Thursday, March 19, 2020

Boozhoo RLNC Students, Faculty and Staff,

This is an unprecedented moment in time for RLNC, our state, and the world. The last few weeks have brought major change and uncertainty, but also displays of great COURAGE, WISDOM and resilience. It touches my heart to see how our RLNC family has worked together to quickly adapt to online instruction in record time in order to keep our Spring term moving forward. This shows great RESPECT & LOVE for each other. Miigwech to all of you!

Our students have been emailing, calling, texting and messaging us in our new system. They are submitting their assignments online. Keep up your hard work everyone! Our Tribe and School District are also quickly doing amazing things to keep our Tribe moving forward to help people. I have never been more proud to be a part of our RLNC Team and a Red Lake Tribal Member. Our partners in Bemidji, the Capitol in St. Paul, and Washington, DC, have also been working hard to help us move forward. We will keep you posted on future changes & notices.

Since things change so quickly, here is the weekly update on our most current RLNC plans for moving forward:

- **ALL** RLNC classes will continue to be “virtual” -- taught/delivered online. This will continue through Friday, April 3, 2020. No classes will be held on campus until further notice. We will reassess prior to April 3, so watch for further weekly updates.

- RLNC campus is closed to the public through April 3rd. Essential RLNC staff are on campus as needed. College Café, Daycares, Fitness Center, Library and GED are all closed until further notice. We are trying to keep everyone off campus and safe. We are practicing “social distancing” as prescribed by health officials and our new RLNC policy.
  - **Students**: Call ahead to pick up financial aid checks or for other essential visits to campus.
  - **Student Success, Tutors, and Instructors** are all online and available to help you.

**Internet/Wi-Fi Access**
- Anyone who has questions, or needs help with off-campus Internet access or connectivity should contact Shieleen or other Student Success Staff.

- **FREE Internet Access** is available via Hotspots from 7am to Midnight Daily at the following locations:
  - RLNC Campus parking lot
  - Redby Community Center parking lot
  - Little Rock Community Center parking lot

You may park in any of these lots, do your work online, and submit your assignments in the comfort and safety of your own vehicle.

**FREE Tutoring & Support**
- Free Online Tutoring is available from RLNC professional tutor, Dr. Carla Norris-Raynbird. Please email her directly to make an appointment: carla.norrisraynbird@rlnc.education
- All RLNC staff and faculty are available to give you one-on-one help. Just call or email and we will help you. We want all of you to stay focused on your studies and finish the term successfully!

Remember to stay in close touch with your instructors & Student Success mentors, and check your email daily! Feel free to contact me, or any of our RLNC staff or faculty, if you have any questions or concerns. Take care everyone!

Most Sincerely,

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Social Distancing at RLNC

For the safety of our students, staff, and community, RLNC will begin practicing social distancing immediately.

protecting yourself and your community

- **6 feet**
  Maintain a distance of 6 feet in all meetings and social interactions.

- **wash hands**
  Handwashing is one of the best ways to protect yourself and your family from getting sick.

- **closed to the public**
  All RLNC offices are closed to the public. Students may see the front desk if access is necessary.

- **hand sanitizer**
  If you can't wash your hands use hand sanitizer.
  RLNC will have hand sanitizer and antibacterial wipes available in all public areas and offices.

- **cough**
  Stay home.

- **runny nose**
  Stay home.

- **fever or fatigue**
  Stay home.

- **traveled**
  Stay home.