

Dear International Students:

We hope that your summer has been well. Recently, you may have seen in the news communication about international students possibly not being able to take courses.

On July 6th, the Department of Homeland Security announced temporary procedural adaptations relating to I-20 international students. This includes reporting a school's intended operations for course delivery, as well as updating and re-issuing each individual student's I-20 per applicable guidelines. The Department of Homeland Security intends to publish these as a Temporary Final Rule in the Federal Register.

Morehead State University has plans to begin our fall semester as normal in August 2020. As a part of the fall semester we plan to offer in-person, hybrid, and online classes to meet the academic needs and legal requirements of our international students. If you have a need to take in-person courses for any reason, we have a variety for you to select from. Please contact your academic department or academic advisor should you have a question about which in-person courses are available.

Rest assured that we will also closely monitor the future development of this Temporary Final Rule and update our University and students accordingly. For now, we believe that our international students are ok and we have in-person classes to offer them.

Thank you,
Dr. Joseph (Jay) Morgan