



ST. JEROME'S UNIVERSITY

To: SJU Community

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Subject: COVID-19 'red zone' update

As of today, Waterloo Region officially moved into the “red zone” of the Province of Ontario’s [COVID-19 response framework](#).

We are confirming that being in this red or “control” zone has not resulted in any substantive changes to the existing protocols we have in place on the SJU campus at this time.

Preparing for potential lockdown and other scenarios

As we continue our efforts to prevent COVID-19 on campus, the University is also prepared to effectively deal with cases of the virus in various scenarios. We have protocols in place to address individual cases of COVID-19, outbreaks and scaling back campus operations.

We will continue to adapt to any new guidance from the Province of Ontario and public health authorities. The Campus Response Team will be prepared for what an eventual shift to the “grey” or lockdown category of the Province’s framework might mean for SJU.

If you have any questions, please contact Mike Gourlay or Cristina Vanin.