

Dear Faculty,

I hope that your semester is going well! I am so proud of how you all have remained resilient and committed to making sure that our students have a successful student experience this semester.

The main purpose of my email is to inform you that the Spring 2021 Classroom guidelines have been approved by the Emergency Response Team (ERT) and are now available on the [semo.edu/covid19](https://semo.edu/covid19) website. The guidelines can be accessed directly at this link <https://semo.edu/sealerts/pdf/10-22-20Spring2021Face-to-FaceInstructionalGuidelines.pdf>

Please review the entire document. Significant updates include:

- *Eating in the classroom and indoor instructional spaces is not permitted. (see page 4 of guidelines for complete language)*
- *Modes of delivery are updated to include five types of mixed formats.*
- *The classroom occupancy list is updated with the seating capacity when social distancing*
- *For information regarding testing, contract tracing and who to contact in those cases, the document provides links to specific information on the website.*

Thank you for your continued diligence with providing a safe learning environment. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Kind regards,  
Mike



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