



Office of the President

NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY

March 13, 2020

Dear Lumberjack parents,

We want to assure you that the health and well-being of our Lumberjack community is our highest priority. We are working closely with federal, state, and local officials, health care partners, and departments across campus to respond to the international COVID-19 outbreak.

Due to the rapidly changing environment and need for timely communication and action on behalf of our community, we have established a central website—nau.edu/coronavirus—that is home to the most up-to-date information from NAU. We encourage you to check this site regularly. We are also communicating directly with our Lumberjack family. Yesterday's message to all NAU students, faculty, and staff regarding a change to online coursework following spring break, updates about campus operating status, and travel restrictions and advisories can be found here: [March 12 Message from President Cheng](#)

Thank you for entrusting NAU with your student's education. We will continue to deliver on our promise of providing high-quality student-centered education to help our students achieve their aspirations. We are committed to our students' success and to ensuring a successful completion of the spring semester.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rita".

Rita Hartung Cheng
President