

Alabama A&M University
COVID-19 Response Notice to Students Regarding Spring 2021

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Dear Students,

I hope this correspondence finds you well. To promote health and safety on campus as part of our comprehensive Spring 2021 planning, all Alabama A&M University students residing on campus or coming to campus for classes are required to be tested for COVID-19 as outlined below.

Residential Students

- Complete the GuideSafe Healthcheck daily beginning January 1, 2021(available in Banner SSO).
- Upon checking-in (beginning January 16th), students must provide a paper copy of a negative COVID-19 PCR test administered on or after January 6, 2021. Students testing positive may not return to campus until a negative test is received. Please notify the Student Health Center of positive results by email at studenthealth@aamu.edu.
- Upon check-in, students will receive a rapid COVID-19 test. Please note that students residing within a 200-miles radius testing positive at check-in, displaying COVID-19 symptoms, or in direct contact with a positive individual will be asked to return home for his/her isolation/quarantine period. Student may return to campus after a negative test is received.

Students may check-in from January 16, 2021 – January 18, 2021 at the AAMU Wellness Center Gymnasium, between 8:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Note, the Housing Department must pre-approve all delayed move-ins – please contact them at housing@aamu.edu.

Commuter Students

- Complete GuideSafe Healthcheck daily beginning January 1, 2021(available in Banner SSO).
- Must provide the Student Health Center with a paper copy of a negative COVID-19 PCR test administered on or after January 6, 2021 or within 10-days of visiting campus, whichever comes first. Students testing positive, displaying COVID-19 symptoms, or in direct contact with a positive

individual may not return to campus until a negative test is received. Please notify the Student Health Center by email at studenthealth@aamu.edu.

Remember, when you arrive to Alabama A&M University:

- Cloth face coverings are required on campus (approved colors: grey, maroon, black or white).
- Follow university and CDC guidelines
- Practice six-foot physical distancing.
- Wash your hands or use hand sanitizer as needed.
- Complete the GuideSafe Healthcheck daily.

Best,

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