

Sent on behalf of Dr. Dennis McNaboe, Dean of Student Affairs



Office of Student Affairs

July 16, 2020

Dear Salem Students,

As the Health & Safety Committee continues to plan for your arrival, it requires modifications for our Fall move in schedule. We have worked hard to minimize any disruptions to you, so please let us know if you have any questions or concerns.

These changes include:

- Salem University is partnering with the Harrison County Health Department and WVU Hospitals to provide COVID-19 testing to all students at the start of the Fall semester. Details to be announced by July 31.
- **All athletes** will undergo daily health screenings prior to athletic activities to consist of:
 - Temperature Check
 - Symptom Check
 - Contact Check
 - If an athlete has a fever and symptoms, he/she will be isolated, quarantined and/or tested for COVID-19. More details to follow.
- **All students** will have a daily temperature check conducted prior to entering classrooms, cafeteria or other high traffic areas.
- All staff and faculty will have a daily temperature check conducted when arriving on campus, prior to entering classrooms, and prior to entering high traffic areas.
- Salem's Office of International Affairs has developed the attached return to campus plan for international students. If you have specific questions, please contact Florin Marton, Director of International Affairs, FMarton@salem.edu or Dennis McNaboe, Dean of Student Affairs, DMcNaboe@salem.edu
- Building entrances and exits will be clearly designated and marked to allow for proper social distancing. Please be aware of and follow directional notices on doorways and floors.
- Changes discussed in our July 1 letter remain in place.

Each student, staff and faculty member is expected to take the proper steps to stay safe. These include social distancing, mask-wearing, and handwashing. Everyone must accept personal responsibility and accountability.

Please be patient and flexible. Plans will continue to evolve, but together, we will have a great fall and beyond.

This upcoming academic year will be different, however we are doing everything possible to be ready for your arrival. Your health and safety will always be our top priority and we look forward to helping you achieve your academic goals.

Here is a link to [“Salem Helpful Hints”](#). To review the most up to date “COVID-19 FAQ” visit www.salemu.edu. To schedule the shuttle for your return to campus, please visit <https://doodle.com/poll/849xdccyesuay6m6>

If you have any questions please contact Dennis McNaboe, Dean of Student Affairs, at DMcNaboe@salemu.edu or call/text 304-678-6608.