

Fast Facts Guide for Returning to Campus

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Our top priority continues to be preserving the health and safety of our students, faculty, staff and their families, while keeping our students on the path to meeting their graduation and career goals.

SAFETY REQUIREMENTS:

- Face masks must be worn on campus and in the classroom.
- Six-feet of physical distancing must be maintained whenever possible. Follow campus signage and floor markings in public spaces.
- Good hygiene (specifically frequent hand washing) is a critical shared responsibility.
- Students must complete the **COVID-19 Check-In Form** on Medaille 360 or Blackboard before coming to campus each day (or before leaving the residence hall).
- Students should monitor their health on a daily basis for symptoms of COVID-19, and notify the Student Health Center at (716) 880-2155 or healthservices@medaille.edu if they exhibit symptoms, test positive or have had close contact with someone with a suspected diagnosis in the last 14 days.
- Students (with smartphones) are required to install the Fletch contact tracing app (made by SmartyPants) from the App Store (iOS) or the Google Play Store (Android), and should create an account.



unable to attend class due to COVID-19 or who are in vulnerable populations. These requests should be directed to the Office of Accessibility Services at (716) 880-3088 or access@medaille.edu.

RESIDENCE HALLS, DINING SERVICES & OTHER PRECAUTIONS:

- The Office of Residence Life will communicate with resident students regarding when and how they may move into their residence hall. The move-in process will happen in phases this year, and students will require an appointment to ensure appropriate physical distancing.
- There will be fewer seats and adjusted table spacing in the Sullivan Center dining room to accommodate physical distancing. Both the service and dining areas will be sanitized frequently.
- The campus is being cleaned on a daily basis, and all surfaces are wiped down with Virex (a quaternary-based disinfectant proven to kill germs). Classrooms and common areas will be stocked with hand sanitizer for student use, as well as Performex RTU, a disinfectant cleaner that meets CDC standards for effectiveness against viruses including COVID-19.
- The Medaille College Student Health Center will have COVID-19 self-collection kits, provided by Quest Laboratory, available for students to take back to their residence and perform with the assistance of a telemedicine visit.
- Students, faculty and staff can also call the Erie County Department of Health hotline at (716) 858-2929 for information on free COVID-19 testing options.



CLASSES:

- Maximum capacities of classrooms will be reduced to 50%, per New York State mandate. Faculty will survey students and will communicate about attendance requirements.
- The College has made upgrades to remote-learning technology as a means to supplement classroom learning and allow for accommodations for vulnerable populations.
- As the fall semester approaches, students should check their emails regularly for course updates from individual professors with pertinent information for each class.
- Remote learning via live-streams and other accommodations will be made for students who are

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