

August 3, 2020

Meredith community,

The start of the Fall semester is right around the corner, and we are looking forward to kicking off a great year in a few short weeks. While the semester will be different, we are strong and resilient and can rely on each other to help students continue to pursue a college degree that, regardless of major, will be in high demand in the years to come. Here are a few things that you need to keep in mind in these last weeks of preparation for the start of the new semester.

Patience, Flexibility and Vigilance

Since last March, circumstances surrounding Covid-19 have required us all to overcome challenges, adjust to new daily routines, and adopt new health, safety, and wellness practices. For most of us, the new semester will present new challenges and adaptations as well as more changes to our daily routines. Remember to be patient and flexible with each other as we all work to manage our new realities on campus and beyond. Please also be vigilant about adhering to the requirements outlined in the [College's Community Standards](#) to help ensure the health and safety of our community.

Class Schedules for Returning Students

Thanks to the hard work of Meredith's enrollment team, class schedules are now available in WebAdvisor for all students. Returning students who have questions about their schedules or who need to schedule adjustments should contact their faculty adviser.

Class Schedules & Resources for New First-Year Students

The Class of 2024 received an [email from the first year enrollment team](#) with information about accessing their fall schedules as well as FAQs answering common questions related to those schedules.

We have also put together a special web resource designed to help welcome new first-year students. Visit meredith.edu/welcome for blog posts, a video playlist, orientation links, and other resources created especially to help ensure a smooth transition to college life at Meredith.

Campus Clear App Soft Launch

Last week's briefing announced plans for students, employees, and visitors to use the free [Campus Clear app](#) to self-screen for Covid-19 symptoms. This week, we will begin a phased roll out of this process with employees. **Starting on Wednesday, Aug. 5, any employee who plans to come to campus should log into Campus Clear daily to answer a question about their symptoms.** Employees will need to show their Campus Clear "Good to Go" screen to Campus Police at the Hillsborough Street guardhouse. For the full announcements about the Campus Clear app and the phased rollout, visit the links below
<https://www.meredith.edu/news/meredith-to-use-campusclear-app-for-covid-19-self-screenings>
<https://www.meredith.edu/assets/images/content/campus-clear-app-phased-roll-out.pdf>

Please practice patience and allow some additional time to enter campus as Campus Police transitions to this new system. More information about the student roll out will be sent via email.

As always, thanks for your careful attention to each of our Fall 2020 email updates. We continue to carefully monitor the latest guidance related to Covid-19 and adjust plans accordingly. Check your Meredith email and visit meredith.edu/staying-strong for the most up-to-date information.

Stay Strong,

Jo Allen, '80, and the Executive Leadership Team

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