me know the day of the quiz or exam (or faculty can decide what's appropriate) before it starts, and I will average the scores of your other exams and quizzes and replace that score.
- If you have a long-term illness we will consider that on a case-by-case basis.

Helpful Sites

- UCCS website for COVID 19: <https://covid19.uccs.edu/>
- UCCS Health Center : <https://uccs.edu/recwellness/health-services>

Excel Centers

The Excel Centers (Communication, Languages, Mathematics, Science, and Writing) continue to provide students with outstanding academic support both in-person and remotely. For details, students should visit the [Excel Support](#) webpage.

Disability Services

Here's a link to the blurb they would like us to put in our Syllabi: <https://disability.uccs.edu/facultystaff/syllabus-statement>

Here is a link to more testing information:

<https://disability.uccs.edu/facultystaff/testing-accommodations>