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**Georgia Military College to Suspend In-Seat Learning Effective Immediately, All Classes Held Online**

MILLEDGEVILLE, GA – This afternoon President Trump declared a National Emergency over the Coronavirus outbreak. As we have stated before, the safety, health and success of our students is our number one priority. With that in mind, Georgia Military College will close its 14 campuses to Junior College students effective immediately until March 29, 2020. All faculty and staff will report to their respective campuses as usual and will be available to assist any student remotely.

Monday, March 16, 2020 all in-seat classes will transfer to online learning. Faculty and staff will be on campus if students have any questions about the transition to online learning. Students can contact faculty and staff via phone call, text message, or email.

Members of the Junior College Corps of Cadets can depart immediately, but do have until 5 p.m. Tuesday, March 17, 2020 to make travel arrangements and depart campus. The barracks will close after 5 p.m. Tuesday.

During this time GMC will reassess when in-seat classes will resume, and when students will return. The scheduled spring breaks for each campus remain as planned.

For information on GMC's protocols for Coronavirus, visit <https://www.gmc.edu/current-students/coronavirus-info.cms> for the latest information. This link is updated daily.

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**About Georgia Military College**

*An accredited public-independent liberal arts college with fourteen college campuses throughout the state of Georgia, including a Global Online College, serving both cadet and non-cadet students. A primary focus of Georgia Military College is in awarding Associate degrees and preparing students for transfer to four-year colleges and universities, as well as providing pathways for Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree holders to attain their four-year Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) degree. Georgia Military College's mission is to produce educated citizens and contributing members of society in an environment conducive to the development of the intellect and character of its students. "Start Here...Go Anywhere!" For more information about Georgia Military College, go to [www.gmc.edu](http://www.gmc.edu) or like us on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/georgiamilitarycollege](http://www.facebook.com/georgiamilitarycollege) or on Twitter and Instagram @GMCstory*