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Dear Students of Biochemistry 2EE3:

The university community takes the health and wellness of our members seriously and we are interested in slowing the potential for spread of COVID-19. We are committed to ensuring the successful completion of the current academic term by all of our students. While the University has taken many measures to prepare and keep our community informed as the pandemic has unfolded, the university has made a decision to suspend classes at McMaster.

**McMaster in-person classes and tests for undergraduate and graduate students will end as of Friday March 13<sup>th</sup> and no in-person exams will be held at the end of this term.**

The following describes what you can expect for Biochemistry 2EE3 between now and the end of the term:

Between now and April 7, you can expect the following changes with respect to course instruction for this course:

- There will be no changes with respect to instruction for the rest of the term as all course content is delivered online. Online exams and assignments will continue as scheduled.

In addition, you can expect the following changes to the assessments used for this course:

- The final exam will be administered online through the Avenue to Learn platform. The final exam will take place on the date scheduled by the registrar (April 14<sup>th</sup>).
- No changes will be made to the scheme that will be used to calculate final grades

If you have a need for accommodations, please continue to communicate with Student Accessibility Services and keep me informed.

In the event significant changes to the COVID-19 situation, further changes may need to be made to this course. Please visit <https://covid19.mcmaster.ca/> for up-to-date university information.

Sincerely,

Dr. Caitlin Mullarkey, Instructor

Dr. Brian Coombes, Chair

