

July 7, 2020

Re: 2020-21 Academic Year

To: Dakota College Athletes

I hope this finds you all well as you prepare to attend Dakota College at Bottineau (DCB) in August. Since this time is fast approaching, we need to make you aware of the changes in our plan for student-athlete arrivals and how we are conducting the safe return of students to our campus. Here at DCB, we have continued to adjust our plans to stay up to date with all the recommendations put forth to help all of us stay safe.

We will be monitoring all athletes for symptoms as well as conducting documented temperature checks on a daily basis. Adjustments have also been made for ramping up cleaning facility wide and especially on high touch areas such as workout equipment.

As an international student, if you were arriving at DCB TODAY, this is what the rules state:

“Any international student coming to school in North Dakota, must quarantine for fourteen (14) days.”

This does include Canada. That being said, we would want you to arrive on campus on August 10th to have your days of quarantine completed prior to the start of the academic year. There is a possibility that this may change for students from Canada; and, if that is the case, we will definitely get that information out to you as soon as we can.

Students arriving to campus:

Volleyball - athletes arrive August 3rd. Start practice August 10th (per Mon-Dak conference)

****If you are an INTERNATIONAL volleyball athlete, you must arrive on July 27th to complete your 14-day quarantine prior to the start of practice**

ALL other International students should plan to arrive on August 10th as this allows time for the 14-day quarantine prior to classes starting.

If you live in a “hot-spot” areas, it would be beneficial to get tested at home the week prior to coming. We cannot require you to get tested, however, in the case of a positive test once you arrive it would be easier to quarantine while at home instead of on campus.

We are working on getting testing lined up on campus upon your arrival; however, these details are ever-changing and not finalized at this point.

PLEASE, be on the lookout for emails from your coaches, and check out the DCB website and app as updates occur often. We look forward to seeing you all on campus soon.

Respectfully,



Corey Gorder
Athletic Director