Dear [Student Name],

Welcome back from Spring Break! I hope you had the chance to recharge. I have a few updates to share.

<u>ACM will no longer require individuals to wear face masks indoors in the presence of others</u>. This decision, effective immediately, is based on local COVID-19 data and current guidance from the <u>CDC</u>. If our region experiences a surge in cases, it's possible that a masking mandate will be reinstated.

## Choose what works for you.

- You may elect to wear a mask on campus. The choice is yours.
- Please be respectful of others and their choices.

## Report and protect.

COVID-19 isn't over. To protect you, your family and friends, and our community, we continue to <u>require</u> everyone to:

- <u>Self-check</u> for symptoms daily.
- Attestations and sign-in procedures for case management remain in place.
- Report symptoms, exposure, and positive COVID-19 tests immediately by calling 301-784-5061 or emailing <u>covidreports@allegany.edu</u>. You may be asked to stay away from campus.
- Contact your instructors if you're asked to stay home.
- Continue to social distance and follow our existing <u>COVID-19 mitigation measures</u>.

## Keep achieving, Trojan.

Use your return from Spring Break to reset and work towards your graduation plan.

- Get extra help through <u>Learning Commons</u> services like Study Labs, in-person and online tutoring, the RAWC, and more.
- Connect with <u>Academic Access & Disability Services</u> to access accommodations and resources.
- <u>Assess</u> your current needs and learn about available support options.
- Register, beginning Monday, April 4, for *summer session* classes (full-term or shorter A and B terms) or the *fall semester*. Contact the <u>Advising Center</u> at 301-784-5654 or <u>jengelbach@allegany.edu</u> if you have questions.

Warm regards,

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