

ELMIRA COLLEGE

FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION

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Dear EC Community,

New York State Electric & Gas (NYSEG) informed us yesterday afternoon that they will be testing their electrical grid near campus on Friday, February 2. As a result, **campuswide electricity will be turned off between 6:30 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. on Friday, and remain off until NYSEG completes their work, which could be one hour to all day.**

Therefore, **all on-campus classes will be canceled and offices closed on Friday, 2/2.** The Campus Center will not have power, but it will be open all day for students to gather. Emerson and GTL will reopen once the electricity is restored.

All off-campus classes, such as nursing clinicals, internships, practicums, and student teaching will take place.

Please keep in mind that the following will not be available/functioning on campus while the electricity is out:

- Lights
- Toilets
- Showers, sinks, and water fountains
- Campus Wireless
- EC Share Drives
- 1855 Room
- Dining Hall - Limited *Grab & Go* options will be available in the Dining Hall for breakfast and lunch (if power isn't restored by then).

As soon as testing is complete and EC's electricity is back up, a text alert will be sent to the campus community. To ensure you're signed up for the alerts, [log into the alert system](#) and confirm that your information is correct. The log-in information for registration is your Elmira College email address and secure password.

Students: check email or Canvas announcements by Thursday for any course instructions from your faculty. Student-athletes should check with their coaches to see how this might affect practice or competition schedules.

Employees: check with your supervisor on how this affects your schedule.

This email and any updates will also be posted to the [homepage of MyEC](#).

Thank you for your patience and understanding while we work through this NYSEG testing period.

Sincerely,

Kyle Gilbert
Vice President, Finance & Administration