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Update to Students: 5/11/2020

Good afternoon-

We are entering the two final weeks of the semester before finals! If you are reading this email, congratulations on hanging in there and staying informed! Below are some important updates for the week:

CARES Grants

Checks will be sent this week to approximately 450 students who qualified for the emergency aid. More information, including eligibility criteria can be found **HERE.**

In short, students must have filed a FAFSA and the amount received is based on FAFSA Estimated Family Contribution (EFC) and number of units enrolled as of March 24th when the decision was made to finish the semester online.

Graduation

This year's faculty speaker is Rick Leonhardt and the student speaker is Gracie Yates! Caps and tassels finally arrived and packets are in the mail to nearly 200 graduates! Decorate your cap and send us a photo as soon as possible to ensure that it will be included in the virtual ceremony. The Graduation video will premier from the FRC website on Friday, May 29th at 5:00 pm. More information can be found **HERE.**

Student Housing

In collaboration with Plumas County Public Health, we are working on a plan for students to return to campus to retrieve their personal items and checkout of their unit/room. An email will be sent to all residents by the end of the week with more information, including a link to sign up for a block of time over the next few weeks.

Plumas Co. Update

While there are currently no confirmed cases in Plumas County, stay at home orders are still in effect. Last week the Plumas County Health Officer issued an order for face coverings when in public areas. More information can be found **HERE.**

FRC will continue to work closely with the Health Department as we plan for summer and fall. At this time, most summer classes are online and classes that have a face to face component are developing a plan to safely meet. We anticipate that most fall classes will meet in person with cleaning protocols and social distancing measures in place. We will keep the public informed as plans are put into place.

Book Buyback

Campus is currently not open to the public, therefore the bookstore is currently closed. We are looking into a Virtual Sellback through Nebraska Book Company and will share information as soon as possible. As a reminder, there is never a guarantee that books will be bought back by the bookstore as it depends on supply and demand for future classes. We are also working on organizing a drop site for books that were loaned to students through EOPS, CalWorks, Student Success Program, etc. More information will be forthcoming.

Other Reminders

- The Scholarship application is currently open. More information can be found **HERE**
- We are still collecting responses for the Year End Student (YES) Survey. Please provide your feedback HERE
- Registration is open for summer and Fall contact your advisor to sign up for classes!

Check out the <u>Spring Student Recognition Rewards video</u>! Congrats to the 38 students who received an award this year and thank you to student Sydney Gott for making this video!

Remember to access our <u>Instructional Resource Center</u> for academic help and other <u>Student Support</u> <u>Services</u> if needed!

Have a great week!