

GLENVILLE STATE COLLEGE RE-OPENING PLAN SUMMARY:

As of July 15, 2020

The following measures will be used by Glenville State College in conjunction with the CDC's Plan, Prepare, and Respond effort related to COVID-19 as students return to on-campus residency and instruction for fall 2020. Questions regarding this summary should be emailed to returntocampus@glenville.edu.

While we at GSC wish to provide a controlled and safe environment, we will also strive to retain the sense of community and belonging that the campus has always been known for. This is demonstrated in the summary plan below. Additional information regarding athletics and other campus events is forthcoming and under careful consideration as we continue to make plans to reunite the Pioneer family this fall.

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

STUDENT & RESIDENT LIFE

OPERATIONS

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

- The fall semester will begin on Monday, August 17, 2020 with residential students arriving August 9-16.
- Fall Recess will be canceled.
- Classes will be held on campus through Friday, November 20.
- Students who leave for Thanksgiving Break will not return to campus following Thanksgiving Break. One week of online instruction will follow Thanksgiving Break (November 30 - December 4), with virtual final exams held December 7-11.
- The Spring 2021 calendar is currently under review.

CLASSROOM

- All in-person courses will abide by social distancing guidelines.
- Courses that may exceed gathering capacity will be split or offered in a hybrid format or online.
- Students expected to wear masks while in class or any group setting.
- Classroom entrances/exits will be modified for traffic flow.
- Selected labs will be held in person, while some will remain online.

TEACHING AND ADVISING

- To help meet classroom density guidelines, GSC will provide in-person, online, and hybrid-flex classes.
- Advising will be conducted remotely whenever possible.
- Study abroad has been canceled for the fall semester.
- Academic Success Center and Student Support Services will be open with multiple formats to help meet the needs of students.

OFF-CAMPUS AND COMMUTER STUDENTS (OC & CS)

- Prior to the start of fall semester classes on August 17, **ALL STUDENTS** (returning and new) will be expected to have a PCR-based COVID-19 test completed with results within one week prior to arrival on campus (the results from this test will be needed upon arrival at campus).
- OC & CS will adhere to the same guidelines set forth for residential students.
- New OC & CS will be assigned a check in time for Friday, August 14 and must attend New Student Orientation from August 14-16.
- Returning OC & CS will check in on August 15-16.
- COVID-19 rapid antigen-based testing will be required for all OC & CS at check in.

RESIDENCE LIFE

- Prior to the start of fall semester classes on August 17, **ALL STUDENTS** (returning and new) will be expected to have a PCR-based COVID-19 test completed with results within one week prior to arrival on campus (the results from this test will be needed upon arrival at campus).
- Rooms will be assigned following traditional configurations (i.e., assigning two students to double rooms and one student per single room).
- Students will be assigned a move-in date/time (between August 9 and August 16) allowing all students to safely move in over a 7 day period.
- COVID-19 rapid antigen-based testing will be required for all students upon arrival.
- Masks will be available for students and must be worn in all common areas.
- Cleaning supplies will be provided for students.
- Weekly clean/disinfect room checks will be conducted.
- Common areas/elevators will be disinfected twice daily.
- NO non-residential guests will be allowed in residential facilities until further notice.
- NO overnight guests will be allowed.

HEALTH & WELLNESS

- Expanded Health Services will be available (MCCC Room 137).
- Expanded Mental Health Services will be available (Health & PE Building Room 206).
- Fitness areas will operate with modified hours with occupancy restrictions.

ACTIVITIES

- Programs and activities are in development that will allow students to come together virtually and in small groups to help create a sense of community.
- Student organizations and clubs will be provided guidelines for conducting meetings and activities.
- *All students will be required to have fun.*

OCCUPANCY

- Plans are being developed to manage occupancy in larger areas.

CLEANING

- All high-touch areas will be disinfected using products approved by the CDC.
- Modifications to classrooms and other facilities may include Plexiglas dividers and traffic flow indicators.

DINING SERVICES

- Dining operations will include social distancing for lines and seating with expanded offerings for "To Go" meals.
- Self-serve offerings will be suspended with more pre-packaged offerings.

TRANSPORTATION

- Campus shuttles will continue to operate but guidelines are under review.
- Social distancing guidelines for all transportation methods are in development.

FACILITIES

- Access to campus facilities may be affected by hours of operation and occupancy rates.
- Facilities may be available for outside use at the discretion of the College.

VISITING GUESTS

- NO unregistered and unscreened off-campus guests will be allowed on campus.

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES

- Students are required to self-report all out-of-state travel.
- Students are expected to adhere to all COVID-19 sanitation precautions put in place by GSC and the State of WV.