

Online teaching & learning

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Dear UCC Students,

We are conscious that some of you are feeling anxious about your studies in these unprecedented times. We would like to assure you that the college is working very closely with key institutions including the University of Sussex to ensure the move to online learning runs smoothly. However, any transition will experience some initial hiccups and we appreciate your patience in overcoming these.

As you are aware, all face-to-face teaching for HE students at Croydon College has been suspended, and indeed at many campuses across the country. Please note the Learning Resource Centre is still open for HE students but we urge you to call before you make the journey as opening is dependent on staff availability.

What does online learning mean?

- Students should log into Moodle to access learning resources and materials regularly.
- Attendance will be tracked via daily activity reports.
- Tutors and lecturers will be available during normal lecturing hours via email or Moodle.
- Assessments deadlines for coursework remains in place and will be done remotely.

We are working closely with the University of Sussex to ensure students are assessed appropriately but also fairly considering the exceptional circumstances.

We endeavour to update students on any changes to assessment methods, if applicable, as soon as any changes are approved by the University. We are also working on contingency measures for student with work placement requirements.

Thank you for your patience in this transition phase.

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