

JULY 2023

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STORIES OF STUDENT SUCCESS AND LEARNING AT VICTOR VALLEY COLLEGE



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VVC Implements COVID-19 Preventions Measures to Safeguard Campus Community

New guidelines and definitions emphasize close contact, face coverings, and testing protocols at Victor Valley College

Victor Valley College (VVC) has implemented new COVID-19 prevention regulations following the adoption of non-emergency guidelines by the Occupational Safety and Health Standards (CALOSHA) Board on December 15, 2022. The regulations, which went into effect on February 3, 2023, will remain in place for the next two years, aiming to create a safe and “normal” environment while still addressing the ongoing challenges of the pandemic.

To ensure compliance with the regulations, VVC students are advised to familiarize themselves with the latest guidance and definitions provided by CALOSHA. These definitions include the revised interpretation of “Close Contact,” now defined as sharing the same indoor airspace with a COVID-19 case for a cumulative total of 15 minutes or more over a 24-hour period during the COVID-19 infectious period. The definition is adjusted for indoor airspaces of over 400,000 cubic feet, where “Close Contact” is considered being within six feet of a COVID-19 case for a cumulative total of 15 minutes or more over a 24-hour period during the COVID-19 case’s infectious period.

Other important definitions to note include “COVID-19 case,” referring to a person who has tested positive for COVID-19, and “COVID-19 symptoms,” which encompass a range of indicators such as fever, chills, cough, shortness of breath, fatigue, and more. These symptoms, unless caused by a known condition other than COVID-19, require immediate attention and appropriate action.

VVC emphasizes the importance of face coverings and provides clear guidelines on their acceptable types. These include surgical masks, medical procedure masks, respirators worn voluntarily, or tightly woven fabric or non-woven materials consisting of at least two layers. Face coverings must not have visible holes or openings and should adequately cover both the nose and mouth.

In the event that students experience COVID-19 symptoms or test positive for the virus, it is crucial that they do not come to campus and immediately inform VVC’s COVID Coordinator via email at covid.safe@vvc.edu. Additionally, students are encouraged to stay in communication with their instructors regarding any class commitments affected by their situation. Following reporting, affected individuals may be required to self-isolate for up to 10 days starting from the onset of symptoms. However, isolation can end after day five if symptoms have significantly improved, there has been 24 hours without a fever (without fever-reducing medication), and at least five days have passed since the onset of symptoms.

