PRIORITIZING INCLUSION AND MUTUAL RESPECT

The unavoidable disruptions from the coronavirus have heightened stresses for UM students, instructors, and families. Creating an inclusive, mutually supportive, uplifting, and respectful learning community is more critical now than ever before. As we shift to online learning, we need all of us to commit to fostering learning environments that value diversity, inclusion and equity.

During this time of heightened anxiety and swift transition for our community, we must reject online behavior that vilifies, demeans, or disrespects others. COVID-19 is not specific to any ethnicity, race, or community – this infection does not discriminate. It is important that all members of our community feel included and supported. Students, faculty, and staff who experience harassment or discrimination are encouraged to complete a Bias Incident Report Form.

Available Campus Resources

The University of Mississippi and the Center for Inclusion and Cross Cultural Engagement want to support you during the transition to online learning. The University has developed a website, Keep Learning, that includes information on how to get started, remote learning, and academic, technological, and support services information. Please visit often for updates.

Additional Resources:
Student Health Services
UM Food Bank
IT HelpDesk
Counseling Center

Tips For Adjusting To Remote Learning

- Stay informed. Click here for the latest University updates related on COVID - 19.
- If you can, set up a dedicated work/study area.
- Schedule regular times to complete your schoolwork.
- Check your email and the communication channel your instructors set up with you at least once a day.
- Have a question? Ask, don’t guess! Contact your instructor using the communication channel they established.
- Use a calendar to keep track of deadlines. Stay on schedule.
- Stay engaged with your classmates. You can still do tutoring sessions, study groups, and group work in an online environment.
- Remember, you are not alone!

Stay Connected

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