

PANJAB UNIVERSITY CHANDIGARH

Appeal to students not to panic because of Covid-19

My dear students,

Greetings of the day!!!

The entire human civilization is passing through a very tough and critical time, but as a warrior, you can visualize the opportunities by evolving yourself. I am sure we will definitely win this battle against this unprecedented menace by staying safe by remaining at our homes, following social distancing etc. and contribute to save humanity. The University is fully vigilant about the situation due to coronavirus and I urge you to say "no to panic" and "yes to precautions". I call upon you personally not to worry about the syllabus and conduct of examinations, because at this critical time, the most important thing being your health and welfare of your family. The university is committed to take care of completion of syllabus and conduct of exams and you should be taking care of your health and staying at your home only.

As you are well aware that your own Panjab University is a historic pristine institution of the nation and I want to assure you that we have been quickly arranging for alternatives to the classroom teaching in the shape of online platforms. Both the faculty and students are learning together, of course with certain bottlenecks in the process, switching to new live online audio-visual means of communication from your respective homes. We have been trying to teach through some popular e-learning platforms e.g. Zoom, Fliplearn, Microsoft Teams, Google Classroom, WhatsApp and email groups etc. to impart assignments.

Praying to the Almighty for your good health, the daily routines returning to normalcy, and confident of your genuine humanitarian acts, solidarity with the society/community and staying at your homes during lockdown. Such solidarity will be more meaningful and credible to combat the virus.

Wishing you all good health, stay at home, stay healthy, stay active and stay safe.

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