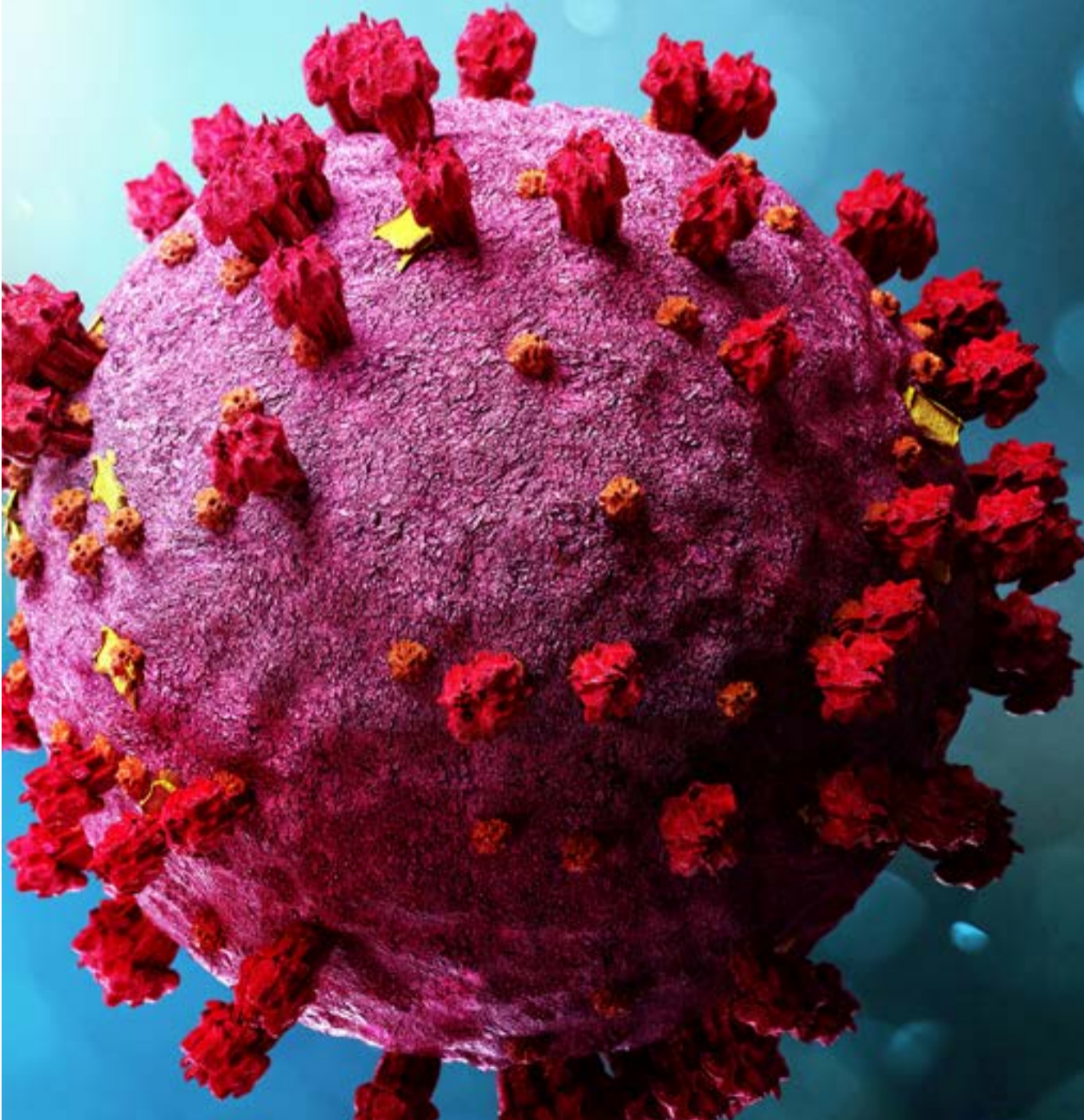
For individuals who have been in close contact with someone who tested positive for COVID-19 but exhibit no symptoms, self-isolation is not necessary. However, monitoring for symptoms over the next 10 days, wearing a well-fitting mask around others, and testing within 3-5 days of exposure are recommended precautionary measures.

VVC acknowledges that individuals have the option to wear masks at any time, especially if they have been in close contact with a COVID-19 case or are at a higher risk of contracting the virus.

To support testing efforts, VVC offers testing upon request through their COVID Coordinator. For further information about testing locations near students, a dedicated resource is available on the VVC website.

These regulations and guidelines aim to ensure the safety and well-being of the VVC community. By adhering to the established protocols and promptly reporting any COVID-19 cases or symptoms, students can contribute to maintaining a healthy learning environment. For further updates and information, students are encouraged to regularly check their official VVC communication channels.

POST COVID





LOOKING FOR A STUDENT WORKER IN ATHLETICS

WE'RE HIRING

EXAMPLE OF DUTIES

- ticket taking at athletic events
- athletic event setup/prep
 - clerical work
- equipment assistance
 - loading/unloading

IF INTERESTED EMAIL to:

artie.allen@vvc.edu





VICTOR VALLEY COLLEGE & COMMUNITY PARTNERS PRESENT

FREE COMMUNITY RESOURCE FAIR



10 AM

JULY 22 2023

2 PM

VICTOR VALLEY COLLEGE PARKING LOT A

- Mental Health Services
- County Programs
- Local Organizations
- Free College Programs
- Sheriffs Dept
- Food Boxes
- Prayer Tents
- Kids Area
- Free Food
- Photo Booth
- Good Music
- & More!

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VICTOR VALLEY
COLLEGE

PHOTO 105
PORTRAITURE
FALL 2023



TUESDAY & THURSDAY

10:00AM-12:30PM



- STUDIO LIGHTING
- EXTERNAL FLASH
- AMBIENT LIGHTING
- ENVIRONMENTAL PORTRAITURE
- FASHION
- HEADSHOTS
- RETOUCHING
- POSING
- & MORE!



