

May 1, 2020

RE: Best Wishes for Finals Week and the End of the Academic Year

Dear Students,

As we near the end of the spring 2020 semester, we want to congratulate you on your perseverance and strength as you have navigated the changes caused by the worldwide Coronavirus pandemic. When you departed for spring break, it was almost unimaginable that you would not be returning to campus. To safeguard everyone's health and safety, University Administration followed guidance from the Chancellor's Office and Governor and transitioned to remote instruction for the remainder of this semester. We are truly proud of the way that our entire University Community has responded, as everyone has worked as a team to make remote instruction a reality and support you, our students. You and your peers responded by rising to every challenge. In addition to attending classes remotely, you are defending honors theses, presenting papers, performing at musical auditions and sharing art portfolios digitally. We are in awe of your resilience!

As we approach the finish line, and afterward, please reach out to your department chairs, the Counseling Center, your Academic Advisement faculty, the Tutoring Center and beyond for support and guidance. Refer back to MU's Coronavirus [webpage](#) when you have questions; it will continue to be updated regularly with new FAQs and information.

Please be reminded that you have the opportunity to receive Pass/Fail grades in any or all of your spring 2020 classes. If you wish to select the Pass/Fail option, you will need to submit your request through an electronic form that will be available in your Max account on Friday, May 15. The form will allow you to request a change to the assigned letter grade of D- or better you received in a course to a "P." The deadline to submit your requests is 5 p.m. on Friday, May 22. If you choose not to submit requests for Pass/Fail grades by this deadline, you will receive the letter grade earned in the course. Full information is available [here](#).

Finally, given the uncertainty surrounding the length of time it will take to reopen the campus, the University has determined that all summer session courses will be offered exclusively through remote instruction. To register, please visit Millersville.edu/summer.

We wish you the best of luck with your final exams, projects, papers and theses. Congratulations for finishing what may have been the most unique spring semester ever experienced at Millersville University!

Sincerely,

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