



## Access to Alabama State University

The Reopening Guide is subject to change based on information obtained from local and state health agencies, as well as the Centers for Disease Control (CDC).

- ASU is a Mask Mandatory campus which requires wearing masks or face coverings. [See page 2.](#)
- Sanitizing stations will be available in central locations throughout the campus.
- Entry into buildings will remain minimal.
- All face-to-face meetings must be held in compliance with social distancing of 6 feet for all participants or virtual meetings must be utilized (Google Meet, Zoom, etc.)
- All public events and gatherings held on campus must have prior approval by the University.

### Visitors >>>

- Visitor access to the campus will be limited and prior approval for entry will be required. **All visitors are required to check in at the ASU Department of Public Safety located at 1452 Carter Hill Road to be issued a visitor's pass.**

### Students >>>

- Student athletes will return to campus according to the calendar developed by the Division of Intercollegiate Athletics.
- [See pages 24-29 for details](#) on academic and student support services.
- Students will return to residence halls as organized by the Office of Housing and Residence Life. [See pages 22-23 for details.](#)
- Instructions will be provided for students enrolled in face-to-face courses. [See page 27 for details.](#)
- [See page 28 for details](#) on food services and dining instructions.

### Employees >>>

- **All telework/staggered schedules will be suspended as of August 9, 2021.**
- ASU IDs will be required for all employees.
- The ASU Department of Public Safety will maintain a check point process for entering the campus at the corner of South Jackson Street and North University Drive in front of Council Hall. [See page 7.](#)

Alabama State University will continue to provide a nurturing and safe learning environment for each student. The University has instituted a number of policies and procedures to secure the safety of those who work and learn on campus.

The University has implemented stricter safety measures and protocols to prevent (1) illegal access to the campus and (2) minimize outside visitors.

### Campus Curfew >>>

ASU has invoked a mandatory curfew for residential students to curtail the possibilities of criminal activity, non-sanctioned gatherings and violations of the University's COVID-19 protocols. Students must adhere to the following:

- **Students who reside on campus must be in their assigned residence halls from 9 p.m. each evening until 6 a.m. the next day.**
- In the event of extenuating circumstances, students must alert their residence hall director or Resident Assistants (RA) if there is a need to leave for an emergency during curfew hours. Students who have jobs requiring them to work during curfew hours must notify their RAs and the Department of Public Safety.
- Failure to adhere to the University's conduct enforcement procedures will subject offenders to sanctions from the Division of Student Affairs and Enrollment Management to include suspension or expulsion from the University.

### Campus Closed to Visitors 9 p.m. - 6 a.m. >>>

- The campus will be closed to all visitors between the hours of 9 p.m. to 6 a.m. (If there is an emergency situation requiring visitor access to campus, the visitor must be cleared by the Department of Public Safety, located at 1452 Carter Hill Road, and escorted to campus by an ASU uniformed officer). This includes students who reside off campus.

### Enforcement >>>

The Alabama State University Department of Public Safety and the Office of Student Affairs will enforce the campus safety protocols.

- All unauthorized persons found in violation of the curfew could be subject to arrest and charged with Criminal Trespass (Code of Alabama 13A-7-4).
- Any property found in relation to the offense will be impounded (I.E., vehicles towed at the owner's expense).

***Please know that these new protocols will be strictly enforced as we work to protect our campus.***

Alabama State University is committed to maintaining the integrity of a safe and healthy learning environment for each student. As outlined in our Student Code of Conduct, students cannot engage in behavior that endangers the ASU community's welfare. Escalated sanctions will be applied for violating restrictions for on and off-campus gatherings. These sanctions are in accordance with current Judicial Protocol as detailed in the Student Handbook.

## Curfew Violation

See details on page 5

## Hosting or Attending Non-University Sanctioned Events On or Off Campus

## Facial Coverings Violation

Including refusal to wear or remove while in areas where required and/or wearing coverings inappropriately (not covering mouth and nose)

## Physical/Social Distancing Violation

Including repeated or intentional failure to follow signage or decals demarcating distancing

### 1ST INCIDENT

**Formal conduct action:** Student sent notice of charge(s)  
**Sanction:** \$50 fine

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**Potential Sanctions:**

- Disciplinary probation
- Removal from University Housing

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**Sanction:** 10 hours of Volunteer Service at ASUPD