**REGISTER
TODAY!**

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NOW OPEN!

Wednesdays | 10am - 1:30pm

**FREE
CLOTHING
CLOSET**

Location:
The Rock
17508 Hercules St #B5
Hesperia, CA 92345
For more information:
760-488-7971 Ext 1003

Chemistry and Biology Tutoring

Schedule

M – 9:00am – 5:00pm

T – 9:00am – 5:00pm

W – 9:00am – 5:00pm

Th – 9:00am – 5:00pm

Chem 100, 201, 202, 207; Bio 100, 203;

Come see Hope or Kim

Online tutoring via Zoom available by appointment

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SUMMER 2023

PSYCHOLOGY TUTORING

**PSYCH 101, 109, 110,
204, 213, 215 & 217**

Monday: 8:30AM-5PM

Tuesday: 8:30AM-5PM

Wednesday: 8:30AM-5PM

Thursday: 8:30AM-2PM

Zoom tutoring available by appointment!

Contact us:

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SUMMER 2023

Tutoring and Academic Support

Summer 2023

Time: 8:00am - 5:00pm

Call:(760) 245-4271 Ext. 2447

*Communication Center/ESL
Lab and Tutoring by subject
bldg. 54-213*

*Math Success Center
bldg. 21-145*

*Writing and Achievement
Math Aleks Lab
bldg. 21-146*

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SUMMER 2023

STEP INTO Tutoring and Academic Support



Summer 2023 Tutors by Subject



Communication Center Bldg. 54-213
M-TH 8AM - 5PM

Achievement Math Aleks Lab Bldg. 21-146
M-TH 9AM - 5PM

Chemistry/Biology Bldg. 54-213 (Kim/Hope)
M-TH 9AM - 5PM

Writing Center Bldg. 21-146
M-TH 8AM - 5PM



Psychology Bldg. 54-213 (Meilani/Jessie/Hope/Anna)
M-W 8:30AM - 5PM
TH 8:30AM - 2PM

Math Success Center Bldg. 21-145
M-TH 7:30AM - 5PM
F-Sun 10AM - 5PM (Zoom Only)

American Sign Language Bldg. 54-213 (Abigail/Elizabeth)
M-TH 9AM - 5PM

Political Science (Nicholas) (Zoom Only)
M 11AM - 12PM/7PM - 8PM
T 1PM - 2PM/6PM - 8PM
WTH 7PM - 8PM



STEP INTO student success with tutoring, study groups, and more!

Zoom tutoring is available by appointment.
Please call the number below to reserve a time!



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**T/TH
6:50-8:15
PM**

Course Description
The course will present cell phone basics that can be applied to a variety of situation in which better cell phone photography is the goal.

**NEW COURSE
PHOT-010**

CELL PHONE PHOTOGRAPHY



VVC Fall 2023

Intro to the Arts of Africa

Online Course

Art 110

8-week course

Oct 23-Dec 16

**This course will introduce the
art of the African continent.**

CSU

**REGISTER
TODAY!**

VVC FALL



2023

**REGISTER
NOW!**

Water-Based Media Course

ART 115

M/W 4:00-6:30 PM

Introductory course with an emphasis in foundational painting techniques including color theory, visual perception, composition and creative skills. CSU/UC

Register Now!

Fiber Arts

Art 170



Fall 2023

The studio course will explore basic techniques in fiber construction. The structure and design of woven and non-woven fiber forms will be investigated using traditional and non-traditional methods and materials. CSU



Create works of art by using different fiber materials

**Monday &
Wednesday
10am-12:30pm**

IT PAYS TO HAVE A VVC ASB CARD!

- ✓ Use as a VVTA bus pass
- ✓ Free tix to VVC theater shows and athletic events
- ✓ Access to the ASB computer lab + free printing (10 pgs)
- ✓ Discounts at lots of locations across the High Desert

ASB stickers cost **\$10.00** and can be added to your student ID Card.



Associated Student Body Council
ASB
of Victor Valley College

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