



ELMIRA COLLEGE

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

EC Community Update
June 24, 2020

Dear EC Community,

All College offices will reopen on Monday, June 29. Employees should report to the Clarke Health Center for an initial screening upon returning to campus. The CHC is open 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday - Friday.

Students, you will receive specific information related to your return to campus from the Office of Residence Life as move-in dates get closer. Student-athletes, information will be coming from your coaches. All students should continue to check their email over the summer for updates.

A reminder that the Reopening Guidelines are posted on elmira.edu/soaring-forward. NYS released their guidelines for reopening higher education on June 20, and we will continue to update our guidelines to reflect the latest guidance from state and local government.

Office of Admissions Begins Campus Tours

Campus tours resume next week on Monday June 29. In accordance with New York State guidelines and with health and safety in mind, the following applies to all tours:

- All campus visitors will have their temperature taken and if any member of the party has a temperature above 99.9 degrees fahrenheit, no one in the group will be permitted to go on tour.
- Masks/facial coverings are required when indoors or when social distancing is not feasible.
- All students and guests must be pre-registered, no walk-ins will be permitted.

A tent will be set up in the backyard of the Admissions House for counselors to meet with families to reduce traffic in the Admissions House. Each tour time is limited to one family (student and two guests max).

CARES Act Reminder

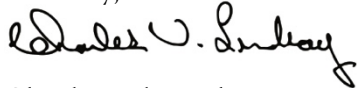
Students, a reminder that funding from the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund portion of the CARES Act is available to support emergency aid for students. Eligible expenses include food, housing, course materials, technology, health care, child care, and other similar expenses that are specifically due

to the disruption of campus operations for the coronavirus pandemic. To be considered for funding, please review the criteria in the application on [MyEC](#) and return the completed application to caresactaid@elmira.edu.

Commencement

Another survey was sent to graduating students from the Registrar's Office on June 21. If you have not yet responded, please take time to do so ([click here](#)). A final decision on Commencement will be made no later than July 7.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Chuck W. Lindsay". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "C" and a stylized "L".

Chuck Lindsay, PhD
President