STAY CONNECTED thru Spring 2020

WESTERN Wyoming Community College
Campus Security

• Protective Services’ officers will remain on campus as usual. Should you have an issue that needs their assistance, please contact 307-922-4961.

Wellbeing & Accessibility

Counseling and Accessibility Services

• Counseling services will be available via Zoom or another online platform. Please contact Wellbeing & Accessibility @ wellaccess@westernwyoming.edu or call 307-382-1652 to request an appointment.
• For students in crisis, after hours, please contact Protective Services @ 307-922-4961. Protective Services will contact our counseling staff.
• Disability support services are still available.
• More information is available on the Wellbeing and Accessibility, the Disability Services, and the YOU@westernwyoming.edu MyWestern portal pages.

Mustang Central

• All Mustang Central services will remain available as usual, even though the building is closed. You can call or text Mustang Central with questions at 307-371-8852.
• Mustang Central – mustangcentral@westernwyoming.edu
• Registration and Records – registration@westernwyoming.edu
• Financial Aid – financialaid@westernwyoming.edu
• Admissions – admissions@westernwyoming.edu
• Housing – housing@westernwyoming.edu
Housing

• All students were asked to be out of the residence halls by no later than March 30, 2020. The only exception to this was for those residents who have extraordinary, extenuating situations, such as international students. Only those residents with an exception can now access the residence halls.
  • Student IDs – if students who can remain in housing need a replacement Student ID access card, please contact Housing at housing@westernwyoming.edu
  • After March 30, only those residents with exceptions will be able to access the residence halls.
  • If you have not already done so, please make plans to move out by the March 30 deadline. Please email your expected move-out plans to housing@westernwyoming.edu.

Student Life

• Student Life will continue to provide virtual events that will allow students to engage and have fun throughout the rest of the semester. Please connect with Western’s Student Life by following us on Instagram at Western Wyoming Community College and on Facebook at Western Housing & Student Life. Check out the weekly Panorama email sent to your Western email.
  • Student IDs – if students who are allowed to remain in housing are in need of a replacement Student ID card, please contact Housing at housing@westernwyoming.edu.
  • All student events this semester have been canceled in face-to-face formats. Some of those events, such as club meetings and SGA meetings may move forward in a virtual environment.
  • The Exercise Science Fitness Center is closed until the end of the Spring semester.

Student Technology Needs

• All technology needs are being handled through our IT department. Students with technology needs should call 307-382-1676.
• We want to ensure all students have the tools necessary to transition from in-person courses to virtual courses. There are options available for those without Internet access or computers. Please visit MyWestern portal, https://mywestern.westernwyoming.edu/SitePages/TechnologyAssistance.aspx
Dining Services (Sodexo/Mitchell’s)

• Mitchell’s has moved to a Grab ‘n Go operation like all of the restaurants in Wyoming. Those few remaining housing students will be allowed into the building through the door (#22) between Rocky and the ramp by security during breakfast, lunch, and dinner times.
• During mealtimes, students will also be able to access their mailboxes. They will be escorted by security to and from their mailbox by the pendulum.
• Please remember the state’s social distancing plan while grabbing your food, while in the main building, and while in residence halls.

 Mustang Success

• Registration for current students will begin April 20th.
• Advising services will be available via phone, email, and zoom.
• In order to schedule an appointment, email mustangsuccess@westernwyoming.edu or call 307-382-1660 M-F between 8am and 5pm.
• To request an appointment, please leave your name, number, student ID, and what advising transactions you need to complete. Please provide the same information if you call and need to leave a message.
• Please be reminded that when we call you back, it may not be from a College number.
Athletics

• All athletic activities have been canceled by both the NJCAA and by Western. This includes all spring seasons, practices, weights, and on campus events.
• Current student-athletes are still responsible for workouts assigned by their coaches.
• Coaches will still be in contact with current student-athletes regarding study hours and progress reports.
• Please contact the Athletic Director, Dr. Lu Sweet, or your specific coach with any other athletic-related questions via their email addresses or cell phone numbers, which you should already have.

Children’s Center

• Because we have closed the physical campus, students will receive prorated reimbursements to their child’s account.
• Personal belongings will be left at the Children’s Center until further notice.
• We plan to have a Turtle graduation at a later date.
• Summer and Fall registration information will be available soon.

GEAR UP

• GEAR UP will continue to have contact with students through text.
Tutoring
• NetTutor is available within your Canvas courses for live tutoring on a variety of subjects, as well as the ability to ask a question to receive an answer later or to turn in an essay or paper for feedback.
• Western’s Peer Tutor Center offers online tutoring through Zoom video conferencing. You can schedule an appointment with a tutor during regular business hours by emailing snewberg@westernwyoming.edu.
• Include your class and the teacher in your email. Please make your request at least 24 hours in advance.

Library and Research
• While the library is closed, librarians are available on-demand to assist you with your research needs.
• Live chat your librarians at https://tinyurl.com/v5lkwls or send your questions about research to library@westernwyoming.edu.
• Research tutorials are available.
• To access online resources including documentary films, eBooks, scholarly journals, and newspaper and magazine articles, follow these steps:
  • Log in to MyWestern>select the Library icon>choose the Databases icon. Use the A-Z directory or dropdown menus to find a relevant database, or use this Basic Guide to Research to discover some of the library’s most popular databases.
  • Get up-to-date information about additional Hay Library resources and services at facebook.com/hitthehay, or @haylibrary.

College and Career Readiness
• College and Career Readiness courses are being held through Zoom.
• ABE courses are M-TH from 9-1 for current students.
• ABE night lab is T & TH from 6-8 by appointment for current students.
• ESL non-credit day courses are M-TH from 9-10:30 for current students.
• ESL night courses are T & TH from 6:30-8:30 for current students.
• Outreach sites are by appointment for current students.
• HiSET testing will be on hold until May 18th.
• Students may contact Danette Winn at 382-1829 or email at dwinn@westernwyoming.edu for more information.
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For inquiries regarding non-discrimination policies, please contact Dr. Philip Parnell, Vice President for Student Services, 2500 College Drive, Rock Springs, Wyoming 82901, (307) 382-1748.