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Subject: COVID-19 Safety Reminder - Protect yourself and others while on campus
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Dear Student,

TU Dublin has measures in place to ensure our campuses are safe for our University community, and we continue to need your help as we learn to live with the risk of COVID-19. With that in mind, here is a quick reminder of your key responsibilities as a member of the TU Dublin community:

- **The most important rule to remember is if you are feeling unwell, have any [symptoms of COVID-19](#), or have been advised that you should self-isolate - you cannot enter any TU Dublin campus. You should contact your GP or the Student Health Centre immediately to arrange a test.**
- If you experience symptoms on campus, here is a [quick guide](#) on what you should do. Take a snapshot of this PDF and save it to your phone, as you will never know when you might need it.
- **Face-coverings* are mandatory in all indoor spaces on campus**, including common student areas, lecture halls, libraries, labs, studios, kitchens, locker rooms and gyms. The only time you are permitted to remove your mask is to eat and drink. A face-covering is not necessary outdoors, but please exercise caution in any crowded areas
- Read [this guide](#) to make sure you're using face-coverings correctly, and if another student or staff member asks you to adjust your mask, please cooperate. **Remember! No Mask, No Entry – if you do not cooperate with face-covering rules, you will be asked to leave the building to protect other campus users.**
- **Eating and drinking are prohibited on-campus except in designated spaces** such as a café or canteen, so please do not eat in other areas such as in a corridor or a classroom.
- When you arrive on campus, **please use the hand sanitiser available at all entrances and wash hands frequently** while on campus.
- **COVID-19 restrictions**, such as bookable study spaces, 1-metre social distancing, and mandatory face coverings, **remain in place in all our libraries**. For more information, please visit www.tudublin.ie/library.
- **Don't share objects that touch your mouth**, for example, bottles or cups, and use your own pens.
- **Follow any signage** indicating the direction of pedestrian traffic flows in our buildings and use the correct entrance and exit.
- **Maintain physical distancing and avoid congregating in groups** unless it is for an organised and controlled event. If another student or member of staff asks you to

move along, please cooperate.

- Where possible **open windows and doors** in any shared space to allow fresh air to circulate.
- [Download the COVID Tracker](#) to assist with contact tracing efforts.

Vaccination

Finally, if you have not yet received a **COVID-19 vaccine**, a pop-up vaccination clinic will operate on the **Grangegorman Campus** on **today** from **11.00 am to 1.00 pm**, and **from 2.00 pm to 5.30 pm** and on the **Blanchardstown Campus on Thursday, 4 November** from **11.00 am to 12.30 pm and from 1.40 pm to 4.25 pm** – more information is available [here](#).

If you're unable to make it to Grangegorman or Blanchardstown, we encourage you to register for an appointment as soon as possible – both to protect yourself and our community. If you have a PPS number, you can register on the HSE website [here](#); students that don't have a PPS, including **international students**, can call the HSE on 1800 700 700 to book an appointment. Many pharmacies are also offering free COVID-19 vaccines to people aged 12 and over. You can [find more information here](#).

I wish you the best of luck in your studies for the remainder of the semester, and stay safe.

Best wishes,

Dr Mary Meaney
Registrar and Deputy President

*If you cannot wear a face covering for reasons of a disability or a medical condition, please make your situation known to your Programme Chair or Head of School and have a copy of your exemption letter on hand.