



PHASE 1: LSU RETURN-TO-CAMPUS PLAN

FLAGSHIP CAMPUS

KEY FACTORS DRIVING PHASE 1

- Follows all CDC, state, and regional guidelines
- Returns employees to work slowly and safely
- Mitigates the risk of resurgence
- Protects the most vulnerable
- All units should be prepared to adjust, including returning to a remote work environment, if the situation changes

PERSONNEL INCLUDED IN PHASE 1

Aside from essential personnel currently on campus, only other critical employees specifically approved by the EOC may return to campus.

GOVERNING DIRECTIVES FOR PHASE 1

Employees must maintain physical distancing and proper hygiene:

- Wash hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds
- Use hand sanitizer, at least 60% alcohol, if soap and water are unavailable
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands
- Wear face coverings when the job or circumstances put you within 6 feet of others
- Increase frequency of cleaning; strictly follow LSU's COVID-19 disinfection protocols

- **If sick, stay home**
- **Physical distancing and personal hygiene regulations apply**
- **LSU will strictly adhere to CDC guidelines for confirmed or suspected cases/contacts**

Anyone who has been exposed to COVID-19 must:

- Stay home
- Notify the EOC of exposure
- Be cleared for return to campus

LSU PHASE 1

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25% or fewer other critical personnel needed to accomplish the functions listed below

GOALS

- Bring back critical personnel only, in a very limited capacity
- Allow facilities time to prepare buildings and develop plans for occupancy
- Follow physical distancing required by the state
- Follow federal/state/LSU President orders

OVERVIEW

- Only personnel specifically approved by the EOC may return to campus
- Limited access to buildings; some offices remain closed
- Gathering spots remain closed
- University-sponsored activities will be virtual
- Employees must maintain CDC physical distancing regulations
- Face coverings should be worn by employees when the job or circumstances put them within 6 feet of others

Office Environments

- Telework still mandatory for non-critical personnel
- Stagger workdays for critical personnel
- No in-person large meetings
- Remote meetings should continue when possible
- Limit sharing of office supplies and equipment; if sharing is essential, all items should be disinfected before and after use

Academic Classrooms

- Online classes only
- Faculty continue to provide online instruction from home

Research Labs and Studios

- Middleton Library remains closed; responding to digital service requests only
- Veterinary Medicine and Law libraries remain closed
- Teaching labs remain closed
- Some research labs and studios may be able to reopen in consultation with the Provost's Office and the EOC

Student Affairs

- UREC stays closed to users
- Union and Bookstore remain closed to users

Residential Life

- Current status and operations remain unchanged

Dining

- Curbside operations maintained

Camps and Events

- All on-campus camps and events are cancelled through the summer

LSU will initiate additional phases when stay-at-home orders are lifted or modified and an LSU presidential directive is given.

Any concerns regarding returning to campus should be directed to your immediate supervisor.

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