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### 2ND INCIDENT

**Formal conduct action:** Student sent notice of charge(s)  
**Sanction:** Suspension

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**Potential Sanctions:**

- Suspension
- Prohibited from residing in University Housing permanently

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### 3RD INCIDENT

**Formal conduct action:** Student sent notice of charge(s)  
**Sanction:** Expulsion

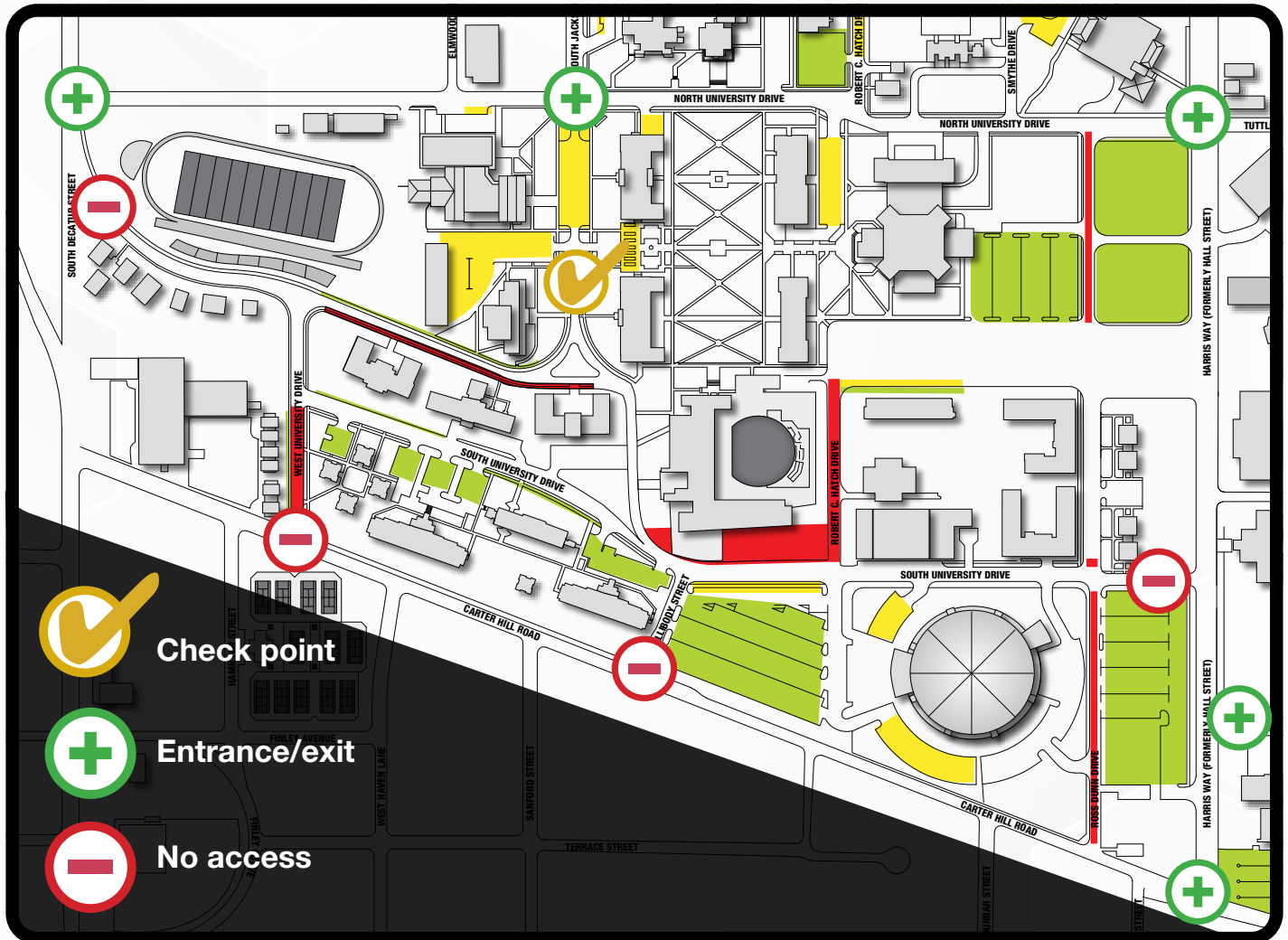
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### NO PARKING AT ANY TIME IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

- **West University Drive across from Cynthia Alexander Apartments**
- **West Tullibody Drive** On the left side in front of Abercrombie, Simpson and Bibb Graves Residence Halls
- **John G. Hardy Student Center South University Drive Entrance** In front of the Student Center, including under the canopy, left and right sides
- **Robert C. Hatch Drive** Robert C. Hatch Drive runs from the 4-way stop sign in front of Shuttlesworth Dining Hall, past Card Hall to the stop sign behind the LWLC Library

For more information, call the ASU Police Department at 334-229-4400 or 334-229-4717, or call Maxine Oliver, Parking Enforcement Coordinator, at 334-229-4660.