

*The Covid-19 pandemic has had a tremendous impact on our campus and community. The people of UK Facilities Management remain the “boots on the ground” for UK, providing the essential services needed to keep our campus safe, secure, and positioned to respond to the evolving crisis. The strength each of you demonstrate daily is inspiring and represents such courage and compassion. We are in this together and we will get through it together. **Thank you for everything you do.** – Mary Vosevich, Vice President for Facilities Management*

OUR PEOPLE. ————— OUR STORIES.

Don't forget your daily 4.0!



WEAR A MASK



WASH YOUR HANDS



PHYSICAL DISTANCE

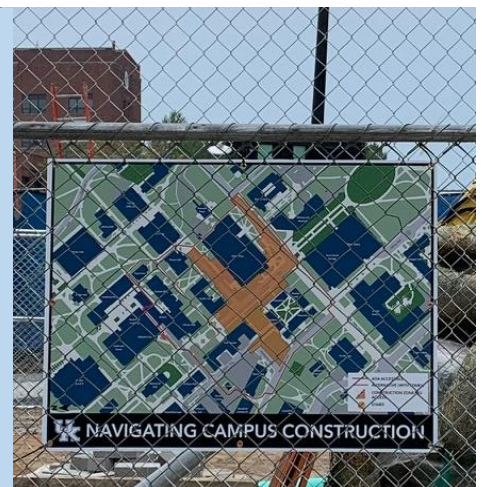


DAILY SCREENING

Our Students are back and the fall 2020 Semester starts today. As we officially start this reinvented semester, all members of the community are asked to remember a simple idea: **Protect. Respect. Do your part.** As part of those efforts, all students and employees who come on to campus will be required to complete a COVID-19 screening, every day, seven days a week. Completion of this screening is necessary to remain in compliance with university policy. **Individuals will be required to begin completing the screening on the first day of classes, Aug. 17.** The daily screener is quick and easy. It takes less than 3-5 seconds if you don't have symptoms. **Any employee with an on-campus work assignment will receive a daily email with instructions for completing the screening. If you do not have regular access to email, your supervisor will provide a paper copy of the screen.**



The ongoing renovation of the Chemistry Physics building (left), the extension of Library Drive, and utility work on Rose Street will cause significant changes to campus navigation this fall. Facilities Management produced a map to assist with navigating around the construction zone. The map has been posted around the site (right) and is available online at: https://construction.uky.edu/documents/ChemPhys_NavigatingConstruction.pdf



The SKYblue Solar House is headed to a new home. The solar house, currently located on the south lawn of the Cooper House at the corner of S. Limestone and Farm Road, was constructed in 2008 by a team of UK faculty, staff, and students. The project was part of the 2009 US Department of Energy Solar Decathlon. The facility also served as Lexington's Welcome Center during the 2010 World Equestrian Games and has hosted hundreds of tours teaching thousands about the potential for residential solar power in Kentucky. Earlier this year, UK's Board of Trustees voted to sell the house via Surplus Property. The RFP for potential buyers included a clause that prioritized offers that would keep the facility available to UK Students. An offer that did just that was accepted and the house is currently being readied (by the buyer) for transport to its new home.



Last week, everyone in Facilities Management received a t-shirt promoting one of the most important things we can do to protect ourselves and our community: **MASK UP.** These are meant to be worn any this week and any Friday thereafter. Let's fill up our Friday photo collage with pictures of our team wearing these shirts (and masks). Submit photos to shane.tedder@uky.edu by midnight on Thursday.