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DCB students, faculty, and staff,

As you know, the COVID-19 virus continues to spread and change daily life for all of us. The best practices to try and minimize the effects of this pandemic continue to primarily revolve around, among other things, social distancing and avoiding crowds. To that end, and in trying to provide as much notice for DCB students who live quite a distance from Bottineau or other college sites, I am hereby announcing that **Dakota College at Bottineau courses will be delivered remotely via technology for the remainder of the Spring 2020 semester.**

We appreciate your understanding and patience as we have worked through this process. This has obviously been a very complex and quite unprecedented situation, so we are trying to make the best decisions with the information we have. More information will be forthcoming in the days ahead as there are many details to sort through related to the completion of the Spring Semester. But, at a minimum, I wanted our entire college community to have this primary piece of information as soon as possible so they can begin planning accordingly. **Classes will resume online as scheduled on Wednesday, March 25 and continue in an online/alternative delivery format for the remainder of the Spring semester. There will be no more face-to-face classes this Spring. (If there are any exceptions to this rule, faculty will communicate those exceptions to their students.)**

We have not yet made a final decision regarding the spring Graduation ceremony, but will do so in the next ten days.

Please monitor your email and the DCB website as more information, especially related to details for students in the Residence Halls, will be forthcoming in the very near future. Stay safe and best wishes in the days ahead.

DCB COVID-19 webpage: www.dakotacollege.edu/coronavirus

Sincerely,

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