UNM-GALLUP COVID-19
6.18.2020 Update

These UNM-Gallup updates are intended to keep our campus informed on developments related to the COVID-19 Coronavirus outbreak. The Chancellor’s Weekly Brief will also be distributed on Fridays. For additional information, please rely on www.unm.edu/coronavirus or www.gallup.unm.edu/coronavirus

CHANCELLOR’S OPEN FORUM TODAY AT 4 P.M.

Please join us today for the Chancellor’s Open Forum at 4 p.m. on Zoom. Instructions are posted below.

Join Zoom Meeting
https://unm.zoom.us/j/94360580984

Meeting ID: 943 6058 0984
One tap mobile
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Zoom Quick Start Guide:

If you have never used Zoom before, please install the client in advance of the webinar:

For Windows and Mac Users:

https://unm.zoom.us/client/latest/ZoomInstaller.exe

Zoom Mobile Apps:


SUPREME COURT RULES ON DACA CASE:

A narrowly divided U.S. Supreme Court extended a life-support line to some 650,000 DREAMers today, allowing them to remain safe from deportation for now, while the Trump administration jumps through the administrative hoops that the court said are required before ending the program.

The vote was 5-4 with Chief Justice John Roberts casting the decisive fifth vote that sought to bridge the liberal and conservative wings of the court.

NM FLAGS TO BE LOWERED TO COMMEMORATE JUNETEENTH:

Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham has ordered state flags to half-staff in observance of Juneteenth. State flags will be flown at half-staff beginning sundown Thursday through sundown Saturday.

Abraham Lincoln issued the Emancipation Proclamation freeing slaves on Jan. 1, 1863, but it was almost 2 ½ years later, on June 19, 1865, when Union Gen. Gordon Granger read the federal orders in Galveston, Texas, informing enslaved people in Texas that they were free. Juneteenth marks that day.

CENTER FOR ACADEMIC LEARNING (CAL) UPDATE:

CAL will be offering online tutoring services via e-mail until further notice. Please allow at least 24 hours for a response, excluding weekends, holidays and school closures.

For writing assignments, students should e-mail questions and attach assignment drafts in editable Word format to kvbaldona@unm.edu and prjames@unm.edu

For math/science assignments, e-mail questions to johnvils@unm.edu

HOW TO VIEW THE SPECIAL SESSION:

Due to COVID-safety concerns, the special session is closed to the public, but you can view and participate in the process in two ways:

- Watch online at nmlegis.gov
- Submit public comment on the "What's Happening" tab of nmlegis.gov – go to committee agendas, which have instructions for how to participate
CAP & GOWN CURBSIDE PICKUP TOMORROW (REMINDER):

Curbside pickup service is scheduled tomorrow for graduates who requested their cap and gown. Graduates who requested this option will be notified of their pickup time. Please continue to submit your graduation photos and video—and continue to look for information regarding our campus drive-thru photo opportunity that we are currently working to offer our spring graduates.

UNM-GALLUP LIMITED OPERATIONS CONTINUE (REMINDER):

We are continuing our period of limited operations until further notice with remote work and learning within our assigned employee tier system. Telecommuting remains our default for the majority of UNM-Gallup faculty, staff, and students. All summer courses remain online. And, meetings must take place remotely whenever possible. Campus buildings will remain locked with no public access. We have a few essential Tier 1 employees who will have access to facilities, but we will continue to limit access to campus facilities.

HELPFUL LINKS:

Student Q&A: COVID-19 Measures for Student Academic Success

Due Diligence in Alternative Methods of Advising

Student CR/NC Policy Update

UNM Registration How-To Video

UNM-Gallup Coronavirus Updates | UNM Main Campus Coronavirus Updates

Adobe License for Faculty & Staff | Faculty Resources

Student Resources | Student Survey

Community Resources | UNM Forum