



Whitman Today

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Coronavirus News

Walla Walla County had two new confirmed coronavirus cases in the past 24 hours. So far the county has 35 confirmed cases. Fifteen local residents have recovered from the virus.

A dispute between Democrats and the White House over virus testing has stalled a nearly \$500 billion bipartisan agreement to replenish a loan program for small businesses and provide more money for struggling hospitals.

The governors of Georgia, South Carolina and Tennessee said they would start relaxing restrictions intended to curb the spread of the virus. Plans to reopen were also moving forward in Ohio, where a state prison has become the country's largest-known source of coronavirus infections.

[Whitman's Coronavirus Website](#)

Announcements

Security Cameras

To improve safety for our community, Whitman College Security has installed video cameras in three parking lots on campus. The parking lots are locations where crimes have been reported and the cameras are focused on these areas. The safety of our students and our campus is the college's top priority.

Campus Resources

Need writing and speaking support? The Center for Writing and Speaking is open for live digital meetings or tutor assistance on papers. You can [schedule appointments](#) with our student tutors for a time that works for you!

Online Learning Resources

Do you have questions about accessing materials that the Penrose Library doesn't own? While scans of entire books may not be available, the library can still request book chapters or articles from other libraries in their extensive interlibrary loan network. Submit a request through Sherlock or [fill out this form](#). You'll get an email notice when your scan is ready for you to download. If you have questions about availability of resources, contact library staff [via chat or email](#).

[More Online Learning Resources](#)

Happening Today

2 p.m.

[Spirituali-TEA with Adam Kirtley](#)

Join Interfaith Chaplain Adam Kirtley for a virtual cup of tea and conversation via Zoom.

4 p.m.

[Yom Hashoah \(Holocaust Remembrance Day\) Speaker](#)

Holocaust survivor Oscar Sladek will share his story and answer questions about his experiences in an virtual event. Email shalom@whitman.edu to receive connection information.

Have a virtual event you'd like to share with campus? Email the details to whitmantoday@whitman.edu.

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