

Dear Students, Parents, and Families,

In concert with the Governor's directive, ESF has determined the College will provide virtual instruction through the end of the Spring 2020 semester. Given this decision, we urge those students remaining in Centennial Hall who can depart campus for home to consider doing so as soon as possible. We understand that for some students leaving the Syracuse campus will pose additional challenges. For instance, international travel adds complications; other students may not have safe housing and dining options elsewhere; and we recognize that some students have limited or no access to technology. We will make every effort to support students to the best of our ability during this challenging time. Students who are requesting to stay on campus should use the form below to communicate their specific circumstances so we can determine how best to support you.

We will continue to assist our students in staying healthy and getting home as soon as they can, wherever possible. If you have additional questions, please call the Office of Student Affairs at 315-470-6660.

Since residential classes will not resume for the rest of the semester, how will I remove my possessions from Centennial Hall?

To ensure a safe and orderly process for students to retrieve personal belongings and to remain in compliance with public health and social distancing best practices, Centennial Hall is developing a staggered move-out schedule for residents. Please use sign-up genius: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050848ADA72AA57-moving> to sign up for a time slot. You may NOT visit campus outside of your scheduled time. Families who are unable to retrieve belongings may complete the storage form: <https://forms.gle/G7eXBJte84YHVvt29> to request that your items be packed and stored for future retrieval.

What if I can't leave campus?

Wherever possible, students should depart campus. Students who cannot leave campus due to extreme circumstances may apply to stay on campus:

<https://forms.gle/NYUxFQkimZkES4rn9> . We ask that these students apply to stay in on-campus housing immediately.

Be advised that given recent restrictions imposed by New York State, for the foreseeable future, Syracuse University dining centers (Shaw and Sadler) will provide grab-and-go food items only. Public safety and emergency services will continue to be available.

If I am currently traveling somewhere during spring break that's not home, can I return to campus?

No. Students who have left campus for spring break are not permitted to return to campus to complete the Spring 2020 semester. Families can make arrangements to retrieve belongings or request that their belongings be packed and stored for future retrieval, by completing this form: <https://forms.gle/G7eXBJte84YHVvt29>.