Dear Fellow Members of the MassBay Community,

Here is today’s COVID-19 update. Please remember this is an ever-changing situation, and it is very important to check your MassBay email account daily.

**Tomorrow Will Be Historic**
In response to this unexpected and unprecedented pandemic, MassBay joined thousands of other education institutions in converting all of its in-person classes to remote learning models...**in two weeks!** The amount of concerted effort to allow for the continuation of classes was remarkable.

And now it begins. Starting tomorrow MassBay is offering all of its classes either in a pure online (asynchronous) mode or in a remote learning model. To quote a phrase we see everywhere we look: **we are all in this together.** Students, faculty and staff are all collaborating virtually in support of our mutual collective and individual goals. For most of us, this is new, so allow for some evolution and refinement. Reach out to your peers to make sure they know they are not alone. Students, let your faculty know how you are and how the new models are working for you.

There are support systems in place to provide counsel and advice, take advantage of them if you need them!

We will continue to update you daily by 4pm, but you can always find the latest information on our website at massbay.edu/coronavirus.

Please remember, **if you are sick do not come to campus,** but report this to Public Safety at 781-239-2222. If you have any questions, please email your dean or supervisor.