



# Roadmap for Reopening

**Valencia College  
Campuses and Locations**

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Two priorities:

- health and safety of our employees and students
- ensuring the continuity of student learning

Created with feedback from employees, students, Orlando Health, and within Centers for Disease Control and Prevention guidelines (especially those that pertain to reopening a higher education facility)

A learning-centered, science-based, phased approach to reopening our campus facilities

<http://www.valenciacollege.edu/about/roadmap-for-reopening>



# Phase 4 Operations

Beginning August 1, 2021

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# Phase 4 Operations Overview



All departments, programs, facilities, locations, campuses, and services are fully operational, have adapted to new paradigms and protocols for social engagement, and no extraordinary measures are needed to protect health and safety.

A full reopening of Valencia College campuses and locations will occur based on the guidance of federal, state and local agencies, as well as our ability to provide a safe and healthy environment for faculty, staff and students.

# Phase 4 Operations Overview



Given most recent guidance from the CDC and Orlando Health, our current Phase 4 plans include:

- Requiring Masks
- Maintaining Physical Distancing
- Encouraging Handwashing
- Cleaning and Maintaining Healthy Facilities
- Contact Tracing

# Fall Course Schedule



A team composed primarily of faculty and deans developed [Design Principles](#) which include guidance that the Fall 2021 course schedule should:

- be built with enough capacity and flexibility not to constrain access to higher education and include enough options to allow students to make substantial progress toward their intended academic goals.
- generally include as many face-to-face and mixed-mode sections as possible without constraining overall capacity while considering historical student demand and student outcomes by modality and current and changing student modality preferences.

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- Current physical distancing guidance requires a reduction of on-site class capacities of 30-50%.
- In order to offer a substantial number of course sections in an on-site modality **without reducing capacity overall**, Valencia must increase the total number of course sections it offers.
- To accommodate this need for additional course sections, Valencia has invited current part-time faculty in select discipline areas to apply to serve in a temporary, one-year, full-time Visiting Professor role which will be supported by our institutional allocation of the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund. Given the uncertainty and changing nature of COVID-related guidance, this will also allow us to plan for additional capacity in Spring.

