

Subject: Your Coronavirus Preparedness Questions Answered – June 25, 2020
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Greetings!

We recognize the remote instruction experience may have been completely new for many of you, and we are grateful that you have hung in there with us to reach your goals.

As you may know, we use [real images of students and employees](#) to demonstrate the personality and experiences at HACC.

By June 30, we are seeking written and video testimonials from students who were hesitant, scared or worried about taking a remote instruction class, but overcame these feelings after starting the class.

If this sounds like you, please:

1. Choose at least one of these options to share your testimonial:
 - a. Create a video (using the guidelines on our [webpage](#))
 - b. Submit a written testimonial **and** image of yourself (using the guidelines on our [webpage](#))
2. Share the following information in your video and/or written testimonial:
 - a. What were your feelings when you learned that your class was going to be remote instruction?
 - b. How did you overcome your feelings?
 - c. What was your experience like?
 - d. What do you think of remote instruction now?
 - e. What would you say to others who may be hesitant or confused about remote instruction?
 - f. What tips would you share?
3. Complete the #HACCtogether [online form](#) by **June 30**

As you have come to expect, following are the commonly asked questions and our responses to them. Please note that some of these responses are tentative and subject to change.

If you have additional questions and you do not see the answers on the [website](#), please submit the online form located on the website. Please see the webpage section called “Information for Students.”

We will continue to update you regularly via email and the aforementioned website.

Thank you!

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- 1. I am currently signed up for a SOC201 class for the fall 2020 semester. This class is scheduled for every Thursday from 6-9:30 p.m. at the Lancaster Campus. Since all campuses will be closed through Dec. 31, will the in-person class be changed to virtual or will it be deleted because it was scheduled to be held at the Lancaster Campus?**

Classes that are currently scheduled for a specific day on a campus will be held via remote instruction during the scheduled time over Zoom. We are working to update the schedule to include that the class will be held remotely via Zoom.

- 2. I have questions about placement testing. Who can I ask?**

Please join us for an interactive one-hour Zoom session about studying at HACC:

Date: July 2, 2020

Time: 2 p.m.

Zoom Link: [Zoom information is redacted for security purposes.]

We will walk through [placement testing](#) and registration processes to continue YOUR educational journey.

A variety of HACC experts will be available to answer questions and help you through the process.

- 3. My child will soon be attending college. Where can I get more information about scholarships?**

We care about you, your child and your finances. The [HACC Foundation](#) offers FREE money to HACC students. The next [scholarship cycle](#) begins on Aug. 3 for the spring 2021 semester.

For more tips on finding scholarships for your child, please view the webinar, “[Scholarship Search Secrets \(for parents/guardians\)](#),” provided by PSECU.

PSECU’s Financial Education Center at HACC is available for virtual office hours by phone or Zoom. Please contact Jennifer Nicrone, PSECU community manager, at jnicrone@psecu.com to schedule an appointment.

Please **do not** include personal information (such as your bank account number and social security number) in your email message.